

# The Road to the Rumble

This is a suggested schedule to ensure that your team is on track and prepared to compete in the 2022 Rumble in the Roads. If at any time you feel that your team's schedule has slipped, please reach out to us for help!

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Dates	Tasks	Examples
June - August	Decide if your team will compete Register your team at <a href="http://rumbleintheroads.com">rumbleintheroads.com</a> Estimate number of team members (students, teachers, mentors, parents, family) attending event Decide whether your team will need to stay overnight Book hotel rooms if required	Shortly after electing new student co-captains in May, Triple Helix's leadership team meets to determine which fall events the team will compete in.  Triple Helix stays for one night in northern Virginia when competing at IROC.
September	Complete payment of your registration fee Submit all required field trip request forms Assign mechanical team to evaluate status of robot and correct any issues Determine plans for each meal throughout duration of trip Determine transportation plan Reserve any rented equipment needed for transportation Begin team member signups Determine student participation fee (if any)	Triple Helix submits field trip request forms to Menchville HS administrators during the FRC registration season in September and October.  Triple Helix's robot will need thorough inspection and repairs after several summer demonstrations and outreach events.  Triple Helix uses a 6x12 tandem-axle cargo trailer for equipment transportation to events.
October	Complete team member signups Hold mandatory meeting for students attending event and their parents Pack for trip Charge batteries Pre-order lunches	Triple Helix students must sign up for IROC, and pay their trip fee, a few days before their names are due to the hotel to finalize the team's lodging reservations. This occurs about 3-4 weeks before the event.  A mandatory meeting about 1 week before the event ensures that everyone's expectations are well understood.
Saturday, November 5, 2022		