

2025 Kansas BEST Kick Off

9:00am Welcome to Wichita State University
Sponsor Recognition, Scholarship Winner
Introduction of Sponsors and Steering Committee
Guest Speaker(s) from WSU

10:15am Breakout Sessions (*concurrent in designated rooms*)

- Tips on Building a Robot Joel Cazares, Ballroom 3rd fl
- Software Linda Manfull, Room 261
- Notebook Nicholas Burgeson, Room 264
- Team Exhibit & Marketing Presentation Alex Ziegler, Room 262
- Critical Design Review Don Brushwood, Room 265

11:15am Reveal of 2025 BEST Game, "Factoids"

Ballroom, 3rd floor

Kit Overview (Joel Cazares), Game Reveal (Video)

11:30am Game Demonstration with Prototype Robot and Q&A

Ballroom - Jeffrey Thomas, Bryan Jaax, Scott Ricke

12:00pm Closing – Linda Manfull

Kit Pickup – Room 142, Harvest Room, 1st floor

UPCOMING EVENTS!

Practice Day | October 18, 2025 | WSU Heskett Center

Game Day | November 1, 2025 | WSU Koch Arena

Denver BEST Regionals | December 2025 location TBD

For information about BEST Robotics, visit: bestinc.org | kansasbest.org

For information about WSU College of Engineering, visit:

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2025 Kansas BEST Teams

Team # - School

- #351 Wichita Collegiate HS
- #352 Moundridge
- #354 Council Grove High School
- #355 Kapaun Mt. Carmel Catholic High School
- #358 Wichita Homeschool
- #359 Republic County High School
- #362 Atchison High School
- #363 Northeast Magnet High School *
- #365 Quark Robotics - Rose Hill
- #366 Central Christian Academy
- #367 McHomes Homeschool Co-op *
- #368 USD 300 - South Central High School
- #370 Garden City High School
- #372 Rock Creek High School
- #376 Life Preparatory Academy
- #378 Valley Center High School
- #384 Berean Academy
- #388 Stafford
- #390 Wellington STEM *

* New teams for 2025

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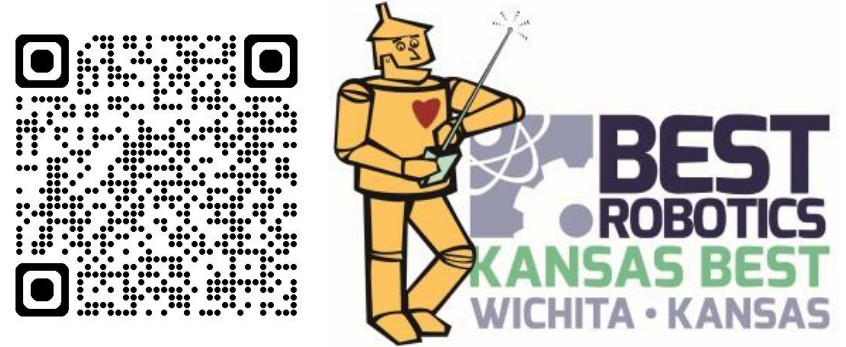
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Kickoff Day

Saturday, September 6, 2025
Rhatigan Student Center
Wichita State University

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