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### STATE and NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

Please complete the following form about participation in the upcoming tournaments (see the website for more details). If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Mr. Geisler at [acgeisler@cps.edu](mailto:acgeisler@cps.edu)

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent name & signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent email: \_\_\_\_\_

#### State Championships in Schaumburg (3/21-22) [check one]:

\_\_\_\_\_ I am planning to attend the State Championships and am interested in the offer for free entry.

\_\_\_\_\_ I am planning to attend the State Championships, but will not need the free entry.

\_\_\_\_\_ I am interested in the State Championships, but have questions and/or concerns (please describe):

\_\_\_\_\_ I am not interested in this opportunity.

#### National Elementary (K-6) Championships in Nashville, TN (5/8-10) [check one]:

\_\_\_\_\_ I would like to attend the National Elementary Championships and am interested in the CPS field trip offer for free entry and hotel.

\_\_\_\_\_ I am planning to attend the National Elementary Championships, but we will travel separately.

\_\_\_\_\_ I am interested in the National Elementary Championships, but have questions and/or concerns (please describe):

\_\_\_\_\_ I am not interested in this opportunity.

#### National K-12 Championships in Columbus, OH (4/3-5) [check one]:

\_\_\_\_\_ I am planning to attend the National K-12 Championships, and do not need any assistance in making arrangements.

\_\_\_\_\_ I am interested in the National K-12 Championships, but have questions and/or concerns (please describe):

\_\_\_\_\_ I am not interested in this opportunity.