

# SWID TEEN BIBLE QUIZZING

## Frequently Asked Questions

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### ***What is Teen Bible Quizzing?***

Teen Bible Quizzing is a fun, competitive way for teens to learn the Word of God. Local teens study a pre-determined book(s) of the Bible and then meet with other teens from across the district to compete in answering questions from the given material. This ministry offers many benefits:

- Quizzing fortifies teens with deeper knowledge and understanding of God's Word for a lifetime.
- Quizzing develops discipline and character in teens as they study and prepare for quizzes.
- Quizzing promotes Christ-like teamwork and sportsmanship in teens (and adults).
- Quizzing strengthens local teen relationships as they study, practice, and compete together.
- Quizzing excites teens with a monthly road-trip together.
- Quizzing establishes friendships across the district and builds on those friendships month to month.
- Quizzing bridges adult wisdom and teen energy through life-sharing, intergenerational relationships.
- Quizzing invests top quizzers with ONU scholarship prizes.
- Quizzing rewards teens with a sense accomplishment, no matter their ability level.
- Quizzing challenges teens to achieve their next level.

Quizzing is just an all-around FUN time every time we gather!

### ***Who can participate?***

NYI members currently in grades 6-12 are eligible.

### ***How many people make up a quiz team?***

A team is 1-5 quizzers. Churches may bring multiple teams or combine with other churches to fill a team.

### ***When are district quiz meets?***

Quiz meets are the second Saturday, September through March, 10:00-3:00 Eastern Time.

The March Finals meet is an overnigher starting Friday at 7:00 with practice & trivia rounds, games and snacks. Friday participation is optional; the actual meet follows the regular Saturday schedule.

### ***What do the district meets look like?***

We begin with a half hour of worship music and a devotional from the quiz material. Teams then quiz four rounds round-robin style. After lunch break, we have two more rounds of quizzing; depending on the number of teams, this will be either a continuation of round-robin quizzing or team tournaments. Then we close with individual and team awards for the day.

### ***Where are district quiz meets held?***

Meets are held at different host churches each month.

### ***How do we sign up our team?***

Register online at [swidteenquizzing.org](http://swidteenquizzing.org) (free account setup required) by Friday night before the current meet.

### ***How much does it cost?***

We ask \$5/quizzer when you arrive at each meet. Additionally, lunch is on your own at local fast-food options.

### ***Can our church host a meet?***

To host a quiz next season, please contact one of the directors. We'd love to visit your church!

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### Quizzing Websites

#### Official SWID Quizzing Site

[teenquiz.swidnazarene.org](http://teenquiz.swidnazarene.org)

Register teams, officials, and equipment for SWID district quiz meets. See statistics from past quiz meets.

#### Facebook Groups:

- **"SWID Teen Bible Quizzing"**  
Online social community site. Keep up to date with news, announcements, and event/meet information. See and share photos from recent quiz events.
- **"Nazarene Bible Youth Quizzing"**  
Official page for USA/Canada Youth Bible Quizzing.
- **"Nazarene Bible Quizzing"**  
Public Facebook group for and by people who can't get enough of Nazarene Bible Quizzing. Many posts featuring quizzing memories/photos/info from years past.

#### The Foundry Publishing: Quizzing Materials

[thefoundrypublishing.com/catalogsearch/result/?q=youth+quizzing](http://thefoundrypublishing.com/catalogsearch/result/?q=youth+quizzing)

Order quizzing Scripture portions, concordances, study books, coach's book, and other quizzing publications.

#### Central Field (ONU) Quizzing

[centralregionbq.org](http://centralregionbq.org)

Information about quizzing on the Central USA Field. Many additional quizzing resources and links!

#### St. Louis Tournament

[stlouisbiblequiz.nazquizzing.org](http://stlouisbiblequiz.nazquizzing.org)

Information about the annual National Top-10 Tournament in St. Louis, MO.

#### YouthQuiz (Barefoot Ministries) Resources

[barefootonline.com/nphweb/html/qol/accountLogin.jsp](http://barefootonline.com/nphweb/html/qol/accountLogin.jsp)

Resources for quizzers and coaches. Some are free; unlock premium, online resources with paid subscription: