



## **NEWS ALERT**

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### **Castle Rock High Schoolers Compete at Orca Bowl, Saturday, February 9**

On Saturday, Feb. 9, students from Castle Rock High School will engage in a day of friendly competition and exciting science at the Washington State Ocean Sciences Bowl or Orca Bowl.

Held on the University of Washington's Seattle campus, this Jeopardy-style academic competition attracts teams from across the state. The winning team will receive an all-expenses paid trip to Seward, Alaska, and the chance to compete in the national competition held in April.

Comprised of four students and one alternate, the Castle Rock team will answer rapid-fire questions about the biology, chemistry, geology, physics, history and economics of the ocean.

Join us in cheering on the Castle Rock High School students at this year's Orca Bowl!

**When: Saturday, February 9, from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.**

**Where: South Campus Center, University of Washington, Seattle**

*The National Ocean Sciences Bowl is a program of the Consortium for Oceanographic Research & Education (CORE), based in Washington, DC. Approximately 2,000 students from over 400 high schools participated in regional competitions this year. Through this educational forum, the NOSB strives to encourage and support the next generation of*

*marine scientists, policy makers, teachers, explorers, researchers, technicians, environmental advocates and informed citizens.*

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