

TIMELINE

August 2011	Booklist Recommendations Website open to suggestions for next year's titles
August 2011 through September 2011	Join NCSLMA
September 2011 through October 2011	System Level planning School Level planning Regional organizational meeting Conduct staff and student orientations Prepare practice questions Begin reading
September 26, 2011	Compliance forms due to regional coordinators
October 6-8, 2011	Attend NCSLMA Conference – Winston-Salem, NC
November 2011 through December 2011	Read and practice with teams
January 2012	Organize system level contests, invite officials, select site Read and organize practice sessions
February 2012	Read and practice
February 3, 2012	Booklist Recommendations Website closes
February 6 – March 9, 2012	System Level competitions
March 12, 2012	Final deadline to send names of winning team members to regional coordinator by March 12, 2012
March 14 - April 18, 2012	Regional competitions
March 2012	NCSLMA Middle School State Battle of the Books Committee selects booklist
March 30, 2012	New booklist announced by NCSLMA Middle School State Battle of the Books Committee
April 19, 2012	Final deadline to send list of regional team members to NCSLMA Middle School State Battle of the Books committee
TBA	NCSLMA Middle School State Battle of the Books Competition Evaluation form due at the conclusion of the competition.