

Sample Email to School Districts

FIRST ROBOTICS - TEAM 1676

Dear xxxx,

My name is xxxx and I am from the Pascack Pi-oneers, *FIRST* Robotics Competition (FRC) Team 1676. We are from the Pascack Valley Regional High School District in Montvale, NJ. *FIRST*, For Inspiration and Recognition of Science and Technology, was founded in 1989 by inventor Dean Kamen to create the next generation of thinkers, doers, and innovators. The Pascack Pi-oneers are entering their 13th year. Every year we build a new robot for competition, along with participating in many outreach/community service activities.

Spearheaded by The Pascack Pi-oneers, FRC teams across the state are helping to implement Mentor Based STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, and Math) Programs in underserved schools throughout the state of New Jersey. We are starting *FIRST* Tech Challenge (FTC) teams, as the cost and commitment for schools are significantly less than *FIRST* Robotic Competition teams. The goal is to provide students the opportunity to experience hands-on learning they may not have previously experienced.

The Pascack Pi-oneers are eager to schedule a visit to explain how FTC teams work, the benefits of mentorship, necessary funding, and further discuss how we can collaborate to make Mentor Based STEAM Programs a success. Please let us know of several convenient dates.

We are looking forward to working with you!

Thank you very much,

Name The Pascack Pi-oneers, FRC Team 1676

To learn more about FIRST, visit firstinspires.org. To learn more about The Pascack Pi-oneers, visit team1676.com



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We would like to schedule a visit to your school to present the benefit of these programs, provide a robot demonstration, and discuss how we can help implement Mentor Based STEAM Programs.

We are looking forward to working with you!

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