

The Big Bang Explore and Big Bang take-home challenge

Big Bang Explore is a visitor challenge, open to all visitors attending The Big Bang UK Young Scientists and Engineers Fair 2022. It consists of 2 parts:

- **The on-site challenge** – a series of questions that visitors can collect stickers for answering at the event (22 to 24 June 2022). Visitors can then tear-off the entry form, fill in their details, and post it into one of the entry boxes at the event, for a chance to win a daily prize. Winners are selected daily, at random.
- **The take-home challenge** – an optional challenge (unrelated to the on-site challenge) that all visitors can enter online, after attending the Fair. Those who did not complete the on-site challenge may still enter.

Rules, terms & conditions – on-site challenge

1. **How we use the data you provide:** We will only use the data you provide to administer your child/student's entry to the Big Bang Explore on-site activity. If you are the winner of a prize, we will contact your school / parent before passing on your details to the relevant prize provider (KiwiCo or iFLY). All data will be destroyed following the draw. For more information on how we process personal data please see our privacy policy: <https://www.thebigbang.org.uk/privacy-policy/>
2. Entry to Big Bang Explore is free and open to students of any age, studying in the UK only.
3. Students can only submit one on-site entry to Big Bang Explore.
4. Visitors must collect all the stickers and complete all the details asked for on the entry form, to enter the prize draw.
5. A daily winner will be randomly selected by an impartial party from the on-site entries submitted for each day. A reserve entry for each day will also be randomly selected by an impartial party.
6. The winner will be contacted via their school, by email or telephone. Home-schooled winners will be contacted by their parent or carer's email address.
7. In the event that we have been unable to contact the winner after a period of 14 days, the reserve entry for that day will be contacted and will be awarded the prize.

Rules, terms & conditions – take-home challenge

1. **How we use the data you provide:** We will only use the data you provide to administer your child/student's entry to the Big Bang Explore take-home activity, including sharing data with our Big Bang Explore judges. If your project is shortlisted or selected as the winner, we will contact you before sharing details of your student/child's entry on social media. If you are the winner of a prize, we will contact you before passing on your data and details of your student / child's entry to our panel of real-life scientists and engineers. For more information on how we process personal data please see our privacy policy: <https://www.thebigbang.org.uk/privacy-policy/>
2. Visitors who choose to submit an entry for the optional take-home part of the challenge do not need to have entered the on-site challenge in order to qualify
3. Entry to the take-home challenge is via an online form and all relevant information must be completed; incomplete entries will not be accepted
4. The online form must be sent from teachers, parents/carers, home educators or community group leaders, on behalf of the student
5. Entry to the take-home element of the challenge is open to students in years 7 – 11 (including Scotland and Northern Ireland equivalent), studying in the UK only. Entries may come from individuals or teams from the same educational institution.
6. Students can only enter one idea into the take-home challenge, either as an individual or as part of a team – via their teacher, parent/carer, home educator or community group leader.

Teachers and community group leaders may enter multiple teams per class/group, or 1 class may enter as a team.

7. The deadline to submit entries is Friday 15 July 2022
8. There will be 1 winning idea for the take-home challenge
9. Ideas will be reviewed and judged by an expert panel
10. Schools, parents/carer and community groups will be informed by email or phone call if they have supported a winning entry. Parents/carers will be contacted by phone or email. . The winner(s) will have their idea implemented at a future event, and get to ask questions to real-life planet-saving scientists and engineers.
11. Anonymised shortlisted and the winning entry may be promoted via Big Bang social media channels if the school, community group or parent/carer has opted into the consent clause on the submission form
12. All participating teams will be able to download a printable certificate from the website, once a winning idea has been selected