



## Preliminary Details

### **Preliminary Competition Dates**

The preliminaries will take place over two days. Teams will present on only one of the days.

December 7, 2009 – Aerospace Challenge Preliminary Competition DAY 1  
Arizona State University at the West Campus, Phoenix, AZ

December 8, 2009 – Aerospace Challenge Preliminary Competition DAY 2  
Arizona State University at the West Campus, Phoenix, AZ

### **Location**

Arizona State University at the West Campus  
4701 West Thunderbird Road  
Phoenix, AZ 85306

The competition will take place in the University Center Building (UCB).  
The event is being held in La Sala ballroom, which is on the first floor.

### **Parking**

One parking pass will be provided per team. Parking passes are numbered and cannot be replaced if lost or stole. The specific parking lot is TBD. Additional parking is available at a charge.

### **Lunch**

Lunch is provided for each student and coach. For individuals with dietary restrictions it is suggested that you bring your own lunch. All guests are responsible for their own meal. There is a cafeteria and vending machine in the same building as the competition.

### **What to Bring**

- Model & report
- Presentation board (optional)
- Parking pass

### **Suggested Items to Bring**

- Snacks
- Activities (small games, crossword puzzles, books, homework, etc.)
- Money (merchandise is available for purchase and there is a vending machine in the same building as the competition)

**Note:** All students will receive a t-shirt upon arrival at the competition

## Activities Available throughout the Day

- Microsoft Mission Control Area (various computer game)
- Viewing of Apollo 13
- Magician
- Inflatables at lunchtime
- Board game check-out
- Videogame truck
- Team photo stand
- Team quiz competition
- The Aerospace Shop

## Event Timeline

\*Note: times listed are subject to change.

7:00 a.m. – 8:00 a.m.	Team Registration
8:00 a.m.	Opening Remarks
8:15 a.m.	Judging begins
11:30 a.m. – 12:25 p.m.	Group 1 Lunch
12:30 p.m. – 1:30 p.	Group 2 Lunch
4:00 p.m.	Judging Complete
4:15 p.m.	Awards Ceremony

## Map to ASU at the West Campus

4701 W. Thunderbird Rd.  
Phoenix, AZ 85306  
(47<sup>th</sup> Avenue & Thunderbird Road)



## Driving Directions to ASU at the West Campus

ASU at the West Campus is located on West Thunderbird Road between 43rd and 51st Avenues.

### **From Phoenix Sky Harbor Airport**

Take I-10 West to I-17 North.  
Exit Thunderbird Rd. and turn left.  
Turn left onto 47th Ave.

### **From East Valley**

Take Loop 202 West to I-10 West.  
Take I-10 West to I-17 North.  
Exit Thunderbird Rd. and turn left.  
Turn left onto 47th Ave.

### **From Northeast Valley**

Take Loop 101 North to I-17.  
Take I-17 South to Thunderbird Rd. Exit Thunderbird Rd. and turn right.  
Take Thunderbird Rd. to the 47th Ave.

### **From Southeast Valley**

Take 60 West to I-10 West.  
Take I-10 West to I-17 North.  
Exit Thunderbird Rd. and turn left.  
Turn left onto 47th Ave.