# Barracoders Hackathon Rules/Guidelines

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# [School Name] Schoolwide Hackathon Rules and Guidelines

#### 1. General Rules

- 1. Eligibility:
  - The hackathon is open to any student attending Beachside Highschool and has no Referrals.

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#### 2. Team Composition:

- Teams may consist of 2 to 6 members.
- Participants may join only one team.

#### 3. Registration:

- Teams must register by February 11th .
- Registration includes Signing up through a google form and signing the agreement to the terms and regulations.

#### 4. Event Conduct:

- Participants must adhere to the school's code of conduct and respect all event staff and fellow participants.
- Any form of harassment, discrimination, or unethical behavior will not be tolerated.

#### 5. Project Requirements:

- All projects must be original and created during the hackathon.
- Projects should focus on the given prompt and should not include content that is offensive or inappropriate.
- Prompt will be sent out on February 18th at 4:10 pm

### 6. Tools and Resources:

- Participants are allowed to use w3schools, creative commons works, and are responsible for any necessary licenses or permissions.
- External code libraries and resources are permitted as long as they are appropriately cited.

# 7. Submission Guidelines:

- Projects must be submitted by February 25th by 4:00pm.
- Submission includes Powerpoint Presentation, Source Code hosting on a hosting site (i.e. Glitch, Replit. Github).
- Teams must provide a brief project description and project name.

# 2. Judging Criteria

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- 1. Innovation:
  - Originality and creativity of the idea or solution.
- 2. Functionality:
  - Technical feasibility and functionality of the project.

# 3. Design and Usability:

- User interface design and overall user experience.
- 4. **Presentation:** 
  - Clarity and effectiveness of the project presentation and demonstration.
- 5. Impact:
  - Potential real-world impact and relevance of the project.

#### 3. Code of Conduct

#### 1. Respect:

• Treat all participants, judges, and mentors with respect and courtesy.

#### 2. Collaboration:

• Foster a collaborative environment and support fellow participants.

#### 3. Integrity:

- Maintain honesty in all aspects of the competition, including originality and teamwork.
- Plagiarism will not be allowed and will be reprimanded

#### 4. Compliance:

• Follow all event rules and guidelines, including those related to use of technology and resources.

#### 4. Disqualification

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#### 1. Reasons for Disqualification:

- Violation of event rules or code of conduct.
- Plagiarism or use of unauthorized resources.
- Submission of inappropriate or offensive content.
- Submission of Malware

#### 2. **Process:**

- Any disqualification decision will be made by the judging panel or event organizers.
- Teams will be notified of disqualification and given an opportunity to appeal if applicable.

#### **5. Intellectual Property**

#### 1. Ownership:

- Participants retain ownership of their projects and intellectual property.
- By participating, participants grant Beachside Highschool and the Barracoders Club the right to use and showcase their projects for promotional and educational purposes.

#### 2. Attribution:

• Proper attribution must be given for any third-party resources used in the project.

#### 6. Health and Safety

#### 1. Health Guidelines:

• Follow any applicable health and safety guidelines, including those related to COVID-19 or other health concerns.

#### 2. Emergency Procedures:

• Familiarize yourself with emergency procedures and contact information for the event location.

#### 7. Contact Information

- For any questions or concerns regarding the rules and guidelines, please contact:
  - **Event Coordinator:** Joshua Worthington
  - **Email:**joshuatw423@gmail.com
  - **Phone Number:** 904-808-2749

