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**Solve
for Tomorrow**

Entry Pack

2024/25





THE SCHOOL

Is your school The School for Tomorrow?

Every year students compete in Solve for Tomorrow to develop projects involving STEM thinking to address modern issues. This year's themes are sustainability, health and equity-seeking groups. We are inviting teams from grades 6 to 12 in schools across Canada to try bold ideas they believe might help our planet and its people - from mental wellness to environmental sustainability and access to resources.

FOR TOMORROW

How to apply

To apply for the contest, form a team of up to 50 students from your school, sponsored by one of the school's teachers – who will submit your entry. You will need to answer three questions.

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What is the local community challenge your students have identified within one of the three entry categories?

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What is your students' proposed STEM solution to the challenge they have identified?

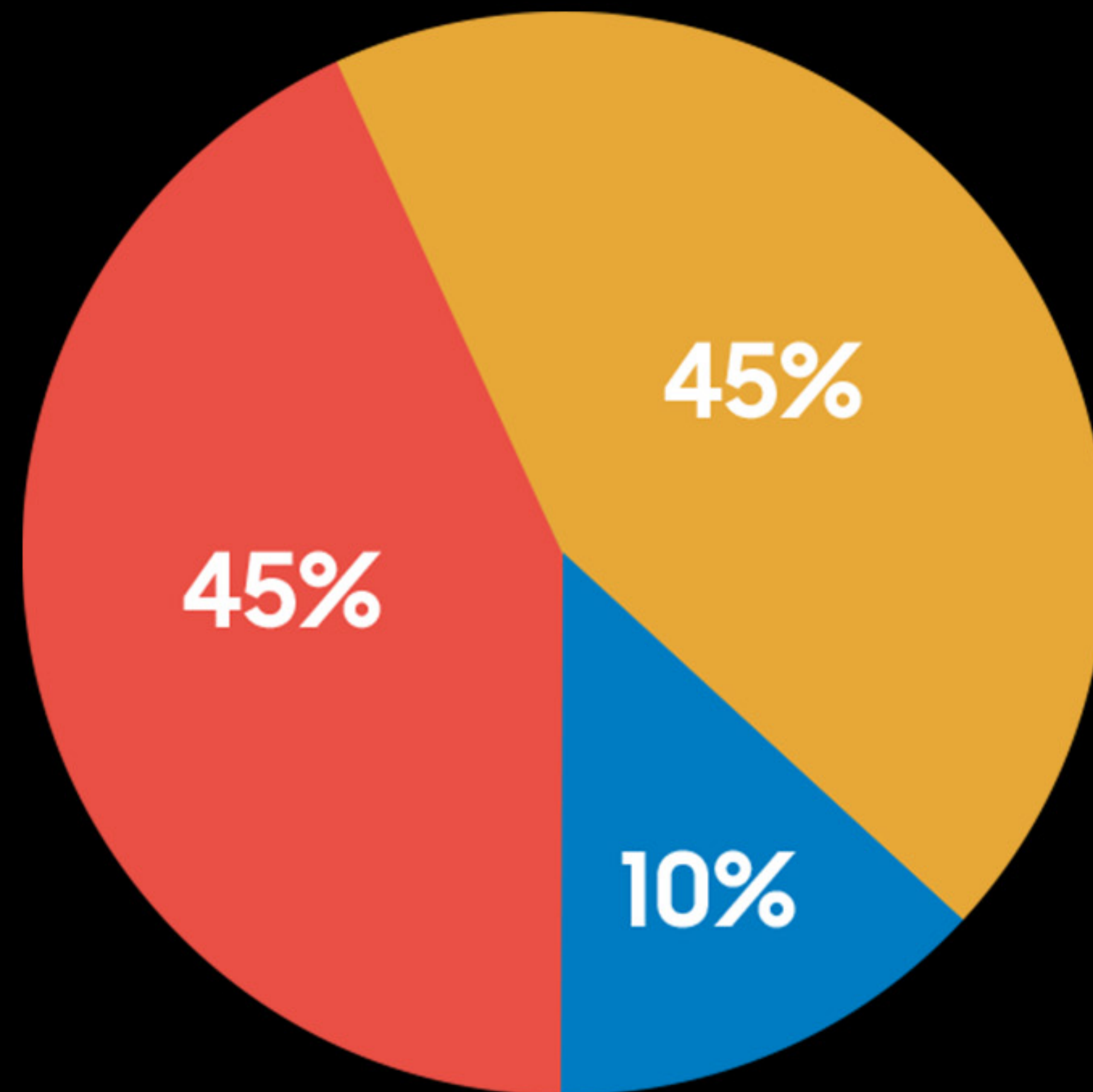
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How will your students' STEM solution be sustainable and successful?

How entries are judged

The judges will evaluate entries to the contest based on this weighting of criteria:

-  Quality of content and adherence to theme/questions
-  Inclusion of specific points and/or examples illustrating the answer
-  Writing style and grammar



You could win

Twelve Regional Finalist teams from Phase 1 will each receive \$2,500 in Samsung vouchers to purchase Samsung technology or select Samsung products. In Phase 2, the four National Finalist teams will each win \$5,000 in Samsung vouchers for their schools. Grand Prize gets \$50,000 in Samsung vouchers, with 2nd and 3rd place taking \$10,000 toward Samsung technology. The public also gets the chance to vote for their favourite Solve for Tomorrow finalist, and the most popular entry will win an additional \$5,000 voucher for their school.



Grand Prize

\$50,000 in Samsung vouchers and/or Samsung products



2nd and 3rd Prizes

\$10,000 each in Samsung vouchers and/or Samsung products



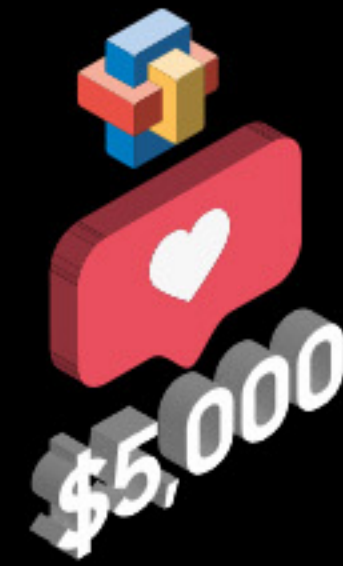
National Finalists

4 prizes of \$5,000 in Samsung vouchers and/or Samsung products



Regional Finalists

12 prizes of \$2,500 in Samsung vouchers and/or Samsung products



Fan Favourite

\$5,000 in Samsung vouchers and/or Samsung products

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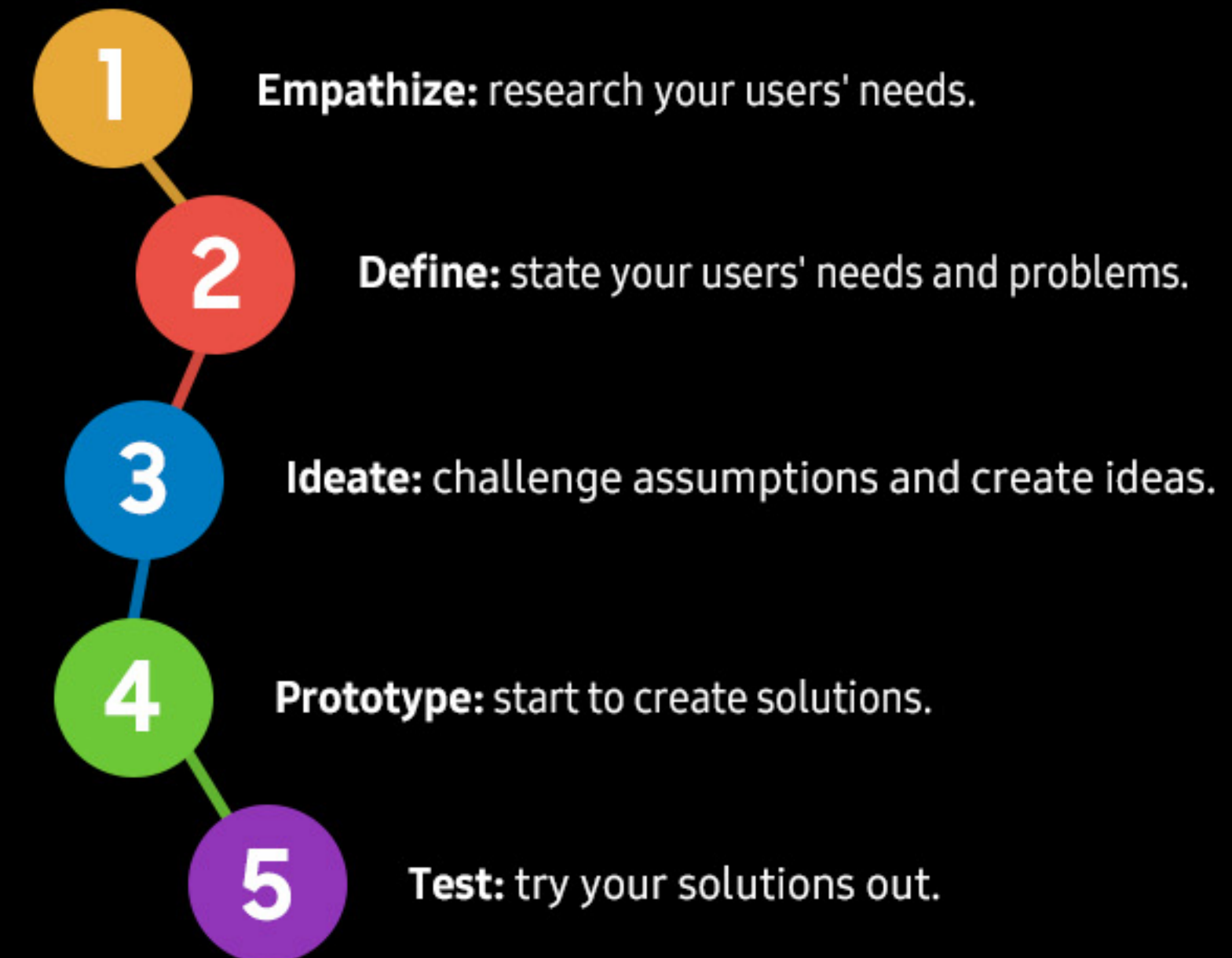
For your inspiration

We have free lesson plans and thought-starting materials for contest entrants. Get yours at the Solve for Tomorrow website. Here is a small sampling from our “Spark Deck”:

Design Thinking

A great idea can come from anywhere. The Design Thinking process* can help refine your idea and bring it to life. The five stages are:

*Hasso Plattner Institute of Design. “An Introduction to Design Thinking PROCESS GUIDE” Stanford University, <https://web.stanford.edu/~mshanks/MichaelShanks/files/509554.pdf> Accessed 10 November 2023.



2023-24 Winners



St. Mary-St. Cecilia Catholic School

Congratulations again to the winners of Solve for Tomorrow 2023-24, St. Mary-St. Cecilia Catholic School. Their proposal of a hydrogen generator for better energy management was an exceptional example of critical and creative thinking, communication and collaboration to create meaningful impact in the community.

→ [Learn more about 2023-24 Winners](#)

Learn more:

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Details:

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Help make a difference
in your community

Learn how to
collaborate in a team

Benefit from industry
expert mentorship

Enjoy access to
Samsung's resources

Gain problem-solving experience

Be recognized for your efforts

Aim to make your school famous

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