The Regional Brain Bee is the first round in an international competition for high school students in grades 9 to 12 testing their knowledge in the field of neuroscience. All questions are derived from the book *Brain Facts*, published by the Society of Neuroscience and can be downloaded for free at: http://www.brainfacts.org/about-neuroscience/brain-facts-book/. The competition involves Regional Brain Bees held throughout the United States and the world in January and February. Regional winners from the United States travel to Maryland to compete in the National Brain Bee.

**Prizes:**
- **First Place Winner:** $300 plus travel funds (in accordance with university policy) for winner and parent/guardian to attend the National Brain Bee Competition in Maryland in March.
- **Second Place Winner:** $200
- **Third Place Winner:** $100

Space is limited and advance registration is required. Applications will be accepted through **Monday, January 25, 2016**. To become a contestant in the Central New Jersey Regional Brain Bee visit [http://rwjms.rutgers.edu/departments_institutes/neuroscience/BrainBee/BrainBee.html](http://rwjms.rutgers.edu/departments_institutes/neuroscience/BrainBee/BrainBee.html) for registration information and event details.

**Lunch will be provided.**

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**Invitation to High School Students Grades 9 - 12**

**2016 Central New Jersey Regional Brain Bee Competition**

**Date:** Saturday, February 6, 2016

**Time:** 10 AM – 3 PM

**Location:** Rutgers Robert Wood Johnson Medical School
675 Hoes Lane West – Piscataway, NJ

**Hosted by:** The Department of Neuroscience and Cell Biology
Rutgers Robert Wood Johnson Medical School

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