

Question 1	response 1
Will a list of robot moves per grade be provided?	Yes, any color code is a robot move
If we have a Evo from a few years ago, how do we update it for the new color codes?	If you had an old ozobot, it was likely updated. You can check the firmware or bring it to the library for the ozobot tune up
Can we practice with color code magnets?	Yes, you can use for practice only. They are a good resource, but limited in their capability for making creative paths and you can't drive the robot on and off the magnet squares.
Any suggestions about combining (or eliminating) some of the online lessons if we have less than 10 practices?	The lessons are very short and can be combined. First 10 lessons will get you everything you need to know
My kid has mild color deficiency. Is it possible to label the markers in case he has trouble identify them?	Let WESO know and we will have accommodations of labeled markers are available
why offer the color stickers if they come with penalty?	They are offered for practice to minimize frustration. This opportunity in competition is to help kids finish and would rather take the penalty to finish.
Why markers? What does penmanship have to do with robotics?	Penmanship is needed to be able to code without a computer. Impact of bad penmanship by grading based on correctness.
Can prior year written questions be provided to be fair to school that didn't have teams or students those years?	It is WESO policy not to share previous year tests, example questions can be found in the detailed event description
How often do tie breakers have to be used?	Often, top teams often need to go by markers and time
So Pittsfield 1/31 is when we do pickup of materials?	Yes, head coaches Saturday, January 31, 2026, from 10:30 AM – 12:00 PM Pittsfield Branch of the Ann Arbor District Library
I don't see a channel yet for iRobot on Discord. Am I missing something?	The discord channel for each event will be live after the coaches meet
I am coaching only one student, no team at all, will there be enough time for him?	It is possible to have a one student team
Will there be help if the student doesn't understand some words in the task background story?	Yes
Is the calibration just a firmware update or is it more involved?	A firmware update is only needed every few years. However, calibration is telling the ozobot what you want "true black" to be. This should be done multiple times during your sessions, depending on lighting conditions. Also if your ozobot is acting up, calibrating it often solves issues. Please see the ozobot resources on how to calibrate your bot. Kids can easily learn how to do it.