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# SBC Community Connections

Program	Year Estab.	Partner(s)	Volunteers	2015-16 Numbers
<b>CreativeCon</b> <i>FKA Creativity Festival</i> Grades 6-8	1995	Science Museum of Minnesota	80 community volunteers	993 students 62 schools 11 districts
<b>Creativity Festival</b> Grades 3-5	1995	University of Minnesota	40 community volunteers	1224 students 59 schools 11 districts
<b>Future City Competition</b> Grades 6-8	2000	American Society of Civil Engineers-Minnesota Section; DiscoverE; Dunwoody College of Technology	200+ community volunteers (engineers and other professionals with technical backgrounds)	≈500 students 61 teams including 7 teams from Greater Minnesota 41 schools
<b>Middle Grades Knowledge Bowl</b> Grades 6-8	2006	Metro area middle schools; Minnesota Service Cooperatives	10-20 community volunteers	≈700 students 122 teams 34 schools 13 districts
<b>Senior High Knowledge Bowl</b> Grades 9-12	1979 (In MN)	Metro area high schools; Minnesota Service Cooperatives	10-20 community volunteers	≈600 students 130 teams 32 schools 20 districts <i>944 teams/275 high schools across MN</i>
<b>STEMLink</b> Grades 5-6	2014	Minnesota State Colleges and Universities System: Normandale Community College; Century College	College STEM faculty and staff; student volunteers; 100 community and industry volunteers	900 students 36 schools 14 districts
<b>Young Authors Conference</b> Grades 4-8	1990	Bethel University. Red Balloon Bookshop	125 community volunteers	4,306 students 156 schools 29 districts