

## ENVIROTHON

Organized and locally sponsored by Soil and Water Conservation Districts around the nation, the Envirothon is a program for high school students designed to cultivate a desire to learn more about our natural resources and environmental issues through competitive events. Student teams must work together to answer test questions in the areas of soil, forestry, aquatics, wildlife, and a current environmental topic. Teams are also scored on a prepared oral presentation. Winning teams from around the state have an opportunity to participate in the State Envirothon, with state winners advancing to the national competition. The SouthWest Minnesota area competition and the Minnesota state competition are held in May. Additional information can be found at <http://www.envirothon.org/>.