



Kentucky Business Education Association

Keyboarding Contest

2025

AWARDS

- 1st place – \$50 Amazon gift card
- 2nd place – \$25 Amazon gift card
- \$25 Amazon gift card drawing for any student achieving 60 NWAM

CONTEST

- Two students from each level (intermediate/middle, high school) will receive award.
- Winner will be determined by the highest net words a minute (NWAM).
- Student with highest NWAM will be the overall winner and receive an additional prize.

PROCEDURES

- Three-minute timed writing must be completed using www.freetypinggame.net which automatically imprints the speed and errors on a certificate.
 - Backspacing is allowed
 - Software figures net words a minute (NWAM)
 - May choose one or two spaces after periods
- Submit certificate printout with application.
- Send entries to designated individual with application from sponsoring KBEA member.

ELIGIBILITY

- State of Kentucky intermediate, middle, or high school students
- Contestants must be sponsored by a current KBEA member
- One entry for Highest NWAM per KBEA member. Each KBEA member may have multiple entries for scores 60 NWAM and above for \$25 Amazon card drawing.

TIME FRAME

- Sponsoring KBEA Member must be a member before April 1, 2025.
- Certificate and registration form are due by May 1, 2024.

AWARD PRESENTATION

- Winners will be announced by May 9th and mailed their awards.
- Gift cards will be mailed to sponsoring teacher at their school.
- Recognition of winners will also be announced at Summer Conference.



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Registration Form 2025

HIGHEST NWAM STUDENT INFORMATION

Student: _____

School: _____

School Address: _____

City/ZIP: _____

Principal: _____

NWAM: _____ Grade: _____ Business Class: _____

Level (circle): Intermediate/Middle School High School

SPONSORING TEACHER INFORMATION

Teacher: _____

E-mail: _____

Phone: _____

3-MINUTE TIMED WRITING INSTRUCTIONS

1. Go to www.freotypinggame.net
2. Choose Free Typing Test
3. Choose Free Certificate Test
4. Use Classic Tales #27 and a 3-minute timed writing
5. Before choosing **Start**, check box to left of Start if you want two (2) spaces after periods
6. Print Certificate
 - Submit certificate printout with application
 - Entries must be **postmarked** or **emailed** by **May 1, 2025**
 - Send entries to:
Ignite Academy North Campus
Attn: Jess Thompson
2075 Merchant Drive
Richmond, KY 40475
 - You may also scan and email entries to: jess.thompson@madison.kyschools.us
 - Awards will be announced and mailed out by May 9, 2025.

SPONSORING TEACHER VERIFICATION

I verify that I am a current member of KBEA as of April 1, 2025.

Signature: _____

Date: _____