Here are some easy things you can still do to get ready to successfully model the Challenge problem—*in just a few hours*:

- Watch the “What is Math Modeling?” video series ...................... **SEVEN VIDEOS @ 3 MINUTES EACH = 21 MINUTES**
- Watch the “Teaching Math Modeling” video series .................... **THREE VIDEOS @ 9 MINUTES EACH = 27 MINUTES**
- Read the winning solutions posted from the most recent Challenge .................. **SEVERAL @ 20 MINUTES EACH**
- Read the judge perspective after perusing solutions .......................... **SEVERAL @ 20 MINUTES EACH**
- Read the Official Rules and Guidelines. This will help you keep the most important things to consider over Challenge weekend fresh in your mind and keep you from making avoidable mistakes .......................................................... **ABOUT 10 MINUTES**
- Review the Tips and Guidance page, particularly the advice from various perspectives, most of which pertains to Challenge weekend ............................................ **ABOUT 10 MINUTES**
- Plan your work time for Challenge weekend—what is a good time-frame for your team? Plan for snacks, needed devices and programs, etc.  *(TEAM GROUP CHAT, ANYONE?)*
- Review *Math Modeling: Getting started and Getting Solutions* handbook and its associated flashcards for the modeling process (freely downloadable online) .............................. **60+ MINUTES**
- Complete the parental consent—before Challenge weekend!  .............................................................. **1 MINUTE**

**TOTAL = LESS THAN 3 HOURS!**

What are you waiting for? Get started today!

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