



DULUTH, MN – 7, February, 2026 – Build Week Four

DNA has been hard at work for build week number four. On Wednesday some of DNA's students ran a table at Denfeld's 8th grade orientation. This event includes giving away robotics themed bracelets made by the team, as well as showing off a few of their previous robots by demonstrating them and playing catch with some of the students at the event. The goal of their participation in this event is to attract interested incoming freshmen to the team.

DNA's business department has been working hard in all different areas. Graphic design has been designing this year's team pins. They have a variety of pins ranging from archeology to some fun ones. Media has made great strides in their efforts to finalize their Impact Award, completing their essay and are now starting on the video portion. DNA captains came together to work on the team's submission for the Woodie Flowers Award, an award dedicated to honoring a mentor that truly embodies the spirit of FIRST.

The build team has been busy integrating prototypes and ensuring each system seamlessly works with the rest of the robot. Their CAD team has been working diligently to finalize the robot design and layout. The programming sub team has been working to calibrate their robot's turret so they can shoot game pieces while moving. The strategy sub team has been hard at work brainstorming various match strategies for their robot during their first competition.

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