Good day, Warden!

Your love for wildlife and natural resources has instilled within you the will to be an excellent role model for hunters. For that reason, you became a game warden with a strong ethical code and passion for wildlife conservation. On the job, you ensure hunters are following the laws and protect people in the unpredictable elements of the outdoors. Thanks to you, you and your comrades will be able to nail your answers in the Hunter Safety Quiz Bowl.

To prepare yourselves for the Hunter Safety Quiz Bowl, your team will assemble a study guide filled with hunter safety tips. Your team may use your study guide anytime during the quiz bowl to solve questions and become champions of hunter safety. So the more you research and organize your study guide, the more likely your team will succeed. The team who solves the most answers first will be the victor!

Consider researching about the following firearm safety topics to create a brilliant study guide for the quiz bowl:

- Begin your research by visiting: https://www.hunter-ed.com/national/ and clicking the “Study Guide” tab button.
- What is the benefit to having hunting laws?
- How are hunting laws passed?
- Choose an animal and find your state’s hunting laws for that animal. What is the daily bag limit for that animal and what does that mean?
- What is a seasonal limit? And why do we have seasonal limits for animals?
- What is the hunter’s ethical code?
- What do hunter ethics preserve?
- What are the five stages of hunter development?
- What are the four key parts to preparing for a hunting trip?
- What is the hunting plan?
- What kind of clothing should hunters wear?
- What are the rules of survival?
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- How do hunters prevent hypothermia? Frostbite? Heat exhaustion?
- What is first aid and why should hunters take a course in it?
- What is the North American Model of Wildlife Conservation?
- What is the biological carrying capacity? What happens if too many animals are removed from the population?
- What are the causes of threatened or endangered species?
- What does good wildlife management yield?
- What is the hunter’s role in wildlife conservation?
- What is the Pittman-Robertson Act?

Discuss your findings with your other team mates. As a group, create a study guide that will help your team answer questions in the Hunter Safety Quiz Bowl. Be creative with your study guide and include drawings, diagrams, paper cut-outs, organization tabs, color coding, an index, and more! Anything to make your team understand the material better. And remember: the more information and time your group takes to organize the material in your study guide, the more likely you will be able to remember or find answers during the challenge.

Best of luck to your team!