EAST CENTRAL INDIANA REGIONAL SCIENCE FAIR
February 22, 2025
ELEMENTARY DIVISION WINNERS

HONORABLE MENTION	
STUDENT NAME	**STUDENT SCHOOL**
Asher Swafford	Hibberd Intermediate School
Morgan Lee	Hibberd Intermediate School

THIRD PLACE	
STUDENT NAME	**STUDENT SCHOOL**
Franni Braun	Monroe Central Elementary School
Emilee Hardesty	Albany Elementary School
Anna Trappe	Yorktown Elementary School

SECOND PLACE	
STUDENT NAME	**STUDENT SCHOOL**
McKinley Shively	Eastern Elementary School
Ethan Vail	Centerville-Abington Elementary School
Addlie Off	Eastern Elementary School

FIRST PLACE	
STUDENT NAME	**STUDENT SCHOOL**
Calvin Glynn	Hibberd Intermediate School
Sadie Weeks	Eastern Elementary School
Brij Bakshi	Hibberd Intermediate School

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JUNIOR DIVISION WINNERS

Animal Sciences (ANIM)		
1st	Cadley Boocher	Frankton Elementary School

Behavioral and Social Sciences (BEHA)		
HM	Braelynn Petty	Saint Mary School
3rd	Kaylee Chung	Saint Mary School
2nd	Dallas Weiger	Eastside Elementary School
1st	Aurora Nicholes	Hibberd Intermediate School

Biochemistry (BCHM)		
3rd	Miles Costerison	Daleville Elementary School
2nd	Skye Poorman	Daleville Elementary School
1st	Cassie Ulrey	Heritage Hall Inc

Biomedical and Health Sciences (BMED)		
HM	Leland Taylor	Elwood Intermediate School
3rd	Taylor Tice	Centerville-Abington Elementary School
2nd	Erebus Wilson	Hibberd Intermediate School
1st	Lucas Tracy	Saint Mary School

Chemistry (CHEM)		
HM	Octavia Stinson	Saint Mary School
3rd	Kenna Stafford	Saint Mary School
2nd	Levi Turman	St Elizabeth Ann Seton E & W
1st	Oliver Sparks	Saint Mary School

Earth and Environmental Science (EAEV)		
HM	Myles Schultz	Saint Mary School
3rd	Kyleigh Cones	Centerville-Abington Elementary School
2nd	Eeshaani Verma	Hibberd Intermediate School
1st	Bailey Van Hoover	Frankton Elementary School

Energy: Sustainable Materials and Design (EGSD)		
HM	Sam Hokey	Hagerstown Elementary School
3rd	Gage Jackson	Saint Mary School
2nd	Reis Jackson	Saint Mary School
1st	Jude Southerland	Hibberd Intermediate School

Engineering Technology: Static and Dynamics (ETSD)		
HM	Aubrey Pope	Hagerstown Elementary School
3rd	Allen Catey	Hagerstown Elementary School
2nd	Caden King	Hagerstown Elementary School
1st	Hunter Irvin	Royerton Elementary School

Mathematics (MATH)		
1st	Logan Turner	Centerville-Abington Elementary School

Materials Science (MATS)		
HM	Jackie Heiser	Elwood Intermediate School
3rd	Keeley McFadden	Eastside Elementary School
2nd	Brecken Billin	Eastside Elementary School
1st	Corbin Perryman	Eastern Elementary School

Microbiology (MCRO)		
3rd	Adrin Milhollin	Monroe Central Elementary School
2nd	Olamide Benedict-Araba	Hibberd Intermediate School
1st	Nadia Bakshi	Hibberd Intermediate School

Physics and Astronomy (PHYS)		
HM	Mercy Oladunjoye	Northside Middle School
3rd	Nolan Sparks	Elwood Intermediate School
2nd	Charlie Noll	Saint Mary School
1st	Zain Nasir	Yorktown Middle School

Plant Sciences (PLNT)		
HM	Grayson Harris	Saint Mary School
3rd	Adelyn Ravenscroft	Daleville Elementary School
2nd	Mason Tidrow	Centerville-Abington Elementary School
1st	William Hinshaw	Monroe Central Elementary School

Robotics and Embedded Systems (ROBO)		
1st	Dallas Pierce	Saint Mary School

Systems Software (SOFT)		
1st	Karis Warnock Black	Eastern Elementary School

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SENIOR DIVISION WINNERS

Animal Science (ANIM)		
1st	Samuel Martin	Northwestern Sr High School

Biochemistry (BCHM)		
2nd	Ishan Ramrakhiani	Canterbury School
1st	Craig Ulrey	Heritage Hall Inc

Earth and Environmental Sciences (EAEV)		
1st	Zaina Nasir	Yorktown High School

Microbiology (MCRO)		
1st	Emmalene Jones	Muncie Central High School

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SPECIAL AWARDS

Elementary Only Awards

ELEMENTARY - BEST POSTER AWARD - An award goes to one student in grades 3rd and 4th grade who have the best looking poster.

STUDENT NAME	STUDENT SCHOOL
3RD GRADE	
Harper Rodriguez	Yorktown Elementary School
4TH GRADE	
McKinley Shively	Eastern Elementary

ELEMENTARY - BEST PRESENTER AWARD - An award goes to one student in grades 3rd and 4th grade who do the best job presenting their project.

STUDENT NAME	STUDENT SCHOOL
3RD GRADE	
Ethan Vail	Centerville-Abington Elementary School
4TH GRADE	
Addlie Off	Eastern Elementary School

ELEMENTARY - MOST UNIQUE PROJECT - An award goes to one student in grades 3rd and 4th grade who project was the most unique project this year.

STUDENT NAME	STUDENT SCHOOL
3RD GRADE	
Cameron Sickmann	Hibberd Intermediate School
4TH GRADE	
Sadie Weeks	Eastern Elementary School

MOST OUTSTANDING PROJECT IN THE ELEMENTARY DIVISION - The East Central Indiana Regional Science Fair award goes to the best overall exhibits in the elementary grade division.

STUDENT NAME (ELEMENTARY)	STUDENT SCHOOL
Sadie Weeks	Eastern Elementary School

Elementary, Junior, and Senior Division Awards

BALL STATE WILDLIFE AND ECOLOGY AWARD - The BSU Student Chapter of The Wildlife Society presents this award to recognize an elementary, junior, and high school project that shows exemplary science related to Wildlife, Zoology, or Ecology.

STUDENT NAME (ELEMENTARY)	STUDENT SCHOOL
Brij Bakshi	Hibberd Intermediate School
STUDENT NAME (JUNIOR)	**STUDENT SCHOOL**
Cadley Boocher	Frankton Elementary School
STUDENT NAME (SENIOR)	**STUDENT SCHOOL**
Samuel Martin	Northwestern Sr High School

PURDUE COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE AWARD - A certificate is awarded to the elementary, junior, and senior division winners for a project that relates to food, agriculture, or natural resources. Only the senior winner will receive a certificate and a monetary award.

STUDENT NAME (ELEMENTARY)	STUDENT SCHOOL
Brij Bakshi	Hibberd Intermediate School
STUDENT NAME (JUNIOR)	**STUDENT SCHOOL**
Aubrey Pope	Hagerstown Elementary School
STUDENT NAME (SENIOR)	**STUDENT SCHOOL**
Zaina Nasir	Yorktown High School

BOTANY AWARD, BSU - The Ball State University Department of Biology offers a certificate and a plant kit to the best botanical project in each division (senior, junior, and elementary).

STUDENT NAME (JUNIOR)	STUDENT SCHOOL
William Hinshaw	Monroe Central Elementary School

Elementary, Junior, and Senior Division Eligible Awards

AAUW - AAUW believes that together we can transform society for the better and hence the Muncie Branch of AAUW will recognize 3 participants in each division: elementary, junior, and senior for research projects that best support the following Indiana AAUW public policies:

Indiana AAUW promotes the social and economic well-being of all.
Indiana AAUW promotes the health and well-being of all.
Indiana AAUW recognized the importance of protecting the environment.

STUDENT NAME (ELEMENTARY)	STUDENT SCHOOL
Brij Bakshi	Hibberd Intermediate School
STUDENT NAME (JUNIOR)	**STUDENT SCHOOL**
Aubrey Pope	Hagerstown Elementary School
STUDENT NAME (SENIOR)	**STUDENT SCHOOL**
Emmalene Jones	Muncie Central High School

AMERICAN PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION - The American Psychological Association (APA) Education Directorate is pleased to award one certificate recognizing outstanding research in psychological science under the category of behavioral and social sciences or any category related to psychology (e.g., animal sciences, biomedical and health sciences, translational medical science).

STUDENT NAME	STUDENT SCHOOL
Aurora Nicholes	Hibberd Intermediate School

ASSOCIATION FOR WOMEN GEOSCIENTISTS - The Association for Women Geoscientists (AWG) is pleased to provide an Award Certificate to female students whose projects, in the opinion of the judges, exemplify high standards of innovativeness and scientific excellence in the geosciences.

STUDENT NAME	STUDENT SCHOOL
Zaina Nasir	Yorktown High School

U.S. METRIC ASSOCIATION - Research should involve quantitative measurements and use the International System of Units (SI), commonly known as the metric system. The subject of the project should not be the SI system itself.

STUDENT NAME	STUDENT SCHOOL
Lucas Tracy	Saint Mary School

Junior and Senior Division Only Awards

ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE - The BSU Department of Environment, Geology and Natural Resources offers a certificate to the best overall exhibitor in Junior and Senior Environmental project.

STUDENT NAME (JUNIOR)	STUDENT SCHOOL
Bailey Van Hoover	Frankton Elementary School

BALL STATE UNIVERSITY AMERICAN FISHERIES SOCIETY - Certificates are presented to the best overall project related to aquatic biology and fisheries in the senior and junior divisions.

STUDENT NAME (JUNIOR)	STUDENT SCHOOL
Myles Schultz	Saint Mary School
STUDENT NAME (SENIOR)	**STUDENT SCHOOL**
Zaina Nasir	Yorktown High School

Junior Division Only Awards

THERMO FISHER YOUNG INNOVATORS CHALLENGE (4) - Thermo Fisher Scientific Junior Innovators Challenge (JIC) is intended to encourage, reward and celebrate the mastery of science, technology, engineering and math among a fair's 6th, 7th and 8th grade science fair participants.

STUDENT NAME	STUDENT SCHOOL
Zain Nasir	Yorktown Middle School
Cassie Ulrey	Heritage Hall Inc
Corbin Perryman	Eastern Elementary School
William Hinshaw	Monroe Central Elementary School

Senior Division Only Awards

SOCIETY FOR IN VITRO BIOLOGY - The Society for In Vitro Biology (SIVB) provides one (1) award at each Regional/State ISEF Competition. It is intended that this recognition be awarded to the most outstanding 11th grade student exhibiting in the areas of plant or animal in vitro biology or tissue culture.

STUDENT NAME	STUDENT SCHOOL
Samuel Martin	Northwestern Sr High School

YALE SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING ASSOCIATION - It is intended that this recognition be awarded to the most outstanding 11th grade project exhibiting in the areas of Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics. In extraordinary cases it may be awarded to a 10th or 12th grade project.

STUDENT NAME	STUDENT SCHOOL
Emmalene Jones	Muncie Central High School

U.S. STOCKHOLM JUNIOR - The Stockholm Junior Water Prize (SJWP) is the most prestigious international award for a water-related science project at the high school level.

STUDENT NAME (SENIOR)	STUDENT SCHOOL
Zaina Nasir	Yorktown High School

RICOH USA, INC. - The Ricoh Sustainable Development Award (RSDA) Certificate, is to recognize the senior division student(s), whose outstanding project addresses social and environmental challenges and a meaningful solution for a more sustainable future.

STUDENT NAME	STUDENT SCHOOL
Samuel Martin	Northwestern Sr High School

REGENERON BIOMEDICAL SCIENCE AWARD - Society for Science is proud to partner with Regeneron to inspire and celebrate the next generation of biomedical scientific heroes. The Regeneron Biomedical Science Award, sponsored by Regeneron, is a $375 award to be given at Society-affiliated science fairs in the United States and its territories in 2023.

STUDENT NAME	STUDENT SCHOOL
Ishan Ramrakhiani	Canterburn School

UNITED STATES NAVY/MARINE CORPS AWARDS - The Office of Naval Research provides a certificate for the Naval Science Award.

STUDENT NAME (ELEMENTARY)	STUDENT SCHOOL
Cara Blunk	Crestdale Elementary School
STUDENT NAME (JUNIOR)	**STUDENT SCHOOL**
Reis Jackson	Saint Mary School
STUDENT NAME (SENIOR)	**STUDENT SCHOOL**
Craig Ulrey	Heritage Hall Inc
Sam Martin	Northwestern Sr High School

DAVID W. AND N. MAXINE FORD MEMORIAL AWARD - The David W. and N. Maxine Ford awards remember the memory of a Patriarch and Matriarch of the David Ford Family. David was a Masters' Degree'd Electrical Engineer who designed radios, communications equipment and other electronics at Collins Radio, Philco/Ford and Magnavox (in Fort Wayne). He was privileged to help design, assemble and apply radios in the X-15 Rocket-plane program. The X-15 was flown by future first-man-on-the-moon, Neil Armstrong, so my father was part of the team that provided NASA and its pilots with technology for their missions. The Mach-6 x-15 was the highest flying vehicle until the space program. David was the best engineer I've ever known and the finest father who always had time to answer my questions. It was very rare that he couldn't answer them immediately. On those rare occasions, he'd say, "Let's talk about that tomorrow night," and by tomorrow night he was an expert on the subject. I don't know how he did it, but he always did. Maxine, my mother (she went by her middle name), was a school teacher for more than 35 years and a volunteer at Parkview Hospital in Fort Wayne for more than 30 years. She set high expectations for my sister and me, and uncompromisingly expected us to do our very best. We are blessed that David and Maxine made an incredible parental team. Since science, technology, engineering, math and learning were heavily promoted, it is only fitting that we remember them with the David W. and N. Maxine Ford with STEM awards.

STUDENT NAME (ELEMENTARY)	STUDENT SCHOOL
Leah Spry	Yorktown Elementary School
Morgan Lee	Hibberd Intermediate School
Lincoln McGuire	Albany Elementary School
STUDENT NAME (JUNIOR)	**STUDENT SCHOOL**
Sam Hokey	Hagerstown Elementary School
Cassie Ulrey	Heritage Hall Inc
STUDENT NAME (SENIOR)	**STUDENT SCHOOL**
Emmalene Jones	Muncie Central High School

Teacher Award

THE CARL E. WARNES OUTSTANDING RESEARCH MENTOR AWARD - To recognize a teacher who mentored student(s) with their projects to attend the fair.

TEACHER NAME	TEACHER SCHOOL
Erin Jackson	Yorktown Elementary School

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STATE WINNERS

JUNIOR DIVISION STATE WINNERS	
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Aurora Nicholes	Hibberd Intermediate School
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Nadia Bakshi	Hibberd Intermediate School
Charlie Noll	Saint Mary School
Zain Nasir	Yorktown Middle School
William Hinshaw	Monroe Central Elementary School

SENIOR DIVISION STATE WINNERS	
STUDENT NAME	**STUDENT SCHOOL**
Emmalene Jones	Muncie Central High School
Samuel Martin	Northwestern Sr High School
Zaina Nasir	Yorktown High School
Ishan Ramrakhiani	Canterbury School
Craig Ulrey	Heritage Hall Inc