

Agenda Request Form

Cherokee County School District

Meeting Date
May 16, 2019

Agenda Item Number
A-10

Title
Recognition of CCSD's 2018-19 Young Georgia Authors Competition District, Region and State Winners
Requested Action
School Board Recognition of CCSD's 2018-19 Young Georgia Authors Competition District, Region and State Winners
Summary Explanation and Background
<p>The Young Georgia Authors Writing Competition is open to students in grades kindergarten through 12th grade and provides a context for schools to encourage writing success in a variety of genres. The District competition featured 170 school-level winners, and 13 first-place winners were chosen with one from each grade level. These grade-level winners advanced to the Regional Educational Service Agency competition.</p> <p>At the Regional competition, seven CCSD students earned first-place awards, and two received Honorable Mention.</p> <p>Of the Regional first-place awards, one student earned Honorable Mention at the State competition.</p>
Major System Priority
Increasing Student Achievement
Financial Impact
N/A
Exhibits: (List)

Board Action
<i>(For Official School Board Records Only)</i>

Source of Additional Information	
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Approved in Open Board Meeting on: _____ (Date)

By: _____ (School Board Chairman)

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2018-19 Young Authors Writing Competition Winners

Grade	Student's Name	School	Title of Work	Award(s)
K	Vivian Rivera	Bascomb ES	"Cupy The Litlest Cupcake"	1 st Place – District Honorable Mention-RESA
1 st	Ruby Resnick	Bascomb ES	"The Little Penguin that was a Big Hero"	1 st Place – District 1 st Place – RESA
2 nd	Ava Lakhansingh	Bascomb ES	"Wolf: The Storm Rush"	1 st Place – District
3 rd	Regan Wehr	Bascomb ES	"#Uncool"	1 st Place – District
4 th	Aubrey Smith	Holly Springs ES	"A Journal's Journal"	1 st Place – District 1 st Place – RESA
5 th	Maile Rowley	Macedonia ES	"Hello Agent King"	1 st Place – District Honorable Mention-RESA
6 th	Emily Cruse	Teasley MS	"Falling Up"	1 st Place – District 1 st Place – RESA
7 th	Lillian Schwartz	E.T. Booth MS	"Noise"	1 st Place – District 1 st Place – RESA
8 th	Emma Johnson	Dean Rusk MS	"Mirrors"	1 st Place – District
9 th	Jasmeen "Jazz" Peck	River Ridge HS	"The Escape"	1 st Place – District
10 th	Keilah Araujo	Etowah HS	"The Land I Call Home"	1 st Place – District 1 st Place – RESA Honorable Mention-State
11 th	Avery Adams	Woodstock HS	"Isolation"	1 st Place – District 1 st Place – RESA
12 th	Caroline Bulger	River Ridge HS	"The Love Seat"	1 st Place – District 1 st Place – RESA