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# Scholastic Art & Writing Awards



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#HCDEAwards



Scholastic  
Art & Writing  
Awards



Harris County  
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## ALDINE ISD

### Ashley Martinez

Aldine High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Birgit Langhammer  
Category: Photography  
Title: Liminal Space

### Emily Lucio

Aldine High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Birgit Langhammer  
Category: Photography  
Title: Mi Abuelo Goyo

### Alisson Garcia

Aldine High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Birgit Langhammer  
Category: Photography  
Title: Salvatore

### Ian Paiz

Blanson Career And Technical Education  
High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: William Brink  
Category: Photography  
Title: Blurred

### Tolani Awe

Blanson Career And Technical Education  
High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Christopher Peel  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: American Teen

### Yahaira Yanes

Blanson Career And Technical Education  
High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Christopher Peel  
Category: Painting  
Title: Constant Exhaustion

### Jayren Ward

Carver High School Applied Tech/Eng/Arts  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Matthew Kirkpatrick  
Category: Photography  
Title: Gated Serenity

### Kimora Miller

Carver High School Applied Tech/Eng/Arts  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Matthew Kirkpatrick  
Category: Comic Art  
Title: Mama, I Didn't Do Nothing Wrong

### Fernanda Legaspi

Carver High School Applied Tech/Eng/Arts  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Brittney Smith  
Category: Sculpture  
Title: Recycled Airplane

Category: Sculpture

Title: Recycled Motorcycle Toy

### Bryanna Fergusson

Chester W Nimitz High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Ariana Swafford  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Self Portrait

### David Romero

Dwight D Eisenhower High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Oscar Medina  
Category: Photography  
Title: Hidden

### Katerine Miralda

Dwight D Eisenhower High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Oscar Medina  
Category: Photography  
Title: Last Stop

## ALIEF ISD

### Jazabel Medina

Alief Taylor High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Jeffrey Jacobitz  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Nostalgia

### Pablo Medina

Elsik High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Rj Christensen  
Category: Portfolio (Art)  
Title: Art Porfolio

Category: Ceramics & Glass  
Title: Royal Cryptic Fountian

### Melanie Galvan

Elsik High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Rj Christensen  
Category: Ceramics & Glass  
Title: Ethereal Bloom

### Fatima Lozano

Elsik High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Rj Christensen  
Category: Sculpture  
Title: Native American Dancer

### Jacob Ordenez

Elsik High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Rj Christensen  
Category: Sculpture  
Title: Venomous Brew

### Pamela Renteria

Elsik High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Jennifer Marquez  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Birthday Wishes

### Leyla Guzman

Elsik High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Jennifer Marquez  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Oceanic Behavior

### Ivana Escoto Villegas

Kerr High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Keri Reynolds  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Abuelita Rosa

### Yanny Zhao

Kerr High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Keri Reynolds  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Surreal Escape

## ALVIN ISD

### Alonzo Abara

Shadow Creek High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Amy Gardziel  
Category: Ceramics & Glass  
Title: Coiled Enclosure

### Susie Pestell

Shadow Creek High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Amy Gardziel  
Category: Ceramics & Glass  
Title: Heart Of Texas

Category: Mixed Media  
Title: Vibrant

### Audrey Tran

Shadow Creek High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Amy Gardziel  
Category: Ceramics & Glass  
Title: Slow Serenity

Category: Sculpture  
Title: Weaver

**MinhTran Pham**

Shadow Creek High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Amy Gardziel  
Category: Ceramics & Glass  
Title: The Vitality Of Departure

**Lauren Logan**

Shadow Creek High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Robert Stiles  
Category: Photography  
Title: A Sacred Relic

**Ahmed Al Azzawi**

Shadow Creek High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Robert Stiles  
Category: Photography  
Title: Beach-Side

**Roselien Tran**

Shadow Creek High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Robert Stiles  
Category: Photography  
Title: Personal Space

**CYPRESS FAIRBANKS ISD****Luna Labrada**

Bleyl Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Justin Roberson  
Category: Sculpture  
Title: "If Not Now, Then When?"

**Jordan Hayes**

Bridgeland High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Juan Guevara  
Category: Photography  
Title: A Show

**Yousef Moustafa**

Bridgeland High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Juan Guevara  
Category: Photography  
Title: Black Hole Sun

**Sophia Samuels**

Bridgeland High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Xochitl Haney  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: The Nerves With Wire Ends

**Rukayat Reza**

Bridgeland High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Xochitl Haney  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Whimsy Of The Bioluminescent Grotto

**Genevieve Baudy**

Bridgeland High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Nancy Hines  
Category: Mixed Media  
Title: New Beginnings

**Cami Koteras**

Bridgeland High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Nancy Hines  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Self Portrait 2024

**Ellie Tietjen**

Bridgeland High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: The Traveler

**Ravine Cohen**

Cy-Fair High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Portfolio (Art)  
Title: Cultural Duality

**Madeline Nguyen**

Cy-Fair High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Victoria Sanchez  
Category: Painting  
Title: Putrefied

**Mu Paw**

Cypress Creek High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Angela Guy  
Category: Painting  
Title: The Man Eating A Birds Head

**Julia Kovacs**

Cypress Creek High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Charlee Rogers  
Category: Sculpture  
Title: Godiva; God's Gift

Category: Mixed Media  
Title: London Look

**Arianna Dawson**

Cypress Creek High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Charlee Rogers  
Category: Sculpture  
Title: The Dream Tree

**Berry (Aleyna) Rojas**

Cypress Falls High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Austin Cullen  
Category: Photography  
Title: No Work, All Play

**Rebecca Johnson**

Cypress Ranch High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Dave Clark  
Category: Sculpture  
Title: Twins

**Elena Trevino**

Cypress Ranch High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Jennifer Mcknight  
Category: Painting  
Title: Perspective

Category: Painting  
Title: Sara

**Adelina Graves**

Cypress Ranch High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Jason Neumann  
Category: Photography  
Title: Celestial Embodiment

**Kole Brock**

Cypress Ranch High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Jason Neumann  
Category: Photography  
Title: Grown From Nothing

**Aubrey Caballero**

Cypress Ranch High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Jason Neumann  
Category: Photography  
Title: Lonely Girl

**Sophia Pham**

Cypress Ranch High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Jason Neumann  
Category: Photography  
Title: The Seasons Of Grieving

**Alexis Hughes**

Cypress Ranch High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Jason Neumann  
Category: Photography  
Title: What Is This?

**Evan Williams**

Cypress Ranch High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Ashley Teague  
Category: Photography  
Title: Twilight Zone

**Alexandra Ramirez**

Cypress Ridge High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Kevin Wagner  
Category: Sculpture  
Title: Libelulas



**Ashley Mills**

Cypress Springs High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Cayeleigh Groves  
Category: Ceramics & Glass  
Title: Celestial Visage

**Mariajose Vargas**

Cypress Springs High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Cayeleigh Groves  
Category: Ceramics & Glass  
Title: Freedom From Endangerment

**Kyliann Hall**

Cypress Springs High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Cayeleigh Groves  
Category: Sculpture  
Title: Wild harmony

**Angela Makris**

Cypress Springs High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Wauna Johnson  
Category: Mixed Media  
Title: Broken Reflection

**Chassidy Luna**

Cypress Springs High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Wauna Johnson  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Gifted

**Hailey Lewis**

Cypress Springs High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Wauna Johnson  
Category: Painting  
Title: Living Waters

**Frida Hernandez**

Cypress Springs High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Wauna Johnson  
Category: Design  
Title: Punk Revolution

**Anyssa Jolivet**

Cypress Springs High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Kristina Zavala  
Category: Photography  
Title: Shards of Delight

**Miguel Chavez**

Cypress Springs High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Kristina Zavala  
Category: Photography  
Title: Vigil of the Amberwng

**Daanya Khalid**

Cypress Woods High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Qindeel Butt  
Category: Mixed Media  
Title: Broken

Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Connected to You

**Evan Lorenzo**

Cypress Woods High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Qindeel Butt  
Category: Mixed Media  
Title: Entangled In My Web

Category: Mixed Media  
Title: Great Expectations

**Cassandra Douthitt**

Cypress Woods High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Qindeel Butt  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Unbalanced

**Texas Feeney**

Cypress Woods High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Teri Farrell  
Category: Photography  
Title: 3 PM

**Eleri Young**

Cypress Woods High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Teri Farrell  
Category: Photography  
Title: Displaced

**Carter Rose**

Cypress Woods High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Teri Farrell  
Category: Photography  
Title: Inspiration

**Brynlee Sessions**

Cypress Woods High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Teri Farrell  
Category: Photography  
Title: In the Trees

**Andrea Marroquin**

Cypress Woods High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Teri Farrell  
Category: Photography  
Title: Lemon

**Ryder Sanchez**

Cypress Woods High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Teri Farrell  
Category: Photography  
Title: Off the Edge

**Dailin Ramirez Escobar**

Cypress Woods High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Teri Farrell  
Category: Photography  
Title: Silhouette of Thoughts

**Eli Wagner**

Cypress Woods High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Teri Farrell  
Category: Photography  
Title: We Used To Sit There

Category: Digital Art  
Title: Dead of Night

**Naomi Dowling**

Cypress Woods High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Natasha Napier  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Lost In Transmission

**Cosette Harmon**

Hamilton Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Kim Lloyd  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: All Sides of Me

**Josiah Williams**

Jersey Village High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Gustavo Solorzano  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: The Escape

**Giselle Flores**

Jersey Village High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Gustavo Solorzano  
Category: Photography  
Title: What we give

**Vincent Tran**

Jersey Village High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Gustavo Solorzano  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Xā U.S.A.

**Leah Lopez**

Langham Creek High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Margaret Bennett  
Category: Mixed Media  
Title: Am I Vein?

**Katelinn Barnes**

Langham Creek High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Margaret Bennett  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Memoirs Of Peace

**Sarah Siddiqui**

Langham Creek High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Elizabeth Martinez  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Death Or Glory

**Edlin Mvungi**

Langham Creek High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Elizabeth Martinez  
Category: Photography  
Title: Repeat Yourself?

**Madeline Packer**

Langham Creek High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Joshua Smith  
Category: Photography  
Title: Ruminantion

**Harrison Speer**

Langham Creek High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Joshua Smith  
Category: Photography  
Title: You!

**CHANNELVIEW ISD****Kiara Hernandez**

Channelview High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Charlotte Tarbell  
Category: Ceramics & Glass  
Title: Death's Asylum

**CLEAR CREEK ISD****Hanna Arnold**

Clear Falls High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Michael Helfenstein  
Category: Ceramics & Glass  
Title: Broke

**Jaci Styla**

Clear Falls High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Nina Makepeace  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Devoured

**Jeff Johnzy Rhyz Agustilo**

Clear Lake High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Michelle Cabler  
Category: Painting  
Title: Ease Amongst The Chaos Of Being

**Holly Cooper**

Clear Lake High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Peter Storms  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Class Disruptor

**Chloe Chomiak**

Clear Lake High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Peter Storms  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Star Mother

**Riya Mahesh**

League City Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Eboni Johnson  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Out Of The Cage

**CROSBY ISD****Kayla Fuselier**

Crosby High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Skylar Thomas Utley  
Category: Painting  
Title: Holding On

**DEER PARK ISD****Zoe Aubin**

Deer Park High School-South Campus  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Kate Harrel  
Category: Printmaking  
Title: In Depth

**Natalia Villarreal**

Deer Park High School-South Campus  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Kate Harrel  
Category: Editorial Cartoon  
Title: Locked Behind A Paywall

**Angelina Jaure**

Deer Park High School-South Campus  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Erica Robinson  
Category: Fashion  
Title: Knight In Shining Armor

**FORT BEND ISD****Zainab Basit**

Clements High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Holly Gottula  
Category: Sculpture  
Title: Metamorphosis

**Chloe Donaldson**

Clements High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Holly Gottula  
Category: Sculpture  
Title: Peer Pressure

**Naomi Lee**

Clements High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Olivia Hooper  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Children Of Mother Nature

**Faith Ojelabi**

Clements High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Olivia Hooper  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Diction

**Stella Ma**

Clements High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Olivia Hooper  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Introspection

**Anqi Yu**

Clements High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Olivia Hooper  
Category: Painting  
Title: Memories Between Words

**Mingyi Li**

Clements High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Olivia Hooper  
Category: Painting  
Title: Mirror

Category: Photography

Title: Heritage Woven In Threads

Category: Photography

Title: Through The Depths To Light

**Sameeha Sana**

Clements High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Olivia Hooper  
Category: Printmaking  
Title: Reaching For The Sky

**Victoria Wu**

Clements High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Olivia Hooper  
Category: Comic Art  
Title: The Scarecrow Princess

**Sophia Zhang**

Clements High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Olivia Hooper  
Category: Painting  
Title: Touch Of Love

**Aditi Vadassery**

Clements High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Indigenous Melodies

**Matthew Chen**

Clements High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Photography  
Title: Spiral

**Ximin Liang**

Elkins High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Ryan Morales  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: The Bond Of Two

**Amy Wang**

Elkins High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Ryan Morales  
Category: Painting  
Title: The Self-Saboteur

**Chidera Oforkansi**

George Bush High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Kimberly Bolt  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: In The Midst

**Angilene Duke**

George Bush High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Kimberly Bolt  
Category: Comic Art  
Title: Wanting Dreams

**Mohamed Abdulmajid**

George Bush High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Marinela Taylor  
Category: Comic Art  
Title: Moe Bombed Ya

**Emma Jeter**

Ridge Point High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Jinny Nguyen (Pham)  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Dear Dad

**Aleeza Zaheer**

Ridge Point High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Jinny Nguyen (Pham)  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Feathered Friend

**Ava Ferrara**

Ridge Point High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Jinny Nguyen (Pham)  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Kidding Around

### GALENA PARK ISD

**Gael Wong**

Galena Park High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Wesley Frey  
Category: Photography  
Title: Architecture

**Alma Villegas**

Galena Park High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Wesley Frey  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Saddled Up

**Belky Sanchez**

North Shore Senior High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Jedmy Centeno  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Entwined Fears

### GOOSE CREEK CISD

**Jaylene Mondragon**

Ross S Sterling High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Darcy Mcdonald  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Bag Of Bones

**Emmery Ripke**

Ross S Sterling High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Darcy Mcdonald  
Category: Photography  
Title: Limestone

**Abbigayle Garcia**

Ross S Sterling High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Darcy Mcdonald  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Rodeo

**Allyssa Gonzalez**

Ross S Sterling High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Annie Watson  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Chronophobia

**Abbigayle Garcia**

Ross S Sterling High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Annie Watson  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: In My Room

**Cheyenne Pittman**

Ross S Sterling High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Annie Watson  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Intertwined

**Nayeli Perez**

Ross S Sterling High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Annie Watson  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Thing One And Thing Two

### HOUSTON ISD

**Dhara Agrawal**

Bellaire High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Lillian Harris  
Category: Photography  
Title: Just Needs A Little Light

Category: Photography  
Title: Split View

**Selina Chen**

Bellaire High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Lillian Harris  
Category: Photography  
Title: Ruins

**Garrison Cai**

Bellaire High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Courtney Skinner  
Category: Photography  
Title: Crow's Appraisal

**Matthew Guzman**

Bellaire High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Courtney Skinner  
Category: Photography  
Title: Drowning

Category: Photography  
Title: Jumping In The Rain

Category: Photography  
Title: Youth

**Abigail Turney**

Bellaire High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Courtney Skinner  
Category: Photography  
Title: Music



**Joshua Manio**

Bellaire High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Courtney Skinner  
Category: Photography  
Title: Redefined

**Lilie Oliver**

Bellaire High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Courtney Skinner  
Category: Photography  
Title: TheEye

**Christina He**

Carnegie Vanguard High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Rachel Bohenic  
Category: Photography  
Title: Reflection Of Being

**Andelyn Bui**

Debakey High School For Health Professions  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Neda Khan  
Category: Photography  
Title: Abyssal Wires

**Emily Zhang**

Debakey High School For Health Professions  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Neda Khan  
Category: Photography  
Title: A Golden Gleam

Category: Photography  
Title: A Harmony Of Hues

Category: Photography  
Title: Woven Of Light

**Jeani Aguilar**

Debakey High School For Health Professions  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Neda Khan  
Category: Photography  
Title: Azure Essence

Category: Photography  
Title: Pink Radiance

**Enya Ling**

Debakey High School For Health Professions  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Neda Khan  
Category: Photography  
Title: Blood Sucker

**Anahi Soto**

Debakey High School For Health Professions  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Neda Khan  
Category: Photography  
Title: Blooming Beneath The Surface

Category: Photography  
Title: Luminous Trio

**Josephine Cowan**

Debakey High School For Health Professions  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Neda Khan  
Category: Photography  
Title: Elegance Inside The Curve

**Zoey Shen**

Debakey High School For Health Professions  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Neda Khan  
Category: Photography  
Title: Escalating

Category: Photography  
Title: Peering Eye

**Carol Wang**

Debakey High School For Health Professions  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Neda Khan  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Forbidden Omens

Category: Digital Art  
Title: Wings Of Hope

**Xiran Zhang**

Debakey High School For Health Professions  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Neda Khan  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Hypnagogia

**Anagha Ajith**

Debakey High School For Health Professions  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Neda Khan  
Category: Photography  
Title: Kaleidoscope

Category: Photography  
Title: Pawsing For Thought

Category: Photography  
Title: Sunlit Smiles

**Crespin De La Cerda**

Debakey High School For Health Professions  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Neda Khan  
Category: Photography  
Title: Limelight Traveler

**Amber Chu**

Debakey High School For Health Professions  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Neda Khan  
Category: Photography  
Title: Line Line Line

Category: Photography  
Title: Ripples In Space

**Zhiqi Lu**

Debakey High School For Health Professions  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Neda Khan  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Monsters Within

**Sarah Chen**

Debakey High School For Health Professions  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Neda Khan  
Category: Photography  
Title: Pink Princess

**Ilana Katz-Warmflash**

Debakey High School For Health Professions  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Neda Khan  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Stalactite Rain

**Kayla Park**

Debakey High School For Health Professions  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Neda Khan  
Category: Photography  
Title: Sunset Chapel

**Annie Zhou**

Debakey High School For Health Professions  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Neda Khan  
Category: Photography  
Title: Washed With Pink

**Aarit Nazare**

Debakey High School For Health Professions  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Neda Khan  
Category: Photography  
Title: Where The Brave Rest



### **Nate Barcot**

Kinder High School For The Performing  
And Visual Arts  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Chadwick Gray  
Category: Painting  
Title: Canh Kho Qua (Bitter Melon Ends  
Suffering)

### **Chloe Cheuk**

Kinder High School For The Performing  
And Visual Arts  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Hugh David Waddell  
Category: Design  
Title: Playing Cards Of A Modern Woman

### **Michael Remishevsky**

Lamar High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Dina Attar  
Category: Sculpture  
Title: Faberge Egg

### **Macie Simecek**

Meyerland Perf-Visual Arts Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Christina Gonzalez  
Category: Mixed Media  
Title: Midnight Reflections

## **HUMBLE ISD**

### **Willa Abraham**

Kingwood High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Clifton Pope  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Be Quiet Please

### **Vivian Tran**

Summer Creek High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Natasha Burd  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: They're Not Real

### **Hayley Grigsby**

Summer Creek High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Robin Clark  
Category: Sculpture  
Title: Sonata In A Major

### **Kaitlyn Fullem**

Summer Creek High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Ann Parker  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Best Friends

### **Riley Linse**

Timberwood Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Tom Cieciorca  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Raw, Organic, Real

## **KATY ISD**

### **Kenny Hu**

Adams Junior High School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Photography  
Title: Purple Gallinule

### **Ana Quintero Jimenez**

Cinco Ranch High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Theresa Burgess  
Category: Sculpture  
Title: Blue Crescent

### **Valenina Vera**

Cinco Ranch High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Theresa Burgess  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Memories

### **Fei Feng**

Cinco Ranch High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Reflecting Love

### **Evelyn Pan**

James E Taylor High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Painting  
Title: The Moment Between

### **Christine Kwabi**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Katrina Cerk  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: In Her Shoes

### **Viviana Garza**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Katrina Cerk  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Nostalgia

### **Juliette Odom**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Katrina Cerk  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Paracosm

### **Jennie Dong**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Katrina Cerk  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Pulling It Together

### **Madeline Hazel**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Katrina Cerk  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: The Inside Joke

### **Angela-Ning Sun**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Katrina Cerk  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Unravel

### **Yuelin Hu**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: William Clouse  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Journey

### **Ana Sofia Castiblanco**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Cedric Ingram  
Category: Painting  
Title: Nature's Peace

### **Grace Dong**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Sustenance

### **Lily Steinfurth**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Photography  
Title: Whispers Of Absence

### **Victoria Zhou**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Yuri Zaroli  
Category: Ceramics & Glass  
Title: Barbarousness

### **Zachary Wilson**

Mayde Creek High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Caron Blake  
Category: Photography  
Title: Unfolding

Category: Photography  
Title: Whirling Star

### **Natasha Rodriguez**

Morton Ranch High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Megan Doby  
Category: Ceramics & Glass  
Title: Yuanyuan



**Anushri Bansal**

Morton Ranch High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Of A Feather

**Fathima Ismail**

Obra D Tompkins High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Christie Skinner  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: In The Midst Of Worship

**Sara Leal**

Obra D Tompkins High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Christie Skinner  
Category: Mixed Media  
Title: Looking For Connection

**Xinran Cui**

Seven Lakes High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Camille Gordon  
Category: Ceramics & Glass  
Title: Metamorphosis

**Gianna Elizabeth Bailey**

Seven Lakes High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Lisa Matschek  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Dressed In Color

**Bea Dumadag**

Seven Lakes High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Lisa Matschek  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Fr13nd5h1p

**Durga Joshi**

Seven Lakes High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Lisa Matschek  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: New Kid On The Clock

**Kendall Hannasch**

Seven Lakes High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Lisa Matschek  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Paint Stroke

**Holden Smith**

Seven Lakes High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Lisa Matschek  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Unrest

**Yichen Yin**

Seven Lakes High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Mixed Media  
Title: At My Own Exhibition

**Ruoshui Li**

Seven Lakes High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Painting  
Title: Don't Cry For Me, America!

**Cazzandra Mei Cariazo**

Seven Lakes High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Melancholy

**Catherine He**

Seven Lakes High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Rabie's Crazies

**Scarlett Oehrlein**

Freeman High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Terrence Clark  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Rules Are Meant To Be Broken

Category: Art

Title: Screams Of The Heart

## KLEIN ISD

**Lara Sibai**

Klein Cain High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Andrea Fort  
Category: Sculpture  
Title: Entangled

**Nicholas Moreno**

Klein Cain High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Andrea Fort  
Category: Ceramics & Glass  
Title: Steel Bound Maiden

**David Perry**

Klein Cain High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Zach Lockett  
Category: Photography  
Title: Adrian

Category: Photography  
Title: Bubble Bliss

**Thomas Hendricks**

Klein Cain High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Zach Lockett  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Mutilate

**Kaylee Kang**

Klein Cain High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Marisa Marsico  
Category: Painting  
Title: Look Ahead

**Jessica Haskell**

Klein Cain High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Marisa Marsico  
Category: Sculpture  
Title: Skeleton Mourning

**Makayla Nunez**

Klein Cain High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Constance Vazzino  
Category: Mixed Media  
Title: Vibrant Grapes

**Sariah Virgile**

Klein Cain High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Kristie Lee  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Weathered Wear

**Alonso Camarena**

Klein Forest High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Richard Cartaxo  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Harsh Winter

**Morgan Lindsey**

Klein Collins High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Misty Crowe  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Swimming In Personality

**Evette Soli**

Klein Collins High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Chad Hardin  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Autumn Watch

**Eli Garcia**

Klein Collins High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Chad Hardin  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Echoes Of Another Time



**Asher Lozano**

Klein Collins High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Chad Hardin  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Hold Onto Anything

**Luke Wellman**

Klein Collins High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Chad Hardin  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Mirror Of Unspoken Struggles

Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Inward Turmoil

Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Kiss With Death

**Aislinn Murphy**

Klein Collins High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Mario Rivera  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Floating Thoughts

**Catalina Nava-Schmidt**

Klein Collins High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Kristen Robison  
Category: Photography  
Title: Daze On The Road

**Britney Tran**

Klein Collins High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Kristen Robison  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Escapism

**Kaleb Sanchez**

Klein Collins High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Kristen Robison  
Category: Painting  
Title: We Just Wanna Dance

**Matthew Andrade**

Klein Forest High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Osvaldo Carrillo  
Category: Photography  
Title: Eyes

**Anh Minh Dinh**

Klein High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Jill Chauvin  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Detective Noir

**Colter Washburn**

Klein High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Jill Chauvin  
Category: Photography  
Title: Dream To Reality

**Ainsley Theiss**

Klein High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Jill Chauvin  
Category: Photography  
Title: Serenity In Winter

**Hendrix Hale**

Klein High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Edith Gomez  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Rekindle

**Chloe Hanes**

Klein Oak High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Alexa Murland  
Category: Painting  
Title: Apple

**Isabelle Montgomery**

Klein Oak High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Alexa Murland  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Heartless

**Katrina Marr**

Klein Oak High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Alexa Murland  
Category: Painting  
Title: Sugar

**Zoey Gallagher**

Strack Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Eric Wincott  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: My World

## LAMAR CISD

**Jaeri Cha**

Fulshear High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Kynzi Windsor  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Outcast, Speaking

**Kyanna Lopez**

Fulshear High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Kynzi Windsor  
Category: Mixed Media  
Title: Voices On The Wall

## PASADENA ISD

**Brandon Baker**

Dr. Kirk Lewis Career & Technical High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Photography  
Title: 7/11 24/7

**Blake Martin**

Park View Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Photography  
Title: Down By The Bay

**Eric Barrera**

Pasadena Memorial High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Jose Alvarez-Lucio  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Disarraying Of The Mind

**Grecia Monarrez**

Pasadena Memorial High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Jose Alvarez-Lucio  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Ecliptic

**Ellie Cantarero**

Pasadena Memorial High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Amy Dugat  
Category: Sculpture  
Title: Roaming Roots

**Joshua Washington**

Pasadena Memorial High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Kim Nguyen  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Age In Bloom

## PEARLAND ISD

**Rachel Huynh**

Glenda Dawson High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Mixed Media  
Title: A Child's Imagination

**Elizabeth Kwan**

Glenda Dawson High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Painting  
Title: Miss Liberty



**Sion Joo**

Glenda Dawson High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Teri Zuteck  
Category: Portfolio (Art)  
Title: Discovery

Category: Mixed Media  
Title: In My Own World

Category: Mixed Media  
Title: Masculinity

Category: Painting  
Title: Skin And Bones

**Zoe Yang**

Glenda Dawson High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Teri Zuteck  
Category: Painting  
Title: Ellie At Lunch

Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Supernova

**Brooklynn Cain**

Robert Turner Colege-Career High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Gabriela Flores  
Category: Painting  
Title: Bubba

**Maggie Rosenthal**

Robert Turner Colege-Career High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Gabriela Flores  
Category: Portfolio (Art)  
Title: Love Letter To Dance

**Aubrey Daniels**

Dawson High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Terilyn Zuteck  
Category: Painting  
Title: Beauty in Simplicity

**SPRING BRANCH ISD**

**Alexandra Arnold**

Memorial High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Elisa Barry  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: A Snout Turned

Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Burnout

Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Home To Oblivion

**Maya Al Jaff**

Memorial High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Elisa Barry  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Branches Of Life

**Gadiel Ramirez**

Memorial High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Elisa Barry  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Chewed

Category: Mixed Media  
Title: The Expanded Mind

**Mary Buttram**

Memorial High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Elisa Barry  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Double Trouble

**Kexin (Kassia) Tan**

Memorial High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Elisa Barry  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Intertwined

Category: Painting  
Title: Sunny Side Up

**Mari Valadares**

Memorial High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Elisa Barry  
Category: Painting  
Title: Memories Of Childhood

**Madison Witte**

Memorial High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Elisa Barry  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Pool Party

**Luke Karnowski**

Memorial High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Elisa Barry  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Purging

Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: The Empress

**Rachael Won**

Memorial High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Elisa Barry  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Reminisce

**Sarah Mccarthy**

Memorial High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Elisa Barry  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Two Fragments

Category: Portfolio (Art)  
Title: Gizmos & Gadgets

**Emily Do**

Memorial High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Elizabeth Carney  
Category: Photography  
Title: Glistening Imperfection

**Zanli Morris**

Memorial High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Architecture & Industrial Design  
Title: Cularis

**Nivedita Vivekanandan**

Memorial High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Elizabeth Carney  
Category: Portfolio (Art)  
Title: Beauty In Difference

Category: Photography  
Title: Duality

Category: Photography  
Title: Emergence

Category: Photography  
Title: Quiet Contemplation

Category: Photography  
Title: Sisters

Category: Photography  
Title: Unequivocal

**Hyeonwoo Yang**

Memorial High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Ride At The Rodeo

**Sam Park**

Memorial Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Allison Koenig  
Category: Mixed Media  
Title: Unity From Differences

**Paula Hoang**

Spring Woods High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Karen Barnett  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Beneath The Surface



**Noah Velarde**

Stratford High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Rachel Goins  
Category: Photography  
Title: Above It All

**David Kim**

Stratford High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Rachel Goins  
Category: Mixed Media  
Title: Blocks

**Skye Gobbell**

Stratford High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Rachel Goins  
Category: Mixed Media  
Title: Gaia Gift

**Ingrid Gallop**

Stratford High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Rachel Goins  
Category: Painting  
Title: Stitched Memories

**Xavier Alexander**

Stratford High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Film & Animation  
Title: A Nobody With Two Faces

**Elliot Hamlin**

Stratford High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Lane Smolen  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: The Ugly Duckling

## SPRING ISD

**Marilyn Melerine**

Carl Wunsche Senior High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Lada Koptelova  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Riffing Through The Realm: Lullaby Groove

## PRIVATE SCHOOLS, CHARTER SCHOOLS, INDEPENDENT SUBMISSIONS

**Ava Wise**

Annunciation Orthodox School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Meredith Wise  
Category: Editorial Cartoon  
Title: Tool Or Terror

**Theodore Barrera**

Awty International School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Isela Aguirre  
Category: Photography  
Title: Cicada Cyanotype

**Justin Ahrar**

Awty International School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Greg Cullinan  
Category: Photography  
Title: Going Over

**Austin Lloyd**

Awty International School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Pamela Dorsey  
Category: Photography  
Title: Warmly Frozen

**Evelyn Park**

Awty International School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Ana Ebie-Mouton  
Category: Photography  
Title: Boundless With Boundaries

**Gabriel Rioufol**

Awty International School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Krystle Holnes  
Category: Photography  
Title: Amor subterráneo

**Connor Chan**

Awty International School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Krystle Holnes  
Category: Photography  
Title: Into The Unknown

**Eduardo Vilar-Iniesta**

Awty International School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Ha Na Lee  
Category: Photography  
Title: London Subway

**Abby Roux**

Awty International School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Ha Na Lee  
Category: Photography  
Title: Spiral

**Uma Satapathy**

Awty International School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Amanda Wood  
Category: Photography  
Title: Icelandic Seal

**Elliana Shogren**

Calvary Episcopal School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Deedy Germany  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Burnin' Daylight

**Melanie Guerra**

Calvin Nelms Charter School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Brad Carey  
Category: Photography  
Title: Drops Of Fall

**Deagan McWilliams**

Calvin Nelms Charter School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Brad Carey  
Category: Photography  
Title: Finding The Light

**Jonah Perkins**

Calvin Nelms Charter School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Brad Carey  
Category: Photography  
Title: Glare Of Death

**Nicole Fernandez**

Calvin Nelms Charter School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Brad Carey  
Category: Photography  
Title: Silent Strength

**Samantha Flores**

Independent  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: El Alma

**Alanis Pactor**

Emery Weiner School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Kim Hart  
Category: Photography  
Title: Amber Radiance

**Kayla Whitman**

Emery Weiner School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Kim Hart  
Category: Photography  
Title: Bottles

Category: Photography  
Title: Orange

**Ainsley Brown**

Emery Weiner School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Kim Hart  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Cathedral

**Emma Zadok**

Emery Weiner School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Kim Hart  
Category: Photography  
Title: Self Reflections

**Cindy Sun**

Emery Weiner School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Paige Moore  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Little Big Kid

Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Tibetan Man

**Marisa Yanosik**

Emery Weiner School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Kelsey Wu  
Category: Photography  
Title: Dancing Lights

**Lily Semakova-Cohen**

Episcopal High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Lauren Cunningham  
Category: Mixed Media  
Title: My Matryoshka

**Emelia Schuster**

Episcopal High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Lauren Cunningham  
Category: Mixed Media  
Title: The Meaning Of Life

**Lillian Novotny**

Episcopal High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Lauren Cunningham  
Category: Sculpture  
Title: Underwater

**Hannah Smith**

Episcopal High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Pejman Milani  
Category: Film & Animation  
Title: Bug

**Jordan Reed**

Episcopal High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: In Life And In Death

**Priya Zara Parekh**

Episcopal High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Art  
Title: Wild Eyes

**Kennedy Greene**

Episcopal High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Kelly Quarles  
Category: Photography  
Title: Barrettes

Category: Art  
Title: In Bloom

**Vivian Turbidy**

Episcopal High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Kelly Quarles  
Category: Photography  
Title: Chained

**Jack Zoeller**

Episcopal High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Kelly Quarles  
Category: Photography  
Title: Illusion

**Grace Donovan**

Episcopal High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Japheth Storlie  
Category: Photography  
Title: New York Skyline

Category: Photography  
Title: Watching

**Trevor Robertson**

Fort Bend Christian Academy-Hs  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Ryan Baptiste  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Eternity In His Eyes

Category: Painting  
Title: My Diary Is Empty

**Jenna Mock**

Fort Bend Christian Academy-Hs  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Ryan Baptiste  
Category: Mixed Media  
Title: Forgiveness Letter To Past Self

**Maya-Maria Willis**

Fort Bend Christian Academy-Hs  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Ryan Baptiste  
Category: Fashion  
Title: Hippie Chic

Category: Fashion  
Title: Indie Summer

**Skye Shell**

Fort Bend Christian Academy-Hs  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Photography  
Title: Calm Before The Storm

Category: Photography  
Title: Pre-Game Talk

**Sidney Arnold**

Fort Bend Christian Academy-Hs  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Robert Sanders  
Category: Portfolio  
Title: Sidney Arnold's Photography Portfolio

Category: Photography  
Title: Perspective

Category: Photography  
Title: Resting Royalty

**Alex Henley**

Fort Bend Christian Academy-Hs  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Robert Sanders  
Category: Photography  
Title: Bella

Category: Photography  
Title: Farmyard Feast

Category: Photography  
Title: Unflinching Loyalty

**Brooklyn Moderhak**

Fort Bend Christian Academy-Hs  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Robert Sanders  
Category: Sculpture  
Title: Oil And Water

**Cordell Britton**

Fort Bend Christian Academy-Hs  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Robert Sanders  
Category: Photography  
Title: Reflected Roots

**Jack Horton**

Houston Christian High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Tina Fox  
Category: Portfolio  
Title: Wild Alaska

**Blake Dickson**

Houston Christian High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Charlotte Stuart  
Category: Mixed Media  
Title: Multitude



**Minhao Tang**

Independent Submission  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Photography  
Title: Dusk Till Dawn

Category: Photography  
Title: Long Way Down

**Sophia Zheng**

Independent Submission  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Photography  
Title: Curiosity

**Tiantong Zeng**

Independent Submission  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Painting  
Title: Ascension

Category: Painting  
Title: A Dinner Memory

Category: Painting  
Title: Kaleidoscope

Category: Painting  
Title: Red Umbrella

Category: Painting  
Title: Self?

Category: Painting  
Title: Sisyphus

Category: Digital Art  
Title: Us

Category: Painting  
Title: Wing of Time

**Junnut Nouman**

iSchool High- Creekside  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Rewind

**Blakely Roberts**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Bess Connell  
Category: Photography  
Title: Eat Your Veggies

**Elyssa Lassoued**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Bess Connell  
Category: Photography  
Title: Mimi

**Alex Cai**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Bess Connell  
Category: Photography  
Title: Introspection

Category: Art  
Title: silent nights

**Jack Harper**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Bess Connell  
Category: Photography  
Title: No Wall Ball

**Payton Daly**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Bess Connell  
Category: Photography  
Title: Plateau

Category: Photography  
Title: Roasted; Stewed; Grilled; Sous Vide;  
Braised; Pan-Seared; Skewered

Category: Film & Animation  
Title: 5 Minutes

**Emona Ji**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Bess Connell  
Category: Photography  
Title: Serene

**Jenny Wu**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: A Secret We Share

Category: Art  
Title: Paper Stars

**Olivia Rivas**

Lutheran South Academy  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Lindsay Barckholtz  
Category: Ceramics & Glass  
Title: Atop the Precipice

Category: Ceramics & Glass  
Title: Water Lilly

**Sophiana Gay**

Lutheran South Academy  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Lindsay Barckholtz  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Diving into Dreams

**Chase Alexander**

Lutheran South Academy  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Lindsay Barckholtz  
Category: Photography  
Title: Fireworks Looming Large

**Alexis Hearn**

Northland Christian School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Andrew Menees  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: A Body Rejected By Nature

**Avani Yaltho**

St Agnes Academy  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Editorial Cartoon  
Title: Extinction Hall

**Naomi Sabonghy**

St Agnes Academy  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Terry Suprean  
Category: Photography  
Title: Behind the Scenes

**Chloe Nguyen**

St Agnes Academy  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Terry Suprean  
Category: Photography  
Title: Determination

Category: Photography  
Title: Towards the Light

**Katia Sanchez**

St Agnes Academy  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Terry Suprean  
Category: Photography  
Title: Geothermal Cliffs

Category: Photography  
Title: Life Finds a Way

Category: Photography  
Title: Macro Acorn

**Mia Ramos**

St Agnes Academy  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Terry Suprean  
Category: Photography  
Title: Head Above Water

**Victoria Salazar**

St Agnes Academy  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Terry Suprean  
Category: Photography  
Title: Neon lights



**Molly Vance**

St Agnes Academy  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Terry Suprean  
Category: Portfolio  
Title: Petals

**Ella Sorensen**

St Agnes Academy  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Terry Suprean  
Category: Photography  
Title: RuN

**Alana Davidson**

St Agnes Academy  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Terry Suprean  
Category: Photography  
Title: The Speed of Life

**Sara Scorsone**

St John XXIII Preparatory High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Carol Szymanski  
Category: Photography  
Title: Salute

**Avery Shi**

St Thomas' Episcopal School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Harmony in Embrace

**Pia Artzer**

St. John's School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Dan Havel  
Category: Mixed Media  
Title: Fragmented Dialogues

**Christopher McCord**

St. John's School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Dan Havel  
Category: Mixed Media  
Title: Near Falfurrias, TX

**Robin Rider**

St. John's School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Scott Johnson  
Category: Photography  
Title: Icey Blue

**Anjilea Holm**

St. John's School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Scott Johnson  
Category: Photography  
Title: Immersed In Imagination

**Harrison Wright**

St. John's School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Photography  
Title: Edges of History

Category: Photography  
Title: Solitude in Bamboo

**Christopher Harris**

St. John's School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Photography  
Title: Game Time.

**Luke Robbins**

Strake Jesuit College Prep School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Laura Costa  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Heartache

**Ian Gillaspie**

Strake Jesuit College Prep School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Photography  
Title: Burdened Beginnings

**Sebastian Pawulski**

Strake Jesuit College Prep School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Terry Suprean  
Category: Photography  
Title: Field of Flowers

**Irene Chen**

Studio Z Art School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Yan Zu  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Dream Island

Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: The Gardener's Secret

**Violette Ho**

Studio Z Art School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Yan Zu  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Gemini

**Jixuan Zheng**

Studio Z Art School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Yan Zu  
Category: Fashion  
Title: Kong Que

**Amy Tran**

The Village School, High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Selene Bautista  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: "Who am I"

**Alexa Masson**

The Village School, High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Selene Bautista  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Down the Drain

**Jeongeun Emily Cha**

The Village School, High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Max Manning  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Blossoming Bonds

Category: Painting  
Title: Essence of Me

**Viola Giudici**

The Village School, High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Alicia Merrifield  
Category: Photography  
Title: Needles of Nature

**Tirza Chazaro**

The WIDE School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Kelly Chen  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Escape

**Perrin Aucoin**

The WIDE School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Kelly Chen  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Framed by Petals

**Myles Tran**

The WIDE School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Kelly Chen  
Category: Sculpture  
Title: Fractured Horizons

Category: Sculpture  
Title: Stairway to Stars

**Danielle Johnson**

Yes Prep Northside  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Rebekah Tee  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Looking Back



## ART STUDIOS

### Sophia Long

Ben Xu School of Fine Arts  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Bin Xu  
Category: Painting  
Title: Echoed Journeys

### Brianna Lin

Ben Xu School of Fine Arts  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Bin Xu  
Category: Painting  
Title: Behind The White Picket Fence

### Matt Wang

Enya Studio  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Hongliang (Enya) Huang  
Category: Painting  
Title: The Price of Greed

### Kayla Deng

Enya Studio  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Hongliang (Enya) Huang  
Category: Painting  
Title: Like Putting Lipstick on a Pig

### Bolin Xiang

Enya Studio  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Hongliang (Enya) Huang  
Category: Sculpture  
Title: Facets of Soul

Category: Ceramics & Glass  
Title: From Ashes to Life

Category: Ceramics & Glass  
Title: Tides of Consequence

### Claire Dai

Enya Studio  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Jazmin Orellana  
Category: Ceramics & Glass  
Title: Flattening

### Grace Xie

Enya Studio  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Hongliang (Enya) Huang  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Papa

### Victoria Zhou

Enya Studio  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Hongliang (Enya) Huang  
Category: Ceramics & Glass  
Title: Sheepshead

Category: Ceramics & Glass  
Title: The Prickly Feeling

### Eileen Chi

Enya Studio  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Ricardo Morales Hendry  
Category: Painting  
Title: Classicism and Consumerism

Category: Mixed Media  
Title: Flesh and Flame

Category: Painting  
Title: Mass Media Playground

### Samantha Luo

Enya Studio  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Hongliang (Enya) Huang  
Category: Printmaking  
Title: The Breaking Point

### Tianqi Hu

Enya Studio  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Hongliang (Enya) Huang  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Welcome Home! My bro

### Yulu Liu

Enya Studio  
Grade: 7  
Educator: Hongliang (Enya) Huang  
Category: Comic Art  
Title: Backyard

Category: Film & Animation  
Title: Revival

### Emily Zhang

Enya Studio  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Hongliang (Enya) Huang  
Category: Photography  
Title: Art in Focus: Precision

### Audrey Li

Enya Studio  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Hongliang (Enya) Huang  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Lifeline

### Ella Fang

Enya Studio  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Ricardo Morales Hendry  
Category: Mixed Media  
Title: Freedom Denied by Plastic

### Stephanie Jiang

FLUX School of Art  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Haoxiang Zhang  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Smiles in Kyoto Shadows

Category: Painting  
Title: Tear Stained Lights

### Jenna Li

FLUX School of Art  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Haoxiang Zhang  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Refracted

### luoyidaisy Liu

FLUX School of Art  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Haoxiang Zhang  
Category: Expanded Projects  
Title: Bound in Broken Steps

### Amy Wang

FLUX School of Art  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Haoxiang Zhang  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Yours, Ephemeraly

### Ethan Jerng

FLUX School of Art  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Haoxiang Zhang  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Elderly daylight

### Chenchen Sun

FLUX School of Art  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Haoxiang Zhang  
Category: Expanded Projects  
Title: Belie Ambiguity

### Celina Gao

Freemind Art Studio  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Si Li  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Outward Appearances

### Lucy Guo

Freemind Art Studio  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Si Li  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Shadows of Sacrifice

### Lihan Zheng

Freemind Art Studio  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Si Li  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Capturing the Moment

### Tanya Gao

Freemind Art Studio  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: A Citrus Bite of Youth



**Vivian Yang**

Hanjie Arts Center  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Haicun Weng  
Category: Painting  
Title: Gorgelicious

Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: On The Brawl Stars Grind

**Qinchen Zeng**

Hanjie Arts Center  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Haicun Weng  
Category: Photography  
Title: The Street of Memory

**Victoria Wang**

Hanjie Arts Center  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Haicun Weng  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Cycle Of Decay

Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Lost to the Abyss

Category: Photography  
Title: Path Of Light

**Julia Singer**

Hanjie Arts Center  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Haicun Weng  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Inquietude

**Yifan Wu**

Hanjie Arts Center  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Haicun Weng  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Notes to Dad

**Audrey Wu**

Hanjie Arts Center  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Haicun Weng  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Unnatural Hunger

**Will Wang**

Hanjie Arts Center  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Haicun Weng  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Eternally Zoned Meow-T

Category: Painting  
Title: I Think You Missed The Trash Can

**Irene Ho**

Hanjie Arts Center  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Haicun Weng  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Little Dreams

**Helina Zhang**

Hanjie Arts Center  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Haicun Weng  
Category: Jewelry  
Title: Waves of Labor

Category: Digital Art  
Title: Ceremonial

**Kaylee Han**

Hanjie Arts Center  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Haicun Weng  
Category: Mixed Media  
Title: Behind the Scenes

**Elaine Zhang**

Hanjie Arts Center  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Haicun Weng  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: A Feline's Fallacy

**Yuelin Hu**

Hanjie Arts Center  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Haicun Weng  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: The Table

**Yiting (Angela) Lu**

Hanjie Arts Center  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Haicun Weng  
Category: Photography  
Title: In the Studio

**Laura Xu**

Hanjie Arts Center  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Haicun Weng  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Amalgamation

Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Pig(ment)

**Isabel He**

Hanjie Arts Center  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Haicun Weng  
Category: Painting  
Title: The Apple Doesn't Fall Far From The Tree

**Sophia Long**

Hanjie Arts Center  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Haicun Weng  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: The Forgotten Companion

**Aimee Wu**

Hanjie Arts Center  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Haicun Weng  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: The Grip of Screens

**Annie Zhou**

Hanjie Arts Center  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Haicun Weng  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Don't Wake Me Up

**Yichen Yin**

Hanjie Arts Center  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Haicun Weng  
Category: Mixed Media  
Title: Help

**Arlan Wang**

Hanjie Arts Center  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Haicun Weng  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Construction

Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Into a Child's Dimension

**Katherine Yu**

Hanjie Arts Center  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Haicun Weng  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Hannah

**Annie Wang**

Hanjie Arts Center  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Haicun Weng  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Redhead

**Ethan Zhao**

Hanjie Arts Center  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Haicun Weng  
Category: Architecture & Industrial Design  
Title: Bloom

**Xiangyun Zheng**

Hanjie Arts Center  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Haicun Weng  
Category: Photography  
Title: Portal

**Chloe Weng**

Jeni Art Studio  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Feng Zhu  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: A Bird in the Hand



**Tingyu Wu**

Jeni Art Studio  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Feng Zhu  
Category: Portfolio  
Title: Countryside: Where I am From

Category: Sculpture  
Title: Echoes of the Ancestors

**Aditi Vadassery**

Jeni Art Studio  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Feng Zhu  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Her Struggle for His Tomorrow

**Zhuohan Liu**

Jeni Art Studio  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Feng Zhu  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Praying at Sunset

**Yu Wang**

Jeni Art Studio  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Feng Zhu  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: One Hundred Percent

**Sophie Yang**

Jeni Art Studio  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Feng Zhu  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Beauty in nature

**Lana Xu**

Jeni Art Studio  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Feng Zhu  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Sunkissed

**Grace Wang**

Jeni Art Studio  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Feng Zhu  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Four Hopes in One

**Ximin Liang**

Jeni Art Studio  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Feng Zhu  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Timeless Precision

**Michelle Li**

Jeni Art Studio  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Feng Zhu  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Blue Existentialism

**Elisa Feng**

Jeni Art Studio  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Feng Zhu  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Timeless Wisdom

**Isabel Hooper**

Kelly Chen Art Studio  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Kelly Chen  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: 947 Thicket Way

**Shirui xue Fang**

LiMao Art Studio  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Mao Li  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Tranquility in Shadows

Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Craftsman's Spirit

Category: Mixed Media  
Title: (Brief Rest)

**Yixuan (Vanessa) Chen**

LiMao Art Studio  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Mao Li  
Category: Photography  
Title: Bundles of the Future

Category: Photography  
Title: Imprints of Time

**Elizabeth Kwan**

LiMao Art Studio  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Mao Li  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Spark

**Gabrielle Chen**

LiMao Art Studio  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Mao Li  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Anticipation

**Kevin Zeng**

LiMao Art Studio  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Mao Li  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Saxophone Player

**Anna Yi**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Painting  
Title: Companions

**Grace Cao**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Painting  
Title: Wonder

**Katherine Han**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Painting  
Title: Hazy Vision

**Kexin (Kassia) Tan**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Painting  
Title: Hope in the World

Category: Painting  
Title: Mother's Love

**Katherine Han**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Painting  
Title: Predatory Pride

**Andrea Shi**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Painting  
Title: "Casualty"

**Allie Ma**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Painting  
Title: A Breath of Fresh Air

Category: Art  
Title: An Old Friend

**Danica Du**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Painting  
Title: A Prayer in a World without Gods.

**Melody Cui**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Painting  
Title: Counting Raindrops Together



**Chloe Shao**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Painting  
Title: Distorted

Category: Painting  
Title: Hold Me Under

Category: Mixed Media  
Title: Patch Me Up

**Luke Wang**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Painting  
Title: Ducks In Twilight

**Catheryn Liang**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Painting  
Title: Engulfed

**Sophie Zhou**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Painting  
Title: Forever and Always

Category: Painting  
Title: Grandma's Dedication

**Selina Yuan**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Painting  
Title: Game Over

**Lorena Zou**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Painting  
Title: Memories of a Happy Childhood

**Nina Liang**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Mixed Media  
Title: Irugbin ti Sunflower

Category: Painting  
Title: Obscure

Category: Painting  
Title: Radiant

**Shuphan Zhao**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Painting  
Title: Our Golden Years

**Emily Mei**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Painting  
Title: Poise

**Julia Xiao**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Painting  
Title: Shattered Innocence

**Selina Zhang**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Painting  
Title: Shattered Memories Through Time

Category: Painting  
Title: Shining Through Adversity: The Eyes of Hope

**Sophia Shi**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Painting  
Title: Smothered

**Helene Su**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Painting  
Title: Suffocation

Category: Painting  
Title: Wind Blown

**Selina Chen**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Painting  
Title: Sunday Morning

**Andy Hao**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Painting  
Title: The Power of Laughter

**Lillian Wu**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Painting  
Title: The Price of time

**Evelina Chen**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Painting  
Title: Unwavering Gaze

**Catheryn Liang**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Painting  
Title: Warm Embrace

**Luke Wang**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Painting  
Title: War Torn

**Hallie Ho**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Where Stillness Becomes Courage

**Andrea Shi**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Painting  
Title: Woman I Once Was

**Kaylyn Li**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Painting  
Title: Reflection

**Yuelin Hu**

Rhode Island School of Design Pre-College Program  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Mixed Media  
Title: The Way Home

**Joyce Du**

Studio Z Art & Design School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Yan Zu  
Category: Painting  
Title: Self Portrait



**Caroline Fu**

Studio Z Design & Art Studio  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Yan Zu  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: The Beauty of Four Seasons

LiMao Art Studio  
Educator - Li Mao  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Kazat Maiden's Gentle Pour

LiMao Art Studio  
Educator - Li Mao  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Man, Dog, Havana

LiMao Art Studio  
Educator - Li Mao  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Absolutely Incredible West

**Juliet Lee**

Zhang Yaowu Art Center  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Wenjun Tao  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Cognition

**Emma Liang**

Zhang Yaowu Art Center  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Daqian Zhang  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Tides

**Chloe Cheuk**

Zhang Yaowu Art Center  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Daqian Zhang  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: My Friend, Yuechee

**Bella Xiang**

Zhang Yaowu Art Center  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Wenjun Tao  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Good Luck Charm

**Rui Wang**

Zhang Yaowu Art Center  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Daqian Zhang  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Eye Of The Sea

**Julia Xu**

Zhang Yaowu Art Center  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Daqian Zhang  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Time

**Junxi Zhang**

Zhang Yaowu Art Center  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Daqian Zhang  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Religious Practice

**Yueyuan Zhang**

Studio Z Art and Design Studio  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Yan Zu  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Snacks and Stares

**Zining Liu**

LiMao Art Studio  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Li Mao  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: The Craftman



## ALIEF ISD

### **Karima Abdullahi**

Albright Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Megan Kelly  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Academic Validation

### **Steven Le**

Albright Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Always Give Don't Always Receive

### **Tuan Duong**

Kerr High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Safraz Ali  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Apartheid Essay

### **Gia Huynh**

Kerr High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Safraz Ali  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Christmas Eve

### **Brian Dang**

Kerr High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Safraz Ali  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Dreams

### **Angelina Le**

Alief Early College High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Katrena Reese  
Category: Poetry  
Title: echoes of the motherland

### **Mia Iraheta**

Alief Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Brenda Peters  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Eliana's Meadow

### **Semilore Adediran**

Albright Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Megan Kelly  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Fairest of them all

### **Obadamilola Babalola**

Alief Early College High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Katrena Reese  
Category: Poetry  
Title: For Nurturing is Nature

### **Binar Karwi**

Kerr High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Kathy Harrison  
Category: Short Story  
Title: From Visionaries to Action Figures:  
The Commodification of Legacy

Category: Short Story  
Title: The Bitter End

### **Ivana Escoto Villegas**

Kerr High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Kathy Harrison  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Here I Am---Reaching

### **Phuoc Dao**

Kerr High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Human Rights and Responsibilities

### **Diego Morales**

Alief Taylor High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Zainab Jabak  
Category: Humor  
Title: Hunter by Chance

### **Chiamaka Ekeh**

Kerr High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Safraz Ali  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Ink-Stained Ghosts

### **Lauren Phang**

Kerr High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Kiwi Bird And I

### **Vy Thai**

Albright Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Megan Kelly  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Mission-Future

### **Aniram Balderdash Gonzalez**

Killough Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Janece Simpson  
Category: Poetry  
Title: oblivious to my love

### **Esther Okobi**

Albright Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Megan Kelly  
Category: Short Story  
Title: silent butcher

### **Esther Robinson**

O'Donnell Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Kaneisha Hicks  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Social Anxiety

### **Esteban Sandoval**

Alief Taylor High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Zainab Jabak  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Taking Action Against  
Climate Change

### **Angel Lopez**

Kerr High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Safraz Ali  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: The Dream Enigma

### **Kordier Dimas**

Alief Taylor High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Zainab Jabak  
Category: Novel Writing  
Title: The Forsaken yet The Desired

### **Temidara Oyegbola**

Alief Early College High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Katrena Reese  
Category: Poetry  
Title: The Heart of the Earth is a Lie

### **Timy Nguyen**

Killough Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Janece Simpson  
Category: Short Story  
Title: The Missing Necklace

### **Yoselin Espinal Martinez**

Kerr High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Safraz Ali  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: The Positive and Negative effects of  
Podcast on True Crime

### **Tiffany Hernandez**

Kerr High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Safraz Ali  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: The power of a woman

### **Nam Nguyen**

Kerr High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Novel Writing  
Title: The Rise of A Shining Crimson Moon

**Faith Omoruyi**

Alief Early College High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Katrena Reese  
Category: Poetry  
Title: The Scars I Wear

**David Beckham Unaegbu**

Elsik High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: The Space I Leave Behind

**Fhrance Osorio**

Alief Early College High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Katrena Reese  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: The Thousand-Year-Old Girl

**Faheemat Sulaiman**

Alief Early College High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Katrena Reese  
Category: Poetry  
Title: This Is Who I Am

**Jayden Phung**

Kerr High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Safraz Ali  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Time's Reckoning

**Khadeeja Ahmed**

Kerr High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Short Story  
Title: To Chryseis, My Everything Times Infinity

**Anthony Medrano**

O'Donnell Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Kaneisha Hicks  
Category: Novel Writing  
Title: Under the Same Sky

**Aishat Owonifari**

Albright Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Megan Kelly  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Why me?

**CYPRESS FAIRBANKS ISD****Gideon Smith**

Cypress Ranch High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Liza Leonhardt  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: A Brief Ruminantion of Professor Edgar P. Wright

**Heidi Costeno**

Cy-Fair High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Vanarie Seunsom  
Category: Poetry  
Title: A Change in Symbol

**Anaya Kabir**

Bridgeland High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Between Two Worlds: A Home Of My Own

**Kiri Grant**

Cypress Park High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Generosity: An infection.

Category: Poetry

Title: When I was little

**Jakya Smith**

Cypress Falls High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Taelen Butler  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Heavy Moonlight Thoughts

**Favor Ito**

Cy-Fair High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Vanarie Seunsom  
Category: Portfolio (Writing)  
Title: My work

**Jayla Vongsy**

Cypress Woods High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Joshua Lopez  
Category: Dramatic Script  
Title: One Astronomical Unit

**William Choi-Kim**

Cy-Fair High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: On School Bathrooms

Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy

Title: The Price of a Soul

**Autumn Cosio**

Cypress Woods High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: The Bends

**CLEAR CREEK ISD****Adelyn Moore**

Victory Lakes Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Katherine Pace  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: One Text

**DEER PARK ISD****Arwen Robinson**

Deer Park High School-S Campus  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Joshua Nebrida  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: A Journey of Discovery

**Sophia Hill**

Deer Park High School-S Campus  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Amani Stephens  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Bartholomew's Epic

**Jaqueline Martinez**

Deer Park High School-S Campus  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Last Goodbye

**Jimena Jimenez**

Deer Park High School-S Campus  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Katie Tatsch  
Category: Short Story  
Title: The Beginning of War

**FORT BEND ISD****Kathleen Yan**

Clements High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: A Canvas of Memories

**Prisha Agarwal**

Elkins High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Short Story  
Title: A face In the crowd

Category: Short Story

Title: The recipie for Passion

**Viet Ly**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Haley Grimes  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: American Ethos



**Eydan Desrosier**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Anomaly

Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: The Scorched Chrysanthemum

**Grace Hu**

Clements High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Heather Hill  
Category: Dramatic Script  
Title: A Play In Which We Are Gods

Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Domestication In The Human Brain

**Zarya Smith**

Stephen F Austin High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Short Story  
Title: A Promise Of Home

**Zaid Kaleemullah**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Portfolio (Writing)  
Title: Beyond The Surface

**Sophia Liu**

Clements High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Birdsong

**Tara Nguyen**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Calm After The Storm

**Tariq Zaman**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Conquerors

**Shira Babajanov**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Haley Grimes  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Cravings

Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Meaning Of Life

**Mishal Shaikh**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Haley Grimes  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Echoes Of Mediocrity

**Dylan Nguyen**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Haley Grimes  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Fire Alarms?!?

**William Lam**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Portfolio (Writing)  
Title: Fragments Of The Whole

**Kelsey Warner**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Gaffing

**Jackson Vogel**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Grit

**Zoya Siddiqui**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Grit: Determination And Mutability

**Viet Nguyen**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Dramatic Script  
Title: Grit: People That Were Meant To Stand

**Tom Nguyen**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Grit: Perseverance Surpasses Talent

**Sophia Truong**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Haley Grimes  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Grit: Talent's Competitor

**Syeda Rizvi**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Grit: The Drive To Success

**Madison Nguyen**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Grit: The Foundation Of Success

**Alicia Marcos**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Grit: The Influences Of Determination And Hope

**Isabella Pineda**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Grit Is Key To Achieving Lifelong Goals

**Matthew Mullins**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Haley Grimes  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: How To Live Life's Adventure

**Ifebiyi Ogunwale**

David Crockett Middle School  
Grade: 7  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Journeying Through Schools, Activities And Worries

**Weiheng Huang**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Scheffie Lindquist  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Life Of Culture And Futures

**Claire Weng**

Clements High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Stephanie Yang  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Lights, Camera, Accents: Reframing Asian Accents In The Digital Media Age

**Jesse Phung**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Dramatic Script  
Title: Living In The Present: Finding Success



**Jessica Jackson**

Dulles High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Lucid

**Sara Khwaja**

Clements High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Faith Orsargos  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Machine

**Sofia Galvan**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Portfolio (Writing)  
Title: Me

**Namirah Chishtey**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Portfolio (Writing)  
Title: Mirrorball

**Samantha Sajo**

Elkins High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Numbers

**Meenakshi Tuppera**

Ridge Point High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Pier Pylon Headstones

**Victoria Nieto**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Reinforced Water Treatments For Microplastics

**Richard Chau**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Portfolio (Writing)  
Title: Richard Tries To Write

**Ahlam Nurhussen**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Road To Recovery

**Gloria Chi**

Clements High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Faith Orsargos  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Succession

**Alice Zhang**

Clements High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: The "String"

**Irene John**

Elkins High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Portfolio (Writing)  
Title: The Bystander Effect

Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: White Suburbia

**Destiny Sumani**

Dulles High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: The Consequences Of Abortion Restrictions

**Tammy Nguyen**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Scheffie Lindquist  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: The End That Began

**Nicole Eke**

Clements High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Novel Writing  
Title: The Four Stages Of Decomposition

**Maria Jesko**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: The Importance Of Grit

**Minal Mohanty**

Elkins High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: The Label

**Joshua Li**

Clements High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Short Story  
Title: The Mongol Invasion

**Isioma Anunobi**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Scheffie Lindquist  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: The Negative Effects Casinos Have On Low-Income People

**Katherine Joseph**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Scheffie Lindquist  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: The World's Oldest Profession

**Ferheen Shaikh**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Portfolio (Writing)  
Title: Thoughts Forged Into Growth: A Time Capsule

**Max Liu**

Clements High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Stephanie Yang  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Towers Of Failure

**Harshita Prajapati**

Clements High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Glenys Mcmennamy  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Translation Exercises, 1-3

**Nicholas Rathjen**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Haley Grimes  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Why Talent Doesn't Matter

**Tingyu Wu**

Clements High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Words I Owe You

**Laiba Effendi**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Haley Grimes  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Zid



## FRIENDSWOOD ISD

### Brandy Romine

Friendswood High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Words That Climb Walls: An Analysis On Kennedy

Category: Critical Essay  
Title: A Timeless Character In Gen Z's Culture

## GALENA PARK ISD

### Stacy Hurtado

Cte Early College High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Allison Evans  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Driving Through The Dreams

### Juan Vargas

North Shore Senior High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Victor Resendiz  
Category: Journalism  
Title: Francisco's Goya's Black Paintings And The Protest Against Political Instability

### Natalie Cardenas

North Shore Senior High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Victor Resendiz  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Small, Blue, And Sealed

### Anita Morgan

North Shore Senior High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Katrina Edwards  
Category: Poetry  
Title: The Siren's Cry

### Gisselle Martin

North Shore Senior High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Victor Resendiz  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: To Live When Alive

## GOOSE CREEK CISD

### Grecia Villarreal

Impact Early College High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Lauren Hoyt  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Many Faces Of One: Dissociative Identity Disorder

Category: Critical Essay  
Title: The Birth Of Art

### Shakuntala Bhowmick

Impact Early College High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Lauren Hoyt  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Mosquita Y Mari: The Boundary Between

### Carolina Coronado

Goose Creek Memorial High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Short Story  
Title: The Winter Before I Died

### Kayla Grant

Impact Early College High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Delynna Kelley  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Chronic Attention Seeking

### Alexa Banda

Impact Early College High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Delynna Kelley  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: The Roots From Where I Grew

## HOUSTON ISD

### Kaylyn Newcomb

Challenge Early College High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: 44627

### Paloma Santamarina

Kinder High School For The Performing And Visual Arts  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Judith Switek  
Category: Dramatic Script  
Title: Across The Great Divide

### Annabel Qiu

Bellaire High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Christopher Doherty  
Category: Journalism  
Title: A District In Distress & Miles Away From Success: Examining Mike Miles' Controversial Tenure At Hisd

### Cesia Jorissen

East Early College High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: A Planet That Lives

Category: Poetry  
Title: Sample Track (V.2)

### Annika Viswanathan

T. H. Rogers School  
Grade: 7  
Educator: Ryah Barazi  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: A Vague Concept

### Abigail Walmer

Kinder High School For The Performing And Visual Arts  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Dramatic Script  
Title: Caroline

### Anakaren Aviles

Kinder High School For The Performing And Visual Arts  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Judith Switek  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Death /DeTH/ a noun

Category: Short Story  
Title: Ice Packs, A Punch

Category: Novel Writing  
Title: The Path To Neurology Can't Be Easy

### Lamees El Beheary

Carnegie Vanguard High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Rachel Bohenic  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Dont Look At Me

### Olumide Adeyeri

Carnegie Vanguard High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Rachel Bohenic  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Friar Laurence's Role In Romeo And Juliet's Theme Development

Category: Journalism  
Title: How Socio Psychological Factors Drive The Persistence Of Fast Fashion

### Alyssa Broadbent

T. H. Rogers School  
Grade: 7  
Educator: Ryah Barazi  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Ghost Girl

### Ava Novak

Bellaire High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Horizon's Eye



**Ismael Guel**

Carnegie Vanguard High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Rachel Bohenic  
Category: Poetry  
Title: I Sway My Flags For All To See

Category: Portfolio (Writing)  
Title: My Identity: Worries And Aspirations

Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: The Four Elements: My Siblings And I

**Serena Li**

Bellaire High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Little By Little, Step By Step

Category: Critical Essay  
Title: The Struggle Of Motherhood: Women's Dilemma Between Career And Family

**Tisha Patel**

Carnegie Vanguard High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Love, Julian

Category: Short Story  
Title: Secrets Lying On The Ocean Floor

Category: Short Story  
Title: The House

**Divya Keswani**

Carnegie Vanguard High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Rachel Bohenic  
Category: Dramatic Script  
Title: Nothing Changes

**Mihika Agrawal**

T. H. Rogers School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Parental Influence On Child's Success

**Mikayla Ejeh**

Kinder High School For The Performing And Visual Arts  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Party's Dawn

**Midae(Cheng) Chuang**

T. H. Rogers School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Plastic Bag

**Eva Rami**

Kinder High School For The Performing And Visual Arts  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Dramatic Script  
Title: Power Outage

**Vicky Shen**

Pin Oak Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Puncta

**Bella Kalra**

Kinder High School For The Performing And Visual Arts  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Spitfire

**Lydia Luo**

Carnegie Vanguard High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Stage 3 T-I

**Andrew Du**

Carnegie Vanguard High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Max Ostrovsky  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Stargazing

Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Summit

**Jasmine Wang**

Debakey High School For Health Professions  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: The Lines We Live By

Category: Critical Essay  
Title: The Shadow Of Patroclus

**Miranda Wang**

Bellaire High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Lillian Harris  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: The Scarlet Letter: The Beauty Of Ambiguity

**Sophia Li**

Carnegie Vanguard High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: What It Means To Be Human

**KATY ISD**

**Lalita Rotte**

Seven Lakes High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: 11.01.03

**Zara Subramanian**

Adams Junior High School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Brittany Setzekorn  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Alone

**Natalie Truong**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: William Clouse  
Category: Short Story  
Title: A New Taste

**Niveditha Narayanan**

Adams Junior High School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Jessica Cardwell  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: A Speck Of Difference

**Dain Park**

Cinco Ranch High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Short Story  
Title: A Vile Man

**Moreblessing Simbature**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: William Clouse  
Category: Portfolio (Writing)  
Title: Becoming A Boeing 337-400

**Grace Ding**

Obra D Tompkins High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Kelly Moore  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Bikes & Bones

Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Declaration Of Independence From The White Knight

**Yanxi Liu**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Jonathan Frishman  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Bio-Inspired Algorithm: Nature's Guidance For Modern Development Challenges

**Jay Sahni**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Novel Writing  
Title: Blind Sight

Category: Novel Writing  
Title: The Snow Witch's Return

**Aanya Goyal**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Jonathan Frishman  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Corruption In The Medical Industry

**Grace Carey**

Katy High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Recarlo Richardson  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Counting Things

**Jooni Hwang**

Obra D Tompkins High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Dare To Dream

**Krish Gupta**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Caryn Rasberry  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Ethics Unveiled: Analyzing The Effect Of Covid-19 On Athletics

**Paola Sanchez**

Cinco Ranch High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Mary Sarver  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Faceless Boy

**Aryan Jangada**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Jonathan Frishman  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Facing Forward: How Sports Leaders Can Champion Mental Wellness

Category: Dramatic Script  
Title: Perfect, Almost Too Perfect

**Medina Mohabbat**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Gold

**Victor Fu**

Woodcreek Junior High School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Novel Writing  
Title: Gold Cup

**Camryn Davis**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Fate And I Played A Game Of Cards

Category: Poetry  
Title: Gold, A Glinting Trick Of Light

Category: Poetry  
Title: I Crushed A Bug Beneath My Shoe

Category: Poetry  
Title: Pain Is A Fake Familiarity

Category: Poetry  
Title: The Sword, In Hand, Weighed Not With Steel

Category: Poetry  
Title: When There's No One For Death To Take, Where Does It Go?

**Vishnu Siripurapu**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Jonathan Frishman  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Harnessing Algae Overgrowth: Biofuel Production Through Geopolitical Challenges

**Moemal Al-Wishah**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Novel Writing  
Title: Hidden Depths

Category: Novel Writing  
Title: Hidden Depths

**Brynlee Gosnell**

Adams Junior High School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Tracy Talbott  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: How Love Goes

**Pooja Ratan**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Caryn Rasberry  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Increased Usage Of Agricultural Biotechnology: Impacts On Perceptions And Beliefs

**Manaswi Kodali**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Jonathan Frishman  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Intelligence Testing And Its True Influence On The Measurement Of Intellect

**Missy Han**

James E Taylor High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Life...With A Side Of Shoes

**Nelson Ma**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: William Clouse  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Lightness

Category: Short Story  
Title: The Filmmaker

**Sofie Dumitrascu**

Adams Junior High School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Brittany Setzekorn  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Memoirs Of A Changing Child

**Catherine Xu**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Midnight Mold

**Edison Khvang**

Adams Junior High School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Jessica Cardwell  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Misdirection Of The Blood Moon

**Antony Zhu**

Katy High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Recarlo Richardson  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Morning Mug

**Arianna Hodge**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Mosaic

**Jooni Hwang**

Obra D Tompkins High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Music-Making

**Saanvi Bandi**

Adams Junior High School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Brittany Setzekorn  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Over And Out

**Jaiden Suh**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Jonathan Frishman  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Ptsd And Stress: Implications For  
The Political Environment And Politicians

Michelle Martinez

Jordan High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Jonathan Frishman  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Raised To Obedience: How Insurance  
Companies Take Advantage Of The  
Vulnerable

**Alyssa Choudhury**

Adams Junior High School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Kellie Pichon  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Siren Love

**Andrea Calimac**

Tays Junior High School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Novel Writing  
Title: Survivor

**Sean Lin**

Cinco Ranch High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Texas Track Star

**Justin Nguyen**

Adams Junior High School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Jessica Cardwell  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: The Abyss

**Emma Brikho**

Adams Junior High School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Kellie Pichon  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: The Blue-Eyed Hound

**Shaun Castillo**

Katy High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Recarlo Richardson  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: The Box

**Shrestajna Banik**

Tays Junior High School  
Grade: 7  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: The Harmful Effects Of Ai On  
Students

**Grace Zhang**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Short Story  
Title: The June Incident

**Ishaan Agrawal**

Adams Junior High School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Jessica Cardwell  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: The Most Important Sacrifice

**Marlon Le**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: William Clouse  
Category: Short Story  
Title: The Reaper

**Camila Wagner-Sanchez**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Emily Regetz  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: The Silver Screen: How Sports  
Media Perpetuates Racial Bias

**Saanchi Sehgal**

Adams Junior High School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Kellie Pichon  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: The Story Travelers

**Lyla Farag**

Adams Junior High School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Jessica Cardwell  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: The Truth

**Addison Davis**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Jonathan Frishman  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: The "Situationship" Between Popular  
Television Influences And Romantic Labels

**Yuancheng Chen**

Seven Lakes High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Matthew Lefevre  
Category: Humor  
Title: True Love

**Peter Kim**

Obra D Tompkins High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Journalism  
Title: Unwelcome Home: The Stories  
America Forgot

**Om Loke**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Jonathan Frishman  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Utopian Societies: Birthplace Of  
Individualism Or The Death Of Creativity?

**KLEIN ISD****Grace Dziadul**

Klein Oak High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Danielle Campos  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Abstract Musings Of A Thinker

**Reese Ramos**

Ulrich Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Rikki Carter  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Against The Current: A Journey  
From Fear To Triumph

**Varune Ramoutar**

Krimmel Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Holly Walsh  
Category: Journalism  
Title: Artificial Intelligence: Why We  
Should Listen To The Warning Signs

**Kennedy Holmes**

Klein Cain High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: A Twisted Kind Of Faith

**Phoebe Hutchison**

Krimmel Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Holly Walsh  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: A Whisper In The War

**Xuan Khu'u**

Kleb Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Christy Stewart  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Behind Closed Pages



**Jlonna Marshall**

Klein High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Valeria Hero  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Challenging The Mighty

Category: Novel Writing  
Title: Claws And Fangs

Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Falling Into The Pits Of  
Predetermined Failure And Despair.

**Michelle Nguyen**

Kleb Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Christy Stewart  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Dawn Against Dusk

**Emily Reyes**

Ulrich Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Rikki Carter  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Fractured Nobility

**Chloe Nguyen**

Ulrich Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Rikki Carter  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: From A Different Point Of View: The  
Vietnam War

**Grazzia Ramos**

Klein Collins High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Megan Schmidt  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Guardian's Last Stand

**Royce Castillo**

Klein Collins High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Alyssa Drain  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Harbinger Of Love And Hate

Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Prophecy Of The Wise Or  
The Deranged

**Layla Phillips**

Ulrich Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Rikki Carter  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Have I Tried Hard Enough?

**Grant O'bannon**

Klein Oak High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Danielle Campos  
Category: Poetry  
Title: I Pray Thee!

**Rocco Conway**

Doerre Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Melissa Reisdorf  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Last Train Out Of London

**Masiha Vahed**

Ulrich Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Rikki Carter  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Life: Did I Deserve This?

**Miguel Araujo**

Klein Forest High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Danae Perez  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Lucia Windway

**John Bui**

Klein Forest High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Danae Perez  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Lynette

**Julia Trinh**

Klein Collins High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Megan Schmidt  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Madness Descends Upon The People

**Emily Ortiz**

Klein Forest High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Danae Perez  
Category: Portfolio (Writing)  
Title: My Mind

**Crystal Le**

Ulrich Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Rikki Carter  
Category: Short Story  
Title: One Flutter Away

**Faith Ducksworth**

Krimmel Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Holly Walsh  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Our Entangled Poisoned Love Game.

**Shyanne Jordan**

Klein Collins High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Alyssa Drain  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Pathological

**Sebastian Estrada**

Doerre Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Melissa Reisdorf  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Prohibition

**Maleah Parker**

Klein Oak High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Linda Billings  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Scratching.

**Deetya Boddu**

Doerre Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Melissa Reisdorf  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Shadows Of The Black Death

**Charlotte Mahoney**

Klein Oak High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Michaela Eisman  
Category: Novel Writing  
Title: Shire

**Anami Dalsaniya**

Klein Collins High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Megan Schmidt  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Specter

**Jackson Payton**

Klein Collins High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Alyssa Drain  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Sterile Dreams

**Ronan Vance**

Klein Oak High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Cortney Boettger  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Suburbia

**Joesph Bomer**

Doerre Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Melissa Reisdorf  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: The Attack On Pearl Harbor

**Jeanelle Cortez**

Vistas High School Program  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Short Story  
Title: The Clock That Started To Tick

**Wilder Prichard**

Klein Oak High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Holly Walsh  
Category: Portfolio (Writing)  
Title: The Darkness In Your Lights

**Charlotte Mahoney**

Klein Oak High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Michaela Eisman  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: The Day I Died

**Eve Ventura**

Klein High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: The Dogs In Me

**Noah Brown**

Doerre Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Melissa Reisdorf  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: The Draft

**Emilio Carrillo**

Schindewolf Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Leanne Pope  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: The Glorification Of Mental Health  
And Suicide Through Media

**Thyana Nguyen**

Ulrich Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Rikki Carter  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: The Last Cycle

**Netra Shivakumar**

Doerre Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Melissa Reisdorf  
Category: Short Story  
Title: The Loss Of A Queen

**Harley Holmes**

Kleb Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Christy Stewart  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: The Paintings Of Victor Burgen

**Malcolm Gilbert**

Kleb Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Christy Stewart  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: The Result Of Censoring The Mighty

**Petra Mani**

Klein Collins High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Yvette Stuckey  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: The Smile Room

**Sohiab Almasalha**

Klein Collins High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Alyssa Drain  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Those Were The Days

**Jenny Dominguez**

Doerre Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Melissa Reisdorf  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Thundering Titanic

**Luke Rather**

Klein Collins High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Alyssa Drain  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Unbecoming

**Trinity Lovely**

Krimmel Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Holly Walsh  
Category: Dramatic Script  
Title: Unjust Arrest

**Pamela Moore**

Klein Cain High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Alexandra Matheny  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Where Blue Orchids Bloom

**PASADENA ISD****Kevin Cantu**

Sam Rayburn High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Jennifer Cloninger  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Free Flow

**Joaquin Hernandez**

Dr. Kirk Lewis Career & Technical High  
School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Stephanie Patrisso  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Jakobi's Songbird

**Victoria Rodriguez**

Sam Rayburn High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Jennifer Cloninger  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Like Him

**PEARLAND ISD****Anthony Kurek Iii**

Robert Turner Colege-Career High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Kyla Mora  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: I Just Wanted A Drink Of Water

**Zipporah Ramirez**

Robert Turner Colege-Career High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Made With Love

**Michelle Gu**

Glenda Dawson High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Ma Guardian Beasts

**Isabel Chung**

Pearland High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Seeing The World As A  
Space-Time Strain

**Stephanie Nash**

Glenda Dawson High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Sonder: A Synonym Of Confusion

**Ethan Chen**

Glenda Dawson High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Humor  
Title: Thick As Pea Soup

**SPRING BRANCH ISD****Lyla Storms**

Memorial High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Hot Temper

**Sean Zeng**

Spring Branch Academic Institute  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Cassondra Hayes  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Journey Through Hell And Heaven

**Valerie Warren**

Stratford High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Cassondra Hayes  
Category: Short Story  
Title: War Songs



## SPRING ISD

### Trinity Molina

Spring Early College Academy  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Valerie Hassel  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Carla's Mystery

Category: Short Story  
Title: The Train Station

## TOMBALL ISD

### Valerie Barrero

Tomball Memorial High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Journalism  
Title: Economic Implications Of Oceanic  
Pollution On Pacific Communities

### Brady Sanchez

Tomball High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Misty Memories

### Ayowunmi Akosile

Tomball Memorial High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Carrie Varnell  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Only Evil Never Equal

### Aubrie Austin

Tomball Memorial High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Kathleen Campese  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Scars

### Alexis Mesina

Tomball Memorial High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Kathleen Campese  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Taken Too Early

### Anvika Chevuri

Tomball Memorial High School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Takeisha Woods  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: The Complexity Of Simplicity

### Valerie Barrero

Tomball Memorial High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Journalism  
Title: The Economic Impact Of Tourism On  
The Living Conditions Across Asia

### Kristine Vo

Tomball Memorial High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Takeisha Woods  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: The Events Of Aiuni

### Mia Lombard

Tomball Memorial High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Erika Kaiser  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: The Girl, The Shadow, And  
The Graveyard

### Fatima Carbajal

Tomball Memorial High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Dana McMillan  
Category: Poetry  
Title: What Is My Name?

## PRIVATE STUDIOS

### Elizabeth Taboada

Catholic Literary Arts  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Lauren Lee  
Category: Short Story  
Title: New Kid

### Valerie Barrero

Columbia University Pre-College  
Programs  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Stellalux

### Lina Volpi

J Mark Price's Reading & Writing  
Workshop  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Star Han  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Closer To Your Heart

Category: Poetry  
Title: Why The Crows Converse

### Aanya Saihgal

J Mark Price's Reading & Writing  
Workshop  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Humor  
Title: Everyone Makes Mistakes

Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Spoons

### Emily Yen

J Mark Price's Reading & Writing  
Workshop  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Star Han  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Fire

### Elaine Lin

James Reese Career And Technical Center  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Joey Dyrud-Lange  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Of What Was

### Sophie Zhang

Margo Writing  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Margaret Tung  
Category: Humor  
Title: A Day At The Museum

### Michelle Li

Margo Writing  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Margaret Tung  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Father's Daughter

Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Starter Pack

### Catherine Sun

Margo Writing  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Margaret Tung  
Category: Journalism  
Title: Fruitpologies In Place Of Apologies

### Claire Weng

Margo Writing  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Margaret Tung  
Category: Journalism  
Title: Lights, Camera, Accents

### Hannah Wang

Margo Writing  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Margaret Tung  
Category: Short Story  
Title: On Pennies: Pinching And Punching

### Faye Tang

Margo Writing  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Margaret Tung  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Picky



**Amanda Zhang**

Margo Writing  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Margaret Tung  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Platonic Love

Category: Short Story  
Title: Third Time's The Charm

**Jenna Li**

Margo Writing  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Margaret Tung  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Teenagers And Their Bodies: Who Should Make The Decisions?

**Wendi Ning**

Margo Writing  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Margaret Tung  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: The Fall Of Civilizations: Lessons From The Past And Warnings For The Present

**Gabriel Miao**

Margo Writing  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Margaret Tung  
Category: Novel Writing  
Title: The Field Trip

**Ryan Wu**

Margo Writing  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Margaret Tung  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: The Fun Uncle

Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: The Pitch

**Esther Chen**

Serenity Art School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Jing Sun  
Category: Portfolio (Writing)  
Title: Nostalgia

**Annabel Hao**

Spidersmart At Sugar Land  
Grade: 7  
Educator: Sharon Li  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: America's Rising Political Polarization Is Shattering The Country

**Haity Zhang**

Spidersmart At Sugar Land  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Impermanence

Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Season Renewal

**Ethan Zheng**

Spidersmart At Sugar Land  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Sharon Li  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: The Jack Of All Trades

**Jaydon Xu**

Spidersmart Learning Center Of Bellaire  
Grade: 7  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Fading Memories And Eternal Peace

**Ethan Zhan**

Spidersmart Learning Center Of Bellaire  
Grade: 7  
Educator: Yan Hou  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Flying Fish Evolution Improves Aerial Transportation Technology

**Amelia Liu**

Spidersmart Learning Center Of Bellaire  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Yan Hou  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Straw Bans: The Intersection Of Environmental Justice And Ableism

**Clare Zhan**

Spidersmart Learning Center Of Bellaire  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Yan Hou  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Wind Energy: Worth The Risk?

## PRIVATE SCHOOLS, CHARTER SCHOOLS & INDEPENDENT SUBMISSIONS

**Ellie Norton**

Aim Academy Online  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Lilianna Meldrum Serbicki  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: The Error: File 66478

**Julia Clark**

Annunciation Orthodox School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Marian Rosse  
Category: Short Story  
Title: The Time It Takes To Be A Writer

**Hana Iqbal**

Awty International School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Alison Kilfoyle  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: "An Albatross Around The Neck"

**Rory Colgin**

Awty International School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Ane Ebie-Mouton  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: A Barbarian On A Bicycle

**Bryan Zhao**

Awty International School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Robert Rusnak  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: A Digital Purge: How Digital Authoritarianism Is Redefining Oppression And Mass Atrocities

**Anjali Shah**

Awty International School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Amanda Wood  
Category: Poetry  
Title: A Fake World

Category: Critical Essay  
Title: How Tremendous Loss And Trauma Lead To Dissociation From The World

**Sydney Bayardo**

Awty International School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Amanda Wood  
Category: Poetry  
Title: As People

**Chanya Methaprayoon**

Awty International School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Joshua Burton  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Characterization Of Yoko Ogawa's "The Memory Police" As A Work Of Metafiction

**Chloe Zakhem**

Awty International School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Tavan Tavakoli  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Douglas MacArthur's Role In The Rebuilding Of Japan

**Abby Roux**

Awty International School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Laurence Paul  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Everyday Use

**Stella Sung**

Awty International School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Laurence Paul  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Everyday Value (Rewrite Of Everyday Use From Dee's Pov)



**Ana Toledano**

Awty International School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Ane Ebie-Mouton  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Forgetful Enigmas

**Ayden Mosley**

Awty International School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Ane Ebie-Mouton  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Haunted By My Own Reflection

**Alexander Drew**

Awty International School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Greg Cullinan  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: It Really Is Perfect, Benedict

**Rory Colgin**

Awty International School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Ane Ebie-Mouton  
Category: Novel Writing  
Title: Like A Ghost

Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: To Pia

**Haashir Qureshi**

Awty International School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Alison Kilfoyle  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Loss And Trauma: The Memory Police

**Jackson Macarthur**

Awty International School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Rodeo: Travis Scott's Story Of Fame

**Ayah Sharafeldin**

Awty International School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Miranda Miller  
Category: Dramatic Script  
Title: Squirrels

**Lindsey He**

Awty International School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Pamela Dorsey  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Stages

**Sola Juul**

Awty International School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Amanda Wood  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Tainted Pomegranates

**Cara Obua**

Awty International School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Ane Ebie-Mouton  
Category: Novel Writing  
Title: Targets Of Fame

**Lucy Holt**

Awty International School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Short Story  
Title: The Funeral

**Keon Etminan**

Awty International School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Alison Kilfoyle  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: The Futility Of Resistance To Loss

**Leah Hwang**

Awty International School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Monica Everett  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: The Invisible Harm Of The Model Minority Myth

**Anya Bhojwani**

Awty International School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Laurence Paul  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Them

**Cléa-Rose Deschanel-Pathman**

Awty International School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Laurence Paul  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: The Saint Martyr

Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: This Is A Love Story

**Sara Jafarzadeh**

Awty International School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Greg Cullinan  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: The Seeds We Plant Today

**Zoe Cahir**

Awty International School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Ane Ebie-Mouton  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: The Starvation Of The Sun

**Aleena Shaikh**

Awty International School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Alison Kilfoyle  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: The Story

**Ane Alonso Sancho**

Awty International School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Chris Webb  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Transboundary Movement: E-Waste And The Power Dynamics In International Trade

**Yasmin Etminan**

Awty International School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Robert Rusnak  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Two Shadows Under One Sun

**Dariia Chugueva**

Awty International School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Elizabeth Carwile  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Vanities

**Luca Forcella**

Awty International School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Joshua Burton  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Will Our Rights Be Stripped?

**Sophia Shakourifar**

Awty International School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Amanda Wood  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Yaurd

**Hailey Powell**

Concordia Lutheran High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Inamorata

Category: Short Story  
Title: Structurally Sound

**Neev Shaw**

Davidson Academy Online  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Tracy Sangster  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: The Hidden -Ism That No One Wants To Talk About

**Lizette Bernier**

Duchesne Academy Of Sacred Heart  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: The Healing Touch Of A Mother;The Ethereal Nature Of Tragedy



**Chloe Schroeder**

Duchesne Academy Of Sacred Heart  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Lesli Dabney  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Urban Sprawl, Stop The Spread

**Addison Penny**

Emery Weiner School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: A Cycle That Keeps On Going

**Katherine Burke**

Emery Weiner School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Only Daughter

Category: Poetry

Title: The Lost And The Waiting

**Charlotte Cutrer**

Emery Weiner School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: The Dream

**Noah Chelius**

Emery Weiner School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: The Lonely Everlasting

**Sarah Bezemek**

Episcopal High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Jordan Harris  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Grandma's Orange Cake

**Maarya Khan**

Harmony School Innovation-Sugar Land  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Knee Scrapes And Lemonade.

**Rodihat Ogungbade**

Harmony School Of Advancement  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Portfolio (Writing)  
Title: Letters To My Heart

**Dat Huynh**

Harmony Science Academy-Katy  
Grade: 8  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: The Key Turns Both Ways

Joshua Mohith

Homeschool  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Novel Writing  
Title: The Momentous Adventures Of Lester Fence

**Elizabeth Lei**

Homeschool  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Things Worth Stealing

**Andrea Shi**

Homeschool  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Train To Nowhere

**Avery Tucker**

Incarnate Word Academy  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Amanda Snook  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Daisy

**Clarksyn Connely**

Incarnate Word Academy  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: My Dearest Experiment

**Aalain Harum**

Ischool High At University Park  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Taking A Leap (Of Faith)

**Gianna Pulian**

Ischool High- Creekside  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Akaya's Dream

**Caroline Pielop**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Angélique Jamail  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Anatomy Of A Collision / (M1v1+M2v2=M1v1'+M2v2')

Category: Poetry

Title: Ways To Find Water Or Knowledge

**Harris Lingle**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Angélique Jamail  
Category: Humor  
Title: Bonding Over Questionable Queso

**Elizabeth Koo**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Angélique Jamail  
Category: Humor  
Title: A Sasaeng's Guide To The Perfect Skincare

**John Patterson**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Angélique Jamail  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Ashes Of Purpose, Embers Of Rebellion: A Testament To Eternal Ruin

**Helen Zhang**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Angélique Jamail  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Etymology Lessons; Empathy

Category: Poetry

Title: If You Attach Butterfly Wings To An Ant, Will It Fly With Grace?

Category: Poetry

Title: Six Ways To Love A Dragon Fruit

**Isabella Petree**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Angélique Jamail  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Frigid Shattered Skies

**Bridget Gray**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Angélique Jamail  
Category: Dramatic Script  
Title: Goodbye, Mr. Rochester

**Megan Wu**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Angélique Jamail  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Hush

Category: Short Story

Title: The Boy

**Edward Kang**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Angélique Jamail  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Judgement



**Audrey Koo**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Angélique Jamail  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Letters As An Antidote To Pride And Prejudice

**Riana Pliskin**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Angélique Jamail  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Lost In The Wardrobe

**Maithreyi Asthagiri**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Angélique Jamail  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Metamorphosis

**Elliot Wong**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 7  
Educator: Angélique Jamail  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Passionless

**Lucas Fang**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Angélique Jamail  
Category: Poetry  
Title: The City Is A Mouth That Never Closes

Category: Poetry

Title: The Elixir Of Life

Category: Poetry

Title: Overcoming Drought

**Shubh Agrawal**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 7  
Educator: Angélique Jamail  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: The Crimson Rebel

**Danna Sun**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Angélique Jamail  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: The Light Of Darkness

**Bridget Gray**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Angélique Jamail  
Category: Dramatic Script  
Title: Wings

**Ray Tian**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Angélique Jamail  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: The Unconscious World: Freud And Jung In The Novel 'As I Lay Dying'

**Cami Culbertson**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Angélique Jamail  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Was Shakespeare Really A Feminist: A Look At Feminism And The Patriarchy In Macbeth

**Cal Bechtol**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Angélique Jamail  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: We Will Be Interesting Forever: An Analysis Of Female Friendship, The Coming Of Age Experience, And The Role Of Women In The Buccaneers, Little Women, And Everything I Know About Love

**Raegan Turner**

Kipling Elementary  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Amanda Malet  
Category: Poetry  
Title: My Transfer From Craving To Repulsion

**Uziel Rodezno**

Kipp Journey Collegiate  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Humor  
Title: A Humble Man's Plea

Category: Personal Essay & Memoir

Title: Colanes & Cacao

Category: Poetry

Title: Inside.

**Katlyn Nguyen**

Memorial High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: H-O-P-E

**Collin Jarrell**

Presbyterian School  
Grade: 7  
Educator: Elizabeth Eades  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: The Affairs Of Passing Gods

**Sofia Hanna**

River Oaks Baptist School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Chelsea Reynolds  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: The Race

**Allegra Johnson**

River Oaks Baptist School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Chelsea Reynolds  
Category: Short Story  
Title: The Velvet Dress

**Sophia Bellard**

St Agnes Academy  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Herman Sutter  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Daddy's Girl

**Kyra Ezikeuzor**

St Agnes Academy  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Herman Sutter  
Category: Portfolio (Writing)  
Title: Daughter Of The Riverbend

**Sophie Wang**

St Agnes Academy  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Herman Sutter  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Exhibition Of A People

**Sophie Da Silva**

St Agnes Academy  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Herman Sutter  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Fence

Category: Poetry

Title: Hands Of A God

**Frida Buck**

St Agnes Academy  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Herman Sutter  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Heaven's Mirror

Category: Dramatic Script

Title: Heliophytes

**Scarlet Jacobson**

St Agnes Academy  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Herman Sutter  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Marigolds.



**Emma Johnston**

St Agnes Academy  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Herman Sutter  
Category: Journalism  
Title: Political Reeducation Or Cultural Extermination: The Uyghurs In China

**Olivia Kao**

St Agnes Academy  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Herman Sutter  
Category: Novel Writing  
Title: The Rise And Fall Of House Bloodbyrn

**Madison Bibb**

St John's School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: A Black Woman's Hair: The Root Of Identity

Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: A Social Dilemma: The Grasp Of Societal Approval

**Roman BI**

St Pius X High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Maw

**Dalia Sandberg**

St. John's School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Clay Guinn  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Alert And Aware

**Nathan Kim**

St. John's School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Clay Guinn  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Anxiety And Algebra

Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Biting The Habit

**Georgia Pulliam**

St. John's School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Rachel Weissenstein  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Chosen Family

**Andrew Kalapatapu**

St. John's School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Communication As A Tool For Disconnection Within Relationships

**Ally Rodriguez**

St. John's School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Rachel Weissenstein  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Coffee And Donuts

Category: Portfolio (Writing)  
Title: Cowboy Up!

**Enbao Cao**

St. John's School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Clay Guinn  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Disturbing Hybrids

**Sasha Mintz**

St. John's School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Marquita Gill  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Ever-Changing Aspirations: The Perception Of Freedom In Their Eyes Were Watching God

**Daniela Laing**

St. John's School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Novel Writing  
Title: Exile

**Wanya Zafar**

St. John's School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: David Nathan  
Category: Journalism  
Title: Final Week Of October Welcomes Fairytales, Festivities And Fun At St. John's School

**Sophia Gidi**

St. John's School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Kimberley Roquemore  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: From Victims To Villains: How Society Breeds Resentment And Revenge

**Jennifer Lin**

St. John's School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Grip Stretch Tear Cry

**Colton Thompson**

St. John's School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Rachel Weissenstein  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Inked

**Derek Jiu**

St. John's School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Marquita Gill  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Hooky

Category: Poetry  
Title: In Five Years Time

Category: Dramatic Script  
Title: Folly

**Joaquin Arnold**

St. John's School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Michael Seckman  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Leather Loafers

**Kaviya Dhir**

St. John's School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Daniel Alig  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Losing And Learning: The Effects Of Loss And Grief On My Perspective

**Lee Monistere**

St. John's School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: David Nathan  
Category: Journalism  
Title: Nick's Slimy History, Declassified

**Abi Balachandran**

St. John's School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Our Guest

**Philippa Mccord**

St. John's School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Judy Adams  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Pen

**Fiona Bodmann**

St. John's School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Kemberly Kemp  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Pink To Pain

**Brian Kim**

St. John's School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Marquita Gill  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Pride And Prejudice



**Eloise Carey**

St. John's School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Judy Adams  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Room 243

**Aien Du**

St. John's School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Rachel Weissenstein  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Seeing Gray: The Effects Binary Opposites Have On Individuals

Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: She Loves Me, She Just Doesn't Say It

Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Speaking Up

Category: Journalism  
Title: The Ipad Problem

**Khoi Chu**

St. John's School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Dramatic Script  
Title: The Aftermath

**Nathan Kim**

St. John's School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Clay Guinn  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: The Burden Of Things And Names: Trauma's Unseen Weight

**Sasha Mintz**

St. John's School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Clay Guinn  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: The Conductor Of The Earth

**Fiona Bodmann**

St. John's School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Marquita Gill  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: The Illusion Of Free Will

**Ashwini Poduval**

St. John's School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Judy Adams  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: The Lake

**Ailey Takashima**

St. John's School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Marquita Gill  
Category: Short Story  
Title: When Lives Turn Into Smoke

**Yutia Li**

St. John's School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Judy Adams  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: The Loss Of Independent Thinking In Fahrenheit 451 And Modern Society

Category: Critical Essay  
Title: The Unseen Puppeteer: When Fear Takes Control Over Human Thoughts And Actions In Chimamanda Ngozi Adichie's Purple Hibiscus

**Morgan Raizner**

St. John's School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Matthew Wells  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Turning Onions Into Apples: The Effect Of Acceptance Of Labels On The Identities Of Women In Jamaica Kincaid's Short Story "Girl" And In Charlotte Perkins Gilman's Short Story "The Yellow Wallpaper"

Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Breaking Character: How Every Illusion Has A Tell In F. Scott Fitzgerald's The Great Gatsby

**Henry Caputo**

St. John's School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Allyson Laborde  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Woman In The Wallpaper: An Analysis Of "The Yellow Wallpaper" And "Story"

**Roger Li**

Strake Jesuit College Prep School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Journalism  
Title: Bordering Dystopian: The Underhanded Politics At Our Southern Flank

**Daphne George**

The Village School, High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Denise Keenaghan  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Hunger Hurts

**Gwendolyn Olfindo**

The Village School, High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Denise Keenaghan  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Iron Vessel

Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: White Blue & Red

**Sherine Liu**

The Village School, High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Mental Health Epidemic - Who, What, When, Where, Why, And How?

**Holly Schofield**

The Village School, High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Denise Keenaghan  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Sweet Repentance

**Laura Le Bris**

The Village School, High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Denise Keenaghan  
Category: Poetry  
Title: The Hidden Thread

**Amber Deng**

The Village School, Middle School  
Grade: 7  
Educator: Elizabeth Foye  
Category: Novel Writing  
Title: Akira and Isamu: the Key of Infinite Doors

**Makito Kuwahata**

The Village School, Middle School  
Grade: 7  
Educator: Elizabeth Foye  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Artificial Intelligence

**Sahaj Patel**

The Village School, Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Elizabeth Foye  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Betrayal in the Halls of Power

**Kabir Rai**

The Village School, Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Elizabeth Foye  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Common Sense v. Open Borders

**Alex Chen**

The Village School, Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Elizabeth Foye  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Echoes Among the Stars: The Cost of Victory

**Martin Guerrero**

The Village School, Middle School  
Grade: 7  
Educator: Elizabeth Foye  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Midnight Chronicles



**Ayah Solanji**

The Village School, Middle School  
Grade: 7  
Educator: Elizabeth Foye  
Category: Poetry  
Title: The Echoes of Alone

**Daniela Rodriguez Gnecco**

The Village School, Middle School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: The Penguin Zoo

**London Casser**

The WIDE School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Katy Garza  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: What Remained

**Ryan Yin**

Village School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: When You Left

**Lucia King**

Village School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Taken For Granted

**Esmeralda Rodriguez**

YES Prep North Central Secondary  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: A fathers Golden Heart



## ALDINE ISD

### Luciano Romero

Aldine High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Birgit Langhammer  
Category: Photography  
Title: Good Times

### Dalila Hernandez

Aldine High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Birgit Langhammer  
Category: Photography  
Title: Happy Birthday

### Litzy Hernandez

Aldine High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Birgit Langhammer  
Category: Photography  
Title: World Of Wonders

### Sofyah Macias

Aldine Young Womens Leadership  
Academy  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Jenni Settle  
Category: Photography  
Title: An Alluring Season

### Ian Paiz

Blanson Career And Technical Education  
High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: William Brink  
Category: Photography  
Title: Confidence

Category: Photography  
Title: Looking Into Me

Category: Photography  
Title: The Half I Show

### Sydney Hartfield

Blanson Career And Technical Education  
High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Christopher Peel  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Ode To Jonathan

### Christian Abrajan

Blanson Career And Technical Education  
High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Christopher Peel  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: The Endeavor Of Sleep

### Jeremiah Hightower

Carver High School Applied Tech/Eng/Arts  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Matthew Kirkpatrick  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Eye Of The Beholder

### Diane Chagoya

Carver High School Applied Tech/Eng/Arts  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Matthew Kirkpatrick  
Category: Photography  
Title: Gracias a Dios

### Diego Ibarra

Carver High School Applied Tech/Eng/Arts  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Matthew Kirkpatrick  
Category: Photography  
Title: We're Here, Nyia

### Mckenzie Griffin

Chester W Nimitz High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Ariana Swafford  
Category: Photography  
Title: A Darkness

### Isaac Robles

Chester W Nimitz High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Jorge Vazquez  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Birth Of Visions

### Angie Bonilla

Chester W Nimitz High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Jorge Vazquez  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Merry Moomas

### Vicente Velez

Chester W Nimitz High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Jorge Vazquez  
Category: Comic Art  
Title: Polemos Horis

### Briana Benavides

Davis Senior High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Martin Barrera  
Category: Photography  
Title: Inside Out

### Galilea Rodarte

Dwight D Eisenhower High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Oscar Medina  
Category: Photography  
Title: El Rancho Real

### Maria Munoz

Dwight D Eisenhower High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Oscar Medina  
Category: Photography  
Title: Vintage

## ALIEF ISD

### Zainab Dare

Alief Taylor High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Jeffrey Jacobitz  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Joy In Moments

### Ashley Alvarez

Alief Taylor High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Jeffrey Jacobitz  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: The Sea Is A Home Of Mine

### Yuneisy Pacheco

Elsik High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: RJ Christensen  
Category: Ceramics & Glass  
Title: Floral Symphony

### Lena Mombo

Elsik High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: RJ Christensen  
Category: Ceramics & Glass  
Title: Kwin Gle

### Ana Vargas

Elsik High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: RJ Christensen  
Category: Ceramics & Glass  
Title: Preparing For Take-Off

### Natalia Castro

Elsik High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: RJ Christensen  
Category: Ceramics & Glass  
Title: Pseudo Saint

### Jocelyn Lopez

Elsik High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Jennifer Marquez  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Blooming

### Vickie Tran

Elsik High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Jennifer Marquez  
Category: Portfolio (Art)  
Title: Fleeting Moments

### Long Nguyen

Elsik High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Jennifer Marquez  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Within



**Hoang La**

Hastings High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Sarah Perry  
Category: Painting  
Title: The Secret Of My Soul

**Marcos Coronado**

Kerr High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Safraz Ali  
Category: Fashion  
Title: Threads Of Heritage

**Lena Nguyen**

Kerr High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Keri Reynolds  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Brain Fog

**Sharon Piedrasanta**

Kerr High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Keri Reynolds  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Bubbleborne Cherri-Girl

**ALVIN ISD**

**Kylie Leo**

Shadow Creek High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Amy Gardziel  
Category: Ceramics & Glass  
Title: Lone Star Legacy

**Riley Hill**

Shadow Creek High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Amy Gardziel  
Category: Sculpture  
Title: Oxygen

**Mohamad ElMiari**

Shadow Creek High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Amy Gardziel  
Category: Sculpture  
Title: The Winds Of Freedom

**Gianna Sarsoza**

Shadow Creek High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Emily Halbardier  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: An Unknown Ambience

**Payton Harris**

Shadow Creek High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Robert Stiles  
Category: Photography  
Title: Abstract Football Two

**Lily Gaytan**

Shadow Creek High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Robert Stiles  
Category: Photography  
Title: A Shadow Of Dining

**Hailee Brown**

Shadow Creek High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Robert Stiles  
Category: Photography  
Title: Double Portrait

**Lauren Logan**

Shadow Creek High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Robert Stiles  
Category: Photography  
Title: Illuminating Riches

**Eshan Shaik**

Shadow Creek High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Robert Stiles  
Category: Photography  
Title: In The Dark.

**Roselien Tran**

Shadow Creek High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Robert Stiles  
Category: Photography  
Title: Into The Wind

**Madison Biasotti**

Shadow Creek High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Robert Stiles  
Category: Photography  
Title: Rainbow Of Inspiration

**Luca Robles**

Shadow Creek High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Robert Stiles  
Category: Photography  
Title: Rose

**Eshal Sherwani**

Shadow Creek High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Erik Sultzer  
Category: Painting  
Title: Entanglement

**CYPRESS FAIRBANKS ISD**

**Janelle Kailey Valdez**

Bleyl Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Justin Roberson  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Disconnecting From Reality

**Arely Martinez**

Bleyl Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Justin Roberson  
Category: Fashion  
Title: Spanish Flower

**Yousef Moustafa**

Bridgeland High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Juan Guevara  
Category: Photography  
Title: Vanitas Crown

**Sophia Samuels**

Bridgeland High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Xochitl Haney  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: By Your Side

**Shiruixue Fang**

Bridgeland High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Nancy Hines  
Category: Painting  
Title: Echoes Of Mortality

Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Quiet Reflection

Category: Painting  
Title: Still Life Harmony

Category: Digital Art  
Title: Unnecessary Fear

**Ria Jha**

Bridgeland High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Nancy Hines  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Tempus Fugit

**Bolin Xiang**

Bridgeland High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Nancy Hines  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Whispers Of Prayer

**Emma Cardenas**

Bridgeland High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Short Nights

**Trinity Nguyen**

Cy-Fair High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Unveiling Cradle



**Mia Alvarado**

Cypress Creek High School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Tian Ding  
Category: Photography  
Title: Secret Garden

**April Carrizales Mancilla**

Cypress Creek High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Angela Guy  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Pressure Clock Point

**Levi Metcalf**

Cypress Creek High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Charlee Rogers  
Category: Sculpture  
Title: Held

Category: Ceramics & Glass  
Title: Mechanism

**Billy Kukwa**

Cypress Creek High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Israel Romero  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Facing Obstacles.

**Abdulnayeem Iqbal**

Cypress Falls High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Austin Cullen  
Category: Photography  
Title: Digital Photograph Number 1

**Berry (Aleyna) Rojas**

Cypress Falls High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Austin Cullen  
Category: Photography  
Title: Quiet Mourning

**Aaron Lagrone**

Cypress Lakes High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Jessica Green  
Category: Sculpture  
Title: The Weight Of Her Gaze

**Liz Alaniz**

Cypress Ranch High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Elizabeth Clark  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Everything I Could Never Tell You

**Brayden Whiting**

Cypress Ranch High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Elizabeth Clark  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: What Doesn't Build Us, Makes Us Stronger

**Sophia Tran**

Cypress Ranch High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Jennifer Mcknight  
Category: Painting  
Title: Chevalier

**Jordyn Adams**

Cypress Ranch High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Jennifer Mcknight  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Un-Fortune Cookie

**Aubrey Caballero**

Cypress Ranch High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Jason Neumann  
Category: Photography  
Title: Dainty

**Sophia Pham**

Cypress Ranch High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Jason Neumann  
Category: Photography  
Title: Selfishness

**Sophia Collins**

Cypress Ranch High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Jason Neumann  
Category: Photography  
Title: Tintype

**Andrew Valenzuela**

Cypress Ridge High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Brenda Llano  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Bargaining

**Carlos Garza**

Cypress Ridge High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Brenda Llano  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Loafy Dreams

**Alejandro Orozco**

Cypress Ridge High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Lacie Morris  
Category: Photography  
Title: Distinguished Canine

**Ashley Salinas**

Cypress Ridge High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Kevin Wagner  
Category: Mixed Media  
Title: Dedicated Soldier

**Marwah Wesal**

Cypress Springs High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Wauna Johnson  
Category: Expanded Projects  
Title: Agony Beneath The Ashes: The Silenced Rage Of Afghan Women

**Aubrey Hart**

Cypress Springs High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Wauna Johnson  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Ball Pit

**Raylani Watson**

Cypress Springs High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Wauna Johnson  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Cutie With A Cupcake

**Kamryn Duran**

Cypress Springs High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Wauna Johnson  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Immurement

**Anaya Walker**

Cypress Springs High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Wauna Johnson  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Infliction

**Ketsia Ngandjikomba**

Cypress Springs High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Jeramiah Macha  
Category: Comic Art  
Title: Want

**Marc Birthwright**

Cypress Springs High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Kristina Zavala  
Category: Photography  
Title: Petals Of Solitude

**Rocco Todaro**

Cypress Woods High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Qindeel Butt  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: The City In Blue

**Zachary Schuchardt**

Cypress Woods High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Teri Farrell  
Category: Photography  
Title: Between A Rock And A Hard Place

Category: Photography  
Title: Peanut Butter



**Essence Nicholas Kealoha**  
Cypress Woods High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Teri Farrell  
Category: Photography  
Title: Essence Of Shadows

**Diego Godoy Bautista**  
Cypress Woods High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Teri Farrell  
Category: Photography  
Title: Firm Fist, Eternal Legacy

**Brynlee Sessions**  
Cypress Woods High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Teri Farrell  
Category: Photography  
Title: Mask

**Bailey Bishop**  
Cypress Woods High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Teri Farrell  
Category: Photography  
Title: Old Faithful

**Eleri Young**  
Cypress Woods High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Teri Farrell  
Category: Photography  
Title: Please, God

**Kairi Crabtree**  
Cypress Woods High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Natasha Napier  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Art Block

**Sofia Nygren**  
Cypress Woods High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Natasha Napier  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Bury Me

**Addison Smylie**  
Cypress Woods High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Natasha Napier  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Sanctuary Within

**Eric Roesler**  
Cypress Woods High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Natasha Napier  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Squad Stance

**Sofia Melendez**  
Hamilton Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Kim Lloyd  
Category: Photography  
Title: Come Into The Light

**Roberto Garcia**  
Jersey Village High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Gustavo Solorzano  
Category: Photography  
Title: Devoted

**Anthony Hernandez**  
Jersey Village High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Gustavo Solorzano  
Category: Photography  
Title: Necessary Suffocation

**Ayla Kison**  
Jersey Village High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Gustavo Solorzano  
Category: Photography  
Title: When Did It All Turn To Hate?

**Poe Kye**  
Langham Creek High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Margaret Bennett  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Dippy Silly Buddies

**Denise Pepito**  
Langham Creek High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Margaret Bennett  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Echoes Within

**Courage Fallah**  
Langham Creek High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Margaret Bennett  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Emote-Icon

**Abigail Gilgen**  
Langham Creek High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Margaret Bennett  
Category: Mixed Media  
Title: Fragile Elegance

**Ashley Dang**  
Langham Creek High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Margaret Bennett  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Hourglass

**Kyra Salinas**  
Langham Creek High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Margaret Bennett  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Me

**David Johnson**  
Langham Creek High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Margaret Bennett  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Watch Me Suffer

**Sophia Todaro**  
Langham Creek High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Elizabeth Martinez  
Category: Photography  
Title: An Eerie Shadow

**Oscar Gomez**  
Langham Creek High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Elizabeth Martinez  
Category: Photography  
Title: A Prohibited Visual Kiss

**Aashir Haider**  
Langham Creek High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Elizabeth Martinez  
Category: Photography  
Title: Blocked Vision

**Maddie Bailey**  
Langham Creek High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Elizabeth Martinez  
Category: Photography  
Title: Chris In Color

**Abigail Nguyen**  
Langham Creek High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Elizabeth Martinez  
Category: Photography  
Title: Double Exposure

**Elizabeth Nino**  
Langham Creek High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Elizabeth Martinez  
Category: Photography  
Title: Portrait

**Aalyhaa Brown**  
Langham Creek High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Elizabeth Martinez  
Category: Photography  
Title: Save Mother Nature

**Edlin Mvungi**

Langham Creek High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Elizabeth Martinez  
Category: Photography  
Title: Stoicism

**Ava Turner**

Langham Creek High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: James Ricks  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Echos Of The Past

**Harrison Speer**

Langham Creek High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Joshua Smith  
Category: Photography  
Title: I Stand And Wait

**CLEAR CREEK ISD****Natalia Remesar**

Clear Brook High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Stephanie Perkins  
Category: Ceramics & Glass  
Title: Trapped Abundance

**Emma Ramsey**

Clear Brook High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Jeff Samp  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: His Retirement Hobby

**Iris Ju**

Clear Brook High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Jeff Samp  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Mirrored Worlds

**Abagayle Anderson**

Clear Brook High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Jeff Samp  
Category: Painting  
Title: Saint's Reign

**Kyla Trevino**

Clear Creek High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Travis Garner  
Category: Ceramics & Glass  
Title: Twin Targets

**Addison Gallegos**

Clear Creek High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Kenzie Mcgoldrick  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Sketch Of Life

**Myka Dejevongsa**

Clear Falls High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Sarah Godfrey  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Dreaming Of Angels

**Leia Compton**

Clear Falls High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Sarah Godfrey  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Lactose Temptation

**Jacob Hairgrove**

Clear Falls High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Michael Helfenstein  
Category: Sculpture  
Title: 1-800-Quit-Now

**Elizabeth Brierty**

Clear Falls High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Michael Helfenstein  
Category: Sculpture  
Title: Snake Eyes

**Abigail Joy**

Clear Falls High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Nina Makepeace  
Category: Painting  
Title: A Wild Beauty

**Olivia Nation**

Clear Falls High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Nina Makepeace  
Category: Painting  
Title: A Wistful Bloom

**Jaci Styla**

Clear Falls High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Nina Makepeace  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Punctured

**Ai Sato**

Clear Lake High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Jillian Green  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Blossoming Armor

**Abby Danas**

Clear Lake High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Jillian Green  
Category: Photography  
Title: Through The Cracks

**Holly Cooper**

Clear Lake High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Peter Storms  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Not Old Enough

## Category: Painting

Title: Self Reflection

**Emma Ehsani**

Clear Lake High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Peter Storms  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Outside The Box

**Zuri Narveson**

Clear Springs High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Zoe Green  
Category: Jewelry  
Title: Wings Of Adornment

**Thomas Cole**

Clear Springs High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Architecture & Industrial Design  
Title: Monocycle Blueprints

**Kaavya Rajarathnam**

Clear Springs High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Elizabeth Welch  
Category: Painting  
Title: Wrapped In Lullabies

**DEER PARK ISD****Brooke Dorland**

Deer Park High School-S Campus  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Kate Harrel  
Category: Ceramics & Glass  
Title: In Death, Remember Me

**FORT BEND ISD****Zainab Basit**

Clements High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Holly Gottula  
Category: Sculpture  
Title: Wailing

**Sophia Li**

Clements High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Olivia Hooper  
Category: Painting  
Title: Freak



**Jasmine Lang**

Clements High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Olivia Hooper  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Irene

**Naomi Lee**

Clements High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Olivia Hooper  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Looking Back

Category: Digital Art  
Title: Our Last Supper

**Maggie Jiang**

Clements High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Olivia Hooper  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: My Dear Friend

**Farhanah Mustafa**

Clements High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Olivia Hooper  
Category: Mixed Media  
Title: Partisanship

**Hannah Wang**

Clements High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Olivia Hooper  
Category: Painting  
Title: Petals Of Reflection

**Sophia Zhang**

Clements High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Olivia Hooper  
Category: Portfolio (Art)  
Title: The Beauty Of Women

**Aanya Kamalapur**

Clements High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Olivia Hooper  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: The Cosmic Dance

**Rebecca Zhang**

Clements High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Olivia Hooper  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Threads Of Tradition

**Sapna Ganatra**

Clements High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Riding Out

**Mingyi Li**

Clements High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Editorial Cartoon  
Title: Blind To The Distant Cries

Category: Digital Art  
Title: Where Skylines Erased A People

**Elizabeth Tan**

Clements High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Photography  
Title: Emerald Eyes, Resolute Soul

Category: Photography  
Title: Veins Of Remembrance

**Yixuan (Vanessa) Chen**

Dulles High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Kayla Matthews  
Category: Photography  
Title: Hit It!

Category: Photography  
Title: The Guardian Of The Legacy

**Sruthi Gopalakrishnan**

Dulles High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Painting  
Title: Escapism

**Ximin Liang**

Elkins High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Ryan Morales  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: A Wish Under Candlelight

**Jennifer Zhou**

Elkins High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Photography  
Title: Looking Out For Others

**Shreeya Ramesh**

Fort Settlement Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Helen Lavie  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: My Ammaamma's Mystery

**Kimberly O.**

George Bush High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Kimberly Bolt  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Mother's Love

Category: Painting  
Title: Strength

**Oluwatemiloron Longe**

George Bush High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Kimberly Bolt  
Category: Painting  
Title: This Is My Culture?

**Ezzah Zaheer**

Ridge Point High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Jinny Nguyen (Pham)  
Category: Painting  
Title: Carnival Of Cruelty

**Aleeza Zaheer**

Ridge Point High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Jinny Nguyen (Pham)  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Faithfully Feasting

**Chloe Phan**

Ridge Point High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Jinny Nguyen (Pham)  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Notable Neha

**Jayson Yparraguirre**

Ridge Point High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Jinny Nguyen (Pham)  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Safe Place Serenade

**Hannah Macbeth**

Ridge Point High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Jinny Nguyen (Pham)  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Steadfast Steed

**Avalon King**

Ridge Point High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Jinny Nguyen (Pham)  
Category: Painting  
Title: Transient Elegance

**Caitlyn Wijatno**

Sartartia Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Mixed Media  
Title: Drifting Into Dreams

**Catheryn Liang**

Stephen F Austin High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Nancy Dunlevy  
Category: Painting  
Title: The End Of A Season



**Nisha Kalpathi**

William B Travis High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Natalie Albritton  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Memories

**GALENA PARK ISD**

**Zuky Aguero**

Galena Park High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Wesley Frey  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Eyes Of Truth

**Dalias Montoya**

Galena Park High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Wesley Frey  
Category: Photography  
Title: Hillside

**Jeancarlos Hernandez**

North Shore Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Katelyn Loges  
Category: Painting  
Title: Peeling Back Layers

**Alyssa Martinez**

North Shore Senior High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Jedmy Centeno  
Category: Photography  
Title: Embrace Of Salvation

**Brianna Moreno**

North Shore Senior High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Jedmy Centeno  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Solo Spotlight

Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Threads Of Commitment

**Yahaira Leon**

North Shore Senior High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Jedmy Centeno  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Strings Of Exhaustion

**Emma Simon**

North Shore Senior High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Hannah Gorse  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Alchemist From The Forest

**Aaron Palacios**

North Shore Senior High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Hannah Gorse  
Category: Photography  
Title: Market Down The Street

**Abby Lopez**

Woodland Acres Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Ariadna Salazar  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Enduring Grace And Humble Strength

**GOOSE CREEK ISD**

**Matt Dotson**

Ross S Sterling High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Darcy McDonald  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Vibrant Days

Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Grandfather's Hands

**Alexandra Lugo**

Ross S Sterling High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Annie Watson  
Category: Painting  
Title: 1

**Erin Barefoot**

Ross S Sterling High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Annie Watson  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Emmah

**HOUSTON ISD**

**Dhara Agrawal**

Bellaire High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Lillian Harris  
Category: Photography  
Title: The Weeping Pome

**Selina Chen**

Bellaire High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Lillian Harris  
Category: Photography  
Title: Wired

**Aoife Mcbride**

Bellaire High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Michael Simmonds  
Category: Ceramics & Glass  
Title: Gilded Traveler

**Joshua Manio**

Bellaire High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Courtney Skinner  
Category: Photography  
Title: Barren South

**Garrison Cai**

Bellaire High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Courtney Skinner  
Category: Photography  
Title: Aslyum

Category: Photography  
Title: To The Moon

Category: Photography  
Title: Whimsical Reverie

Category: Photography  
Title: Wisdom

**Rayna Parikh**

Bellaire High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Courtney Skinner  
Category: Photography  
Title: Gingerbread Man

**Matthew Guzman**

Bellaire High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Courtney Skinner  
Category: Photography  
Title: Keep Going

Category: Photography  
Title: Nostalgia In The Pool

Category: Photography  
Title: Satisfied

Category: Photography  
Title: Someone In The Crowd

**Abigail Turney**

Bellaire High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Courtney Skinner  
Category: Photography  
Title: Oranges

**Lilie Oliver**

Bellaire High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Courtney Skinner  
Category: Photography  
Title: Pure Heart

Category: Photography  
Title: Split

**Sai Kasthala**

Carnegie Vanguard High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Rachel Bohenic  
Category: Photography  
Title: Stingray 1963



**Alexa Erkal**

Carnegie Vanguard High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Rachel Bohenic  
Category: Photography  
Title: The Great Texan

**Benjamin Tinkham**

Carnegie Vanguard High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Photography  
Title: Lunch

Category: Photography  
Title: Shrouded Elegance

Category: Photography  
Title: The Loon's Display

**Ragasanjana Manyam**

Debakey High School For Health Professions  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Neda Khan  
Category: Photography  
Title: A Quiet Bond

**Enya Ling**

Debakey High School For Health Professions  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Neda Khan  
Category: Photography  
Title: Bagged

**Asma Munir**

Debakey High School For Health Professions  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Neda Khan  
Category: Photography  
Title: Blinded

Category: Digital Art  
Title: Eclipses Of The Gaze

Category: Digital Art  
Title: The Mu'mina

Category: Photography  
Title: Veiled In Color

**Anahi Soto**

Debakey High School For Health Professions  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Neda Khan  
Category: Photography  
Title: Corridor Chronicles

**Crespin De La Cerda**

Debakey High School For Health Professions  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Neda Khan  
Category: Photography  
Title: City In The Mist

Category: Photography  
Title: Intertwined

Category: Digital Art  
Title: Dimensional Caution

Category: Photography  
Title: Plaid Reflection

**Ilana Katz-Warmflash**

Debakey High School For Health Professions  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Neda Khan  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Creeping Down The Tall Grass

Category: Digital Art  
Title: Struck By The Sound

**Mindy Teran**

Debakey High School For Health Professions  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Neda Khan  
Category: Photography  
Title: Death Stare

**Annie Zhou**

Debakey High School For Health Professions  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Neda Khan  
Category: Photography  
Title: Elegy Of Rome

**Jeani Aguilar**

Debakey High School For Health Professions  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Neda Khan  
Category: Photography  
Title: Eyes Of Resilience

Category: Photography  
Title: Heart Of Green Prism

Category: Photography  
Title: Scented Sparks

**Sharshpreeth Perez**

Debakey High School For Health Professions  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Neda Khan  
Category: Photography  
Title: Illuminating Leafs

**Shazia Rahaman**

Debakey High School For Health Professions  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Neda Khan  
Category: Photography  
Title: Fast Cake

Category: Digital Art  
Title: Mirrored Thoughts

**Adriana Avalos**

Debakey High School For Health Professions  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Neda Khan  
Category: Photography  
Title: Hearth

Category: Photography  
Title: Ice Breaker

Category: Photography  
Title: Nautilus

**Lena Young**

Debakey High School For Health Professions  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Neda Khan  
Category: Photography  
Title: In The Highest

**Ruby Decquir**

Debakey High School For Health Professions  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Neda Khan  
Category: Photography  
Title: Lookout

**Leah Munoz**

Debakey High School For Health Professions  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Neda Khan  
Category: Photography  
Title: Metallic Paranoia

Category: Photography  
Title: Rippling Paper Waves

Category: Photography  
Title: When Leaves Intersect

**Aarit Nazare**

Debakey High School For Health Professions  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Neda Khan  
Category: Photography  
Title: Offwhitemelody



**Sarah Chen**

Debakey High School For Health Professions  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Neda Khan  
Category: Photography  
Title: Portal Of Reflections

Category: Photography  
Title: Space For Color

**Emily Zhang**

Debakey High School For Health Professions  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Neda Khan  
Category: Photography  
Title: Purplence

**Maria Mbasooka**

Debakey High School For Health Professions  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Neda Khan  
Category: Painting  
Title: Serenity

**Amber Chu**

Debakey High School For Health Professions  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Neda Khan  
Category: Photography  
Title: Skate Bump

**Abby Leong**

Debakey High School For Health Professions  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Neda Khan  
Category: Photography  
Title: The Small Life

**Rumaysa Khiyani**

Debakey High School For Health Professions  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Neda Khan  
Category: Photography  
Title: Traditional Drum

**Angelina Davis**

Debakey High School For Health Professions  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Neda Khan  
Category: Photography  
Title: Window To The Soul

**Josephine Cowan**

Debakey High School For Health Professions  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Photography  
Title: Life In The Screen

**Joel Vela**

Eastwood Academy  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Francisco Rodriguez  
Category: Photography  
Title: Caught In Action

**Damian Merino**

Eastwood Academy  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Francisco Rodriguez  
Category: Photography  
Title: Flesh Of Color

**Melissa Rodriguez**

Eastwood Academy  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Francisco Rodriguez  
Category: Photography  
Title: Heart Of The City

**Nataly Vargas**

Eastwood Academy  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Francisco Rodriguez  
Category: Photography  
Title: Rainbows Remind Me Of You

**Lela Kay Burruto**

Kinder High School For The Performing And Visual Arts  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Vicki Fowler  
Category: Sculpture  
Title: Drekimurr

**Asha Murti**

Kinder High School For The Performing And Visual Arts  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Vicki Fowler  
Category: Portfolio (Art)  
Title: Fantasy

**Sadie Montgomery**

Kinder High School For The Performing And Visual Arts  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Vicki Fowler  
Category: Portfolio (Art)  
Title: Inner Workings

**Chloe Cheuk**

Kinder High School For The Performing And Visual Arts  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Hugh David Waddell  
Category: Design  
Title: Blood On Dot

**Dana Alageli**

Kinder High School For The Performing And Visual Arts  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Hugh David Waddell  
Category: Mixed Media  
Title: Fridays

**Zoe Villalobos**

Lamar High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Dina Attar  
Category: Portfolio (Art)  
Title: The Troubled Mind

**Dean Mills**

Lamar High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Dina Attar  
Category: Painting  
Title: Valerian

**Lucia Landois Engster**

Meyerland Perf-Visual Arts Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Christina Gonzalez  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: After The Race

**Isabella Arevalo**

Meyerland Perf-Visual Arts Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Christina Gonzalez  
Category: Mixed Media  
Title: The Green Gaze

**Autreyee Ozah**

T. H. Rogers School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Jordan Eggers  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Little More To The Right?

**Saloni Sahu**

T. H. Rogers School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Jordan Eggers  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: The Colorful Shades Of Me

**Kriti Gupta**

T. H. Rogers School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Jordan Eggers  
Category: Painting  
Title: The Grip Of Madness And Time

**Gaeun Choi**

T. H. Rogers School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Creative Juices

**Nathalia Flores**

Westside High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Hortencia Flores  
Category: Painting  
Title: Nature's Bounty



**Jorge Cevallos**

Westside High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Hortencia Flores  
Category: Painting  
Title: The Couple

**Elina Reyes**

Westside High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Hortencia Flores  
Category: Mixed Media  
Title: Violent Steps To New Freedom

**Aanya Raj**

Westside High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Ashley Mims  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Diminishment Of The Creative Mind  
In A School Atmosphere

**Johanna Sanchez**

Westside High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Ashley Mims  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Fantsmas

## HUMBLE ISD

**Brooke Johnson**

Guy M. Sconzo Early College High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Photography  
Title: "In Your Eyes I See Myself Reflected  
A Thousand Times Over"

Category: Photography  
Title: Concrete Cowboy

**Arys Feliciano-Elghouayel**

Humble High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Kristina Nguyen  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Static

**Bailey Bauguss**

Kingwood High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Clifton Pope  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Fates

**Garrett Pope**

Kingwood High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Clifton Pope  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Open Up Your Skull

**Kailey Oldigs**

Summer Creek High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Natasha Burd  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: As The Light Shines

Category: Painting  
Title: Growth Meets Decay

**Caleb Williams**

Summer Creek High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Natasha Burd  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Life With A Trace Of Bullying

**Kayla Eggers**

Summer Creek High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Natasha Burd  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Mirror Image

**Arianna Hernandez**

Summer Creek High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Natasha Burd  
Category: Sculpture  
Title: Pink In The Night

**Dereon Robertson**

Summer Creek High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Natasha Burd  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: The Digital Generation

**Trevis Gakuru**

Summer Creek High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Natasha Burd  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Whispers Of Light

**Yanlie Vega**

Summer Creek High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Robin Clark  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: On Sight

**Arian Thompson**

Summer Creek High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Jillian Hill  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Monsters Speak

## KATY ISD

**Nischay Kommisetty**

Adams Junior High School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Universal Bonds

**Ronica Khayatian**

Beckendorff Junior High School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Michelle Wilson  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Teenage Reflection

**Yifan Wu**

Cinco Ranch High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Theresa Burgess  
Category: Ceramics & Glass  
Title: Maritime Gold

**Alexander Park**

Cinco Ranch High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Photography  
Title: Atlas Shrugged

**Seowon Choi**

Cinco Ranch High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Architecture & Industrial Design  
Title: Bee Concept Room

**Edan Kang**

Cinco Ranch High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: His World, Through My Hands

**Claire Dai**

James E Taylor High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Photography  
Title: Hand-Met

**Arthur Whittle**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Hailey-Ann Booth  
Category: Photography  
Title: A Pause Of Solitude

Category: Photography  
Title: A Quiet Rebellion

Category: Photography  
Title: Innocence Reflected

Category: Photography  
Title: The Man In Barichara

**Katie Campbell**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Katrina Cerk  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: A Time For Rest



**Sophia Salinas**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Katrina Cerk  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Dreaming Round-The-Clock

**Cooper Thielemann**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Katrina Cerk  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Entwined

**Addison Mccurdy**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Katrina Cerk  
Category: Portfolio (Art)  
Title: Fears/Phobias

**Grace Dong**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Katrina Cerk  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Morning Memories

Category: Painting  
Title: Past, Present, And Future

**Mariangel Toyo Ortiz**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Katrina Cerk  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: New Beginnings

**Destiny Ariwodo**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Katrina Cerk  
Category: Painting  
Title: Samsara

**Angel Wang**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Katrina Cerk  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Snoodle Shock

**Yule Yi**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Katrina Cerk  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Timeless Reminiscence

**Sama Mammadova**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Katrina Cerk  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Who Should I Be?

**Yuelin Hu**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: William Clouse  
Category: Painting  
Title: The Way Home

Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Zoom

**Luna Tian**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Adrian Munoz  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Eternal Love

Category: Photography  
Title: Shadows

**Victoria Zhou**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Ceramics & Glass  
Title: AAAAAAAAAAAGAHAGHHHHH!

Category: Digital Art  
Title: Kiss

**Lily Steinfurth**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Photography  
Title: Come On In

**Layla Jackson**

Katy High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Emily Trevino  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Pure Happiness

**Addison North**

Katy High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Emily Trevino  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Soundless Harmony

**Zachary Wilson**

Mayde Creek High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Caron Blake  
Category: Photography  
Title: Buzz On The Bloom

Category: Photography  
Title: Explosion

Category: Photography  
Title: Fill My Belly

Category: Photography  
Title: Golden Embrace

**Ariana Narvaez**

Mayde Creek High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Caron Blake  
Category: Photography  
Title: Mental Crisis

**Sibeï Yao**

Obra D Tompkins High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Anthony Escamilla  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Urban Tracks

**Sofia Lopez-Navarro**

Obra D Tompkins High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Erin Mitchell  
Category: Painting  
Title: My Mind Is A Craft

**Javeria Irfan**

Obra D Tompkins High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Erin Mitchell  
Category: Painting  
Title: Tangled Mess

**Fabian Padovani**

Obra D Tompkins High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Christie Skinner  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: At The Edge Of Collapse

**Nandika Napa**

Obra D Tompkins High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Christie Skinner  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Duality

**Onoserhemen Esekheigbe**

Seven Lakes High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Camille Gordon  
Category: Ceramics & Glass  
Title: Folded Canvas

Category: Ceramics & Glass  
Title: Trims Of Linen

**Adrianna Holdeman**

Seven Lakes High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Camille Gordon  
Category: Ceramics & Glass  
Title: Match Made In Hell

**Elina Lee**

Seven Lakes High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Lisa Matschek  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Below The Surface



**Hao An Do Ngoc**

Seven Lakes High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Lisa Matschek  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Dance Of The Kitchen Lights

**Prapti Meshram**

Seven Lakes High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Lisa Matschek  
Category: Painting  
Title: Echos Of Heritage

**Lily Corning**

Seven Lakes High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Lisa Matschek  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Love

**Nury Garcia Fernandez**

Seven Lakes High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Lisa Matschek  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Reflection Of Colors

**Regina Ruiz Olivares**

Seven Lakes High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Lisa Matschek  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Shaking Up The Morning!

**Durga Joshi**

Seven Lakes High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Lisa Matschek  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Tainted Memories

**Veronica Zhu**

Seven Lakes High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Photography  
Title: In Muted Blues

Category: Photography  
Title: The Becoming

**Yiyi Zhu**

Seven Lakes High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Wish In Front Of The Trevi Fountain

**Vanessa Sanchez**

Seven Lakes High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Abigail Smith  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Chaos King

**KLEIN ISD**

**Evie Wyke**

Klein Cain High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Andrea Fort  
Category: Sculpture  
Title: Hanahaki

**Julia Gunn**

Klein Cain High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Andrea Fort  
Category: Ceramics & Glass  
Title: Infinity

**Karina Frias**

Klein Cain High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Andrea Fort  
Category: Ceramics & Glass  
Title: Phantasm

**Nicholas Moreno**

Klein Cain High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Andrea Fort  
Category: Ceramics & Glass  
Title: Reef Remains

**Daniella Dolor**

Klein Cain High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Kristie Lee  
Category: Photography  
Title: C'est La Vie

**Jayla Simon**

Klein Cain High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Kristie Lee  
Category: Photography  
Title: Woven Life

**Sydney Brown**

Klein Cain High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Zach Luckett  
Category: Photography  
Title: Color

**Samara Mitchell**

Klein Cain High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Constance Vazzino  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Comfort In A Routine

**Ramses Jefferson**

Klein Collins High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Chad Hardin  
Category: Photography  
Title: Old Man Consequences

**Kyle Maurice**

Klein Collins High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Chad Hardin  
Category: Photography  
Title: Stand Up

**Ana-Nicole Toaca**

Klein Collins High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Sculpture  
Title: The Hyacinth Macaw

**Alexandra Smith**

Klein Collins High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Mario Rivera  
Category: Sculpture  
Title: Apple Of My Eye

Category: Painting  
Title: English Thanksgiving

**Katelyn Kingsberry**

Klein Collins High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Mario Rivera  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Freak Orbs

**Akshita Sadana**

Klein Collins High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Mario Rivera  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Reverie: Lost In Intensity

**Emily Norman**

Klein Collins High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Amy Smith  
Category: Fashion  
Title: Bouquet Of Black Hellebore

**Aislinn Murphy**

Klein Collins High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Mario Rivera  
Category: Mixed Media  
Title: Tangled Up

Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Moment Of Silence

**Jan Valenzuela**

Klein Forest High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Osvaldo Carrillo  
Category: Photography  
Title: Beyond And After



**John Bui**

Klein Forest High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Osvaldo Carrillo  
Category: Photography  
Title: Flames Of Paint

**Mario Santillan**

Klein Forest High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Osvaldo Carrillo  
Category: Photography  
Title: Stuck In Motion

**Bao-Dang Nguyen**

Klein Forest High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Katherine Sands  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Growth

**Audrey Flores**

Klein Forest High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Katherine Sands  
Category: Photography  
Title: Surfside

**Riley Bertram**

Klein High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Jill Chauvin  
Category: Photography  
Title: Made In A Dream

**Christopher Villarin**

Klein High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Edith Gomez  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: First House Light Porch

**Estelia Stieferman**

Klein High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Edith Gomez  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Ladybug

**Jannet Arreola**

Klein High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Edith Gomez  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Threads Of Control

**Isabella Aviles**

Klein High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Laura Menegaz  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Mr. Rickets

**Jackson Hartgrove**

Klein High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Photography  
Title: Drowning In The Pressurized Abyss

Category: Photography  
Title: "Don't Worry, Be Happy"

**Xavier Johnson**

Klein Oak High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Megan Fuxa  
Category: Ceramics & Glass  
Title: Hate

**Reece Camp**

Klein Oak High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Rhonda Garza  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: A Comforting Friend

**Pamela Morales Rodriguez**

Klein Oak High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Rhonda Garza  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Infatuation Admiration

**Alia Melgar**

Klein Oak High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Rhonda Garza  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Whispers Of Childhood

**Grace Hanes**

Klein Oak High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Matthew Golden  
Category: Comic Art  
Title: Hillbilly Hijinks

**Erik Albarran**

Klein Oak High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Laura Ramirez  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: A Warning

**Zoe Zimmerman**

Klein Oak High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Laura Ramirez  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Sick Day

**Aemilia Brimhall**

Krimmel Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Samantha Territo  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Mushroom Galore

**Evelyn Presas**

Krimmel Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Samantha Territo  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Sisters

**Kennedy Brown**

Krimmel Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Samantha Territo  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Uncertainty

**Ella Browman**

Strack Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Eric Wincott  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Chapters Of Life

**Kiersten Sullivan**

Vistas High School Program  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Frank Gall  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Tundra Forest

**Nicolas Martinez**

Klein Forest High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Richard Cartaxo  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Jojo, Nico, And Nena

**Saturn Dominguez**

Klein Forest High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Richard Cartaxo  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Yearful Spirits

## LAMAR CISD

**Finn Thomas**

Fulshear High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Mariah Torres  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Eyes From Above

**Lily Keating**

Fulshear High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Kynzi Windsor  
Category: Mixed Media  
Title: Don't Let Go

## PASADENA ISD

**Leslie Dominguez**

Pasadena High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Pamela Baccinelli  
Category: Sculpture  
Title: Dancers

**Faith Paredes**

Pasadena Memorial High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Jose Alvarez-Lucio  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Luminous Departure

**Ellie Cantarero**

Pasadena Memorial High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Amy Dugat  
Category: Sculpture  
Title: 'Till You've Walked A Mile

Category: Sculpture  
Title: Texas Twist

**Omayra Cerda**

Pasadena Memorial High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Amy Dugat  
Category: Ceramics & Glass  
Title: Rope 'Em Cowgirl

**Edgar Donjuan**

Pasadena Memorial High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Christopher Monita  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Nevermind

**Jair Araujo**

Pasadena Memorial High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Kim Nguyen  
Category: Painting  
Title: Out Of The Box

**Aranza Orozco**

Sam Rayburn High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Lana Donath  
Category: Photography  
Title: Grandma's Attic

Category: Photography  
Title: Reaching Out Towards You

**Zoe Gonzalez**

Sam Rayburn High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: John Jakovich  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: A Descent

**Areana Wallis**

Sam Rayburn High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Tara Thompson  
Category: Portfolio (Art)  
Title: Deadly Sins

**Natalie Howard**

Sam Rayburn High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Tara Thompson  
Category: Ceramics & Glass  
Title: Derealization

**Ariana Alvarado**

South Houston High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: David Gonzalez  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: No Happiness

**PEARLAND ISD****Joyce Du**

Pearland Junior High West  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Christa George  
Category: Painting  
Title: Statue

**Emma Chen**

Pearland Junior High West  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Christa George  
Category: Painting  
Title: Taciturn

**Stephanie Nash**

Glenda Dawson High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Photography  
Title: Captured In A Bubble Of Time

Category: Photography  
Title: Still Autumn

**Sarah Zhang**

Glenda Dawson High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Painting  
Title: Hold Yourself Together

**Binita Halder**

Glenda Dawson High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Teri Zuteck  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: O Durga Maa

**Sion Joo**

Glenda Dawson High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Teri Zuteck  
Category: Painting  
Title: Firework

Category: Painting  
Title: Fractures

Category: Painting  
Title: Metamorphosis

**Miranda Devivar**

Glenda Dawson High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Teri Zuteck  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Peaceful Morning

**Zoe Yang**

Glenda Dawson High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Teri Zuteck  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Speak, Please

**Emily Schwartz**

Pearland High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Alyssa Hartgrove  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Chasing Tomorrow

**Alexander Meng**

Pearland High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Guillermo Jimenez  
Category: Comic Art  
Title: Apartment Escape

**Sanaida Palma**

Pearland High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Simone St John  
Category: Sculpture  
Title: Expression Of Anger

**Brooklynn Cain**

Robert Turner Colege-Career High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Gabriela Flores  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Good Morning Sunshine

**SPRING BRANCH ISD****Rachael Won**

Memorial High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Elisa Barry  
Category: Painting  
Title: 45905

**Kennedy Wall**

Memorial High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Elisa Barry  
Category: Photography  
Title: Alive In Contrast



**Mari Valadares**

Memorial High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Elisa Barry  
Category: Painting  
Title: A Moment Captured Forever

Category: Painting  
Title: Portrait Of A Friend

Category: Painting  
Title: Who's On The Other Side?

Chanel Wei  
Memorial High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Elisa Barry  
Category: Painting  
Title: Eternal Sunshine

Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Le Cuisine

**Mary Buttram**

Memorial High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Elisa Barry  
Category: Painting  
Title: Final Deadline

**Katherine Bahorich**

Memorial High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Elisa Barry  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Spirit Water

**Lila Marshall**

Memorial High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Elisa Barry  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: The Girls

**Gadiel Ramirez**

Memorial High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Elisa Barry  
Category: Architecture & Industrial Design  
Title: The Ram Institute Of High Innovation | Stem Center

**Alyssa Vichayanond**

Memorial High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Elisa Barry  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Time Stands Still

**Emily Do**

Memorial High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Elizabeth Carney  
Category: Photography  
Title: Junk Repurposed

Category: Photography  
Title: Quantum Dinner

**Nivedita Vivekanandan**

Memorial High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Elizabeth Carney  
Category: Photography  
Title: Magenta Sadness

**Nina Georgiadis**

Memorial High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Elizabeth Carney  
Category: Photography  
Title: Ominous

**Addison Rappold**

Memorial High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Elizabeth Carney  
Category: Photography  
Title: Suspended In Time

**Luyang Huang**

Memorial High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Marilyn Guerinot  
Category: Photography  
Title: Loving Memory

**Hyeonwoo Yang**

Memorial High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: 1

**Catalina Rossi**

Memorial High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Comic Art  
Title: In Time

**Zanli Morris**

Memorial High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Architecture & Industrial Design  
Title: Sashimono Bridge

**Anna Ji**

Memorial Middle School  
Grade: 7  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Painting  
Title: Family Is Forever

**Yesenia Majano**

Spring Woods High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Karen Barnett  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Tired But Not Blue

**William Walsh**

Stratford High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Rachel Goins  
Category: Mixed Media  
Title: Entrapment

**Zoe Ju**

Stratford High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Rachel Goins  
Category: Mixed Media  
Title: Loving Embrace

**Abigail Lee**

Stratford High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Rachel Goins  
Category: Jewelry  
Title: Luminous Reverie

**Paulina Ausucua**

Stratford High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Rachel Goins  
Category: Painting  
Title: Sweet Sisters

**Elliot Hamlin**

Stratford High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Rachel Goins  
Category: Painting  
Title: Three Of A Kind

**Preston Hershkowitz**

Westchester Academy International Studies  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Photography  
Title: More Than A Mouthful

## SPRING ISD

**Abigail Sanchez**

Spring Leadership Academy  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Estefhania Pineda  
Category: Painting  
Title: Mitosis



## ART STUDIOS

### Sharon Zhao

Ben Xu School Of Fine Arts  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Bin Xu  
Category: Painting  
Title: AI - All Incredible?

### Yashvi Mistry

Enya Studio  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Ricardo Morales Hendry  
Category: Painting  
Title: Forgotten

### Kayla Deng

Enya Studio  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Hongliang (Enya) Huang  
Category: Ceramics & Glass  
Title: Adornment Of The Ordinary

Category: Ceramics & Glass  
Title: Blue

Category: Ceramics & Glass  
Title: Burned By Greed

### Bryan Peng

Enya Studio  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Hongliang (Enya) Huang  
Category: Mixed Media  
Title: American Dream

### Bolin Xiang

Enya Studio  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Hongliang (Enya) Huang  
Category: Printmaking  
Title: After The Rain

Category: Painting

Title: Dreams Beyond The Horizon

### Eileen Chi

Enya Studio  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Ricardo Morales Hendry  
Category: Painting  
Title: Dissolve

### Grace Xie

Enya Studio  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Hongliang (Enya) Huang  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Bloom

### Tianqi Hu

Enya Studio  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Hongliang (Enya) Huang  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: My Mother

### Victoria Zhou

Enya Studio  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Hongliang (Enya) Huang  
Category: Printmaking  
Title: The Process Of Defeathering

### Esther Ng

Enya Studio  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Ricardo Morales Hendry  
Category: Ceramics & Glass  
Title: Softened

### Ashley Hu

Enya Studio  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Jazmin Orellana  
Category: Ceramics & Glass  
Title: Roadmap Of Life

### Jingying Yao

Enya Studio  
Grade: 7  
Educator: Hongliang (Enya) Huang  
Category: Film & Animation  
Title: Sinking

### Angel Ding

Flux School Of Art  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Haoxiang Zhang  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Grandma

### Stephanie Jiang

Flux School Of Art  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Haoxiang Zhang  
Category: Mixed Media  
Title: Reflection

### Jenna Li

Flux School Of Art  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Haoxiang Zhang  
Category: Painting  
Title: Spotlight

### Mingjia Sun

Flux School Of Art  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Haoxiang Zhang  
Category: Painting  
Title: Blown Out Fantasy

### Lana Xu

Flux School Of Art  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Haoxiang Zhang  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: True Colors

### Amy Wang

Flux School Of Art  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Haoxiang Zhang  
Category: Painting  
Title: Blow Out Your Chopsticks And Make A Wish!

### Chenchen Sun

Flux School Of Art  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Haoxiang Zhang  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Interlinked

### Grace Wang

Flux School Of Art  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Haoxiang Zhang  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Whispers Of Time

### Caroline Fu

Forever Creation  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Sulin Huang  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: A Bright Future

Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Perfectly Imperfect Pâtissier

### Kayla Deng

Hanjie Arts Center  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Haicun Weng  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Boredom

Category: Painting  
Title: His Eyes Were Gold

### Mulan Zhi

Hanjie Arts Center  
Grade: 7  
Educator: Haicun Weng  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Try To Hide It

### Julia Singer

Hanjie Arts Center  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Haicun Weng  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Light On Lady

Category: Mixed Media  
Title: Stairway To Heaven

### Will Wang

Hanjie Arts Center  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Haicun Weng  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: An Azure Leer, I've Seen



**Wanjing Li**

Hanjie Arts Center  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Haicun Weng  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: View Of The Stars

**Kaylee Han**

Hanjie Arts Center  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Haicun Weng  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Eyes Open

**Alina Li**

Hanjie Arts Center  
Grade: 7  
Educator: Haicun Weng  
Category: Comic Art  
Title: Rumors

**Laura Xu**

Hanjie Arts Center  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Haicun Weng  
Category: Editorial Cartoon  
Title: America, We Have A Problem

Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Carried Away?

Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Trophy

Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Zero Survival Instincts

**Elizabeth Lei**

Hanjie Arts Center  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Haicun Weng  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Chessboard Of Power

**Sophia Long**

Hanjie Arts Center  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Haicun Weng  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: In The Balance

Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: In Wonder

Category: Photography  
Title: Shimmering View

**Emily Deng**

Hanjie Arts Center  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Haicun Weng  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Oh My Dear Oreo

**Yichen Yin**

Hanjie Arts Center  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Haicun Weng  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: A Riot Of Color

Category: Portfolio (Art)  
Title: Threads Of Existence

**Merissa Zhang**

Hanjie Arts Center  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Haicun Weng  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: One

**Yuhan Jiang**

Hanjie Arts Center  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Haicun Weng  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Who Is The Food?

**Sophia Fan**

Hanjie Arts Center  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Haicun Weng  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Glorification Upon The Masses

Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Whispers Of Youth

**Annie Wang**

Hanjie Arts Center  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Haicun Weng  
Category: Mixed Media  
Title: Bait And Catch

**Elizabeth He**

Hanjie Arts Center  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Haicun Weng  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Behind The Mask

**Ethan Zhao**

Hanjie Arts Center  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Haicun Weng  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Game Of Life

Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Inferno

**Wanhan Xie**

Hanjie Arts Center  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Haicun Weng  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: A Look Into The Soul

**Xiangyun Zheng**

Hanjie Arts Center  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Haicun Weng  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Decomposed

Category: Photography  
Title: Ribcage

**Wendi Ning**

Jeni Art Studio  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Feng Zhu  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Embodying Tradition

**Mingyi Li**

Jeni Art Studio  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Feng Zhu  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Fading Through Smoke

**Tingyu Wu**

Jeni Art Studio  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Feng Zhu  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Melody Of The West

Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Trailside Companion

Category: Painting  
Title: Two Best Buds

**Ryan Yu**

Jeni Art Studio  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Feng Zhu  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Prayer On The Plateau

**Guanfa (Felix) Shen**

Jeni Art Studio  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Feng Zhu  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: The Weathered Hunter In The Mountains

**Sean Li**

Jeni Art Studio  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Feng Zhu  
Category: Painting  
Title: A Moment Of Peace

**Cailyn Zhang**

Jeni Art Studio  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Feng Zhu  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Dancer



**Grace Cao**

Jeni Art Studio  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Feng Zhu  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Hope

**Avery Wong**

Jeni Art Studio  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Feng Zhu  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: The Journey Of Life

**Jiya Patel**

Jp Art Studio  
Grade: 8  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Mixed Media  
Title: Above It All

**Angel Ding**

Limao Art Studio  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Mao Li  
Category: Painting  
Title: Prairie Twilight

Category: Painting  
Title: Spring Valley

**Shirui xue Fang**

Limao Art Studio  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Mao Li  
Category: Painting  
Title: Portrait Of Time

Category: Painting  
Title: Whisper Of The Past

**Abby Barnes**

Limao Art Studio  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Mao Li  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Braids

**Yixuan (Vanessa) Chen**

Limao Art Studio  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Mao Li  
Category: Photography  
Title: For Freedom

Category: Photography  
Title: The Power Of The Unspoken

**Yannes Xiong**

Limao Art Studio  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Mao Li  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: A Pair Together

**Easton Qin**

Limao Art Studio  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Mao Li  
Category: Mixed Media  
Title: Freedom Is Not Free

**Alexander Hsu**

Limao Art Studio  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Mao Li  
Category: Mixed Media  
Title: Humanity Future

**Kevin Zeng**

Limao Art Studio  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Mao Li  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Family Of Owl

**Jenny Lin**

Limao Art Studio  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Mao Li  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Squirrel Mailman

**Richard Yi**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Painting  
Title: Dog Days

**Anna Yi**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Painting  
Title: Friends

Category: Painting  
Title: Going Back

Category: Painting  
Title: Winter's Glow

**Hannah Wang**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Painting  
Title: Keeper Of Fireflies

**Kexin (Kassia) Tan**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Painting  
Title: Girlhood

Category: Painting  
Title: Morning Mist

Category: Painting  
Title: The Fight I Can't Win

**Clare Zhan**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Painting  
Title: Sermon Of Storm

**Shuphan Zhao**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Painting  
Title: A Glimpse Of Hope

Category: Painting  
Title: Doomscrolling

**Andrea Shi**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Painting  
Title: An Old Game

**Emina Chen**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Painting  
Title: Beneath The Crimson Mask

**Jessica Li**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Painting  
Title: Catharsis

**Yanqin Wang**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Painting  
Title: Cat The Chef

**Selina Yuan**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Painting  
Title: Contemplation

**Hallie Ho**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Painting  
Title: Desideratum: The American Dream

**Morgan Feng**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Painting  
Title: Dreamer



**Sophie Zhou**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Painting  
Title: Dwelling

Category: Painting  
Title: Journey

Category: Painting  
Title: Not All Heroes Wear Capes

Category: Painting  
Title: Oversoul

**Maggie Li**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Painting  
Title: Grandma's Affection

**Sophia Shi**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Painting  
Title: Heaven-Sent Heroes

**Chloe Shao**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Inner Selves

Category: Painting  
Title: The First Second

**Nina Liang**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Painting  
Title: Lull

**Ethan Cheng**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Painting  
Title: Meltdown

**Arkana Anwar**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Painting  
Title: Pas De Deux

**Melody Cui**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Painting  
Title: The Three Of Us

**Catheryn Liang**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Painting  
Title: Prayer In The Light

Category: Painting  
Title: The Little Sea

**Evelina Chen**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Painting  
Title: The Train Ride Home

**Sophia Shi**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Painting  
Title: The Truth Won't Buried

**Kathy Xi**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Painting  
Title: Through The Looking Glass

**Nina Liang**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Painting  
Title: Wearied

**Fiona Yang**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Painting  
Title: Weathered Soul

**Maggie Li**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Painting  
Title: Whispering Gaze

**Luke Wang**

Ping Zhao Art School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Ping Zhao  
Category: Painting  
Title: Wonder

**Carol Wang**

Sha Mo Art Academy  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Painting  
Title: Bonds Of The Meadow

**Laura Zhang**

Oep Serenity Art Studio  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Jing Sun  
Category: Mixed Media  
Title: The Gateway To Imagination

**Yueyuan Zhang**

Studio Z Art & Design School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Yan Zu  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Idle Purse, Idle Wallet

Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Sailing Through Skyborne Dreams

**Sophia Yang**

Studio Z Art & Design School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Yan Zu  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Giraffe And Leopard: My Childhood Memory

**Audrey Li**

Studio Z Art & Design School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Yan Zu  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Wishful Thinking

**Violette Ho**

Studio Z Art & Design School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Yan Zu  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Inferno Of Emotions

**Chloe Cheuk**

Zhang Yaowu Art Center  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Daqian Zhang  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: A Long Awaited Visit

Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Perseverance

**Junxi Zhang**

Zhang Yaowu Art Center  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Wenjun Tao  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: No Straight Path To Success

**Audrey Deng**

Zhang Yaowu Art Center  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Daqian Zhang  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Adventurous Cat



## PRIVATE SCHOOLS, CHARTER SCHOOLS AND INDEPENDENT SUBMISSIONS

### Noelle Dinardo

Annunciation Orthodox School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Meredith Wise  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Dew Drops

### Maya Zmudzinska

Awty International School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Isela Aguirre  
Category: Photography  
Title: Horizon

Category: Photography  
Title: Hózhó

Category: Photography  
Title: Perspective

### Deanna Zahirah Mohd Faisal

Awty International School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Isela Aguirre  
Category: Photography  
Title: Memories

### Cadence Lu

Awty International School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Isela Aguirre  
Category: Sculpture  
Title: Stuck

### Melinda Yao

Awty International School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: David Bauman  
Category: Photography  
Title: Juana

### Lizette Rodriguez

Awty International School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Elizabeth Carwile  
Category: Photography  
Title: Ethereal Swim

Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Silent Gaze

### Alexander Drew

Awty International School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Greg Cullinan  
Category: Photography  
Title: A Smile Is Shinier Than Gold

### Justin Ahrar

Awty International School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Greg Cullinan  
Category: Photography  
Title: Soarin'

### Lucy Holt

Awty International School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Ane Ebie-Mouton  
Category: Photography  
Title: City

### Destiny Reed

Awty International School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Ane Ebie-Mouton  
Category: Photography  
Title: Golden Hour Glow

### Taryn Heng

Awty International School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Cheri Goodwin  
Category: Film & Animation  
Title: Amore

Category: Film & Animation  
Title: Phuphadham

Category: Photography  
Title: Sea Or Sea Of Clouds?

### Jasmijn Merks

Awty International School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Krystle Holnes  
Category: Photography  
Title: I Was Here!

### Danya Jeroudi

Awty International School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Alison Kilfoyle  
Category: Photography  
Title: Disco Lights

Category: Photography  
Title: The Resident Dog

### Kayla Deng

Awty International School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Alison Kilfoyle  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Straw Man Fallacy

### Ishaan Gupta

Awty International School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Ha Na Lee  
Category: Photography  
Title: Dew Of Life

### Abby Roux

Awty International School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Ha Na Lee  
Category: Photography  
Title: Eyes

Category: Photography  
Title: Water Droplet

### Keizo Dreyfus-Ishigami

Awty International School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Ha Na Lee  
Category: Photography  
Title: Pinto Canyon Road

### Kaysan Samji

Awty International School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Ha Na Lee  
Category: Photography  
Title: The Brightness Of Life Around The Darkness Of Death

### Eli Dilci

Awty International School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Underskin

### Zayd Ahmad

Awty International School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Tavan Tavakoli  
Category: Photography  
Title: Moroccan Potter

### Deagan McWilliams

Calvin Nelms Charter School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Brad Carey  
Category: Photography  
Title: Grief

### Daniel Botha

Calvin Nelms Charter School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Brad Carey  
Category: Photography  
Title: Inner Light

### Jonah Perkins

Calvin Nelms Charter School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Brad Carey  
Category: Photography  
Title: Mirror Cristalis

### Victoria Tang

Duchesne Academy Of Sacred Heart  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Andria Nguyen  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Tiáopí (Naughty)



**Hadar Sagiv**

Emery Weiner School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Kim Hart  
Category: Photography  
Title: A Strawberry Homocide

Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Layers Of Time

**Alanis Pactor**

Emery Weiner School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Kim Hart  
Category: Photography  
Title: Fiery Bloom

**Mayer Levit**

Emery Weiner School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Kim Hart  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Fruit Ninja

**Kayla Whitman**

Emery Weiner School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Kim Hart  
Category: Photography  
Title: Towering

Category: Photography  
Title: Underwater Cosmos In Vibrant Hues

**Cindy Sun**

Emery Weiner School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Paige Moore  
Category: Portfolio (Art)  
Title: Our American Dream

Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Tibetan Woman

**Jonah Miller**

Emery Weiner School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Paige Moore  
Category: Mixed Media  
Title: View-Master Memorial Of A 1961 Volvo P210

**Ella Aruh**

Emery Weiner School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Kelsey Wu  
Category: Photography  
Title: Feeling Sliced

**Ethan Abramson**

Emery Weiner School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Kelsey Wu  
Category: Photography  
Title: Tropical Levitation

**Cati Stabell**

Episcopal High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Lauren Cunningham  
Category: Mixed Media  
Title: Checkmate

**Olivia Kiefer**

Episcopal High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Lauren Cunningham  
Category: Mixed Media  
Title: Night At The Concert

**Caroline Buja**

Episcopal High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Lauren Cunningham  
Category: Mixed Media  
Title: Perpetual Painting

**Saige Clary**

Episcopal High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Lauren Cunningham  
Category: Mixed Media  
Title: Riding The Wave

**Brandon Mulvehill**

Episcopal High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Lauren Cunningham  
Category: Sculpture  
Title: Snail Mail

**Ryan Lyda**

Episcopal High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Lauren Cunningham  
Category: Sculpture  
Title: The Wooden Watchtower

**Gavin Champenoy**

Episcopal High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Lauren Cunningham  
Category: Sculpture  
Title: Wings Over Water

**Grant Evans**

Episcopal High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Lauren Cunningham  
Category: Sculpture  
Title: Wood You?

**Sofia Kennedy**

Episcopal High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Pejman Milani  
Category: Film & Animation  
Title: Aces And Apple Juice

**Ella Carayanis**

Episcopal High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Pejman Milani  
Category: Film & Animation  
Title: Dreaming Of Winter

**Priya Zara Parekh**

Episcopal High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Photography  
Title: The King's Nap

**Emma Freeman**

Episcopal High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Kelly Quarles  
Category: Photography  
Title: Aquaphobia

**Kennedy Greene**

Episcopal High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Kelly Quarles  
Category: Photography  
Title: Black Beauty

**Vivian Turbidy**

Episcopal High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Kelly Quarles  
Category: Photography  
Title: Bread Made For Walking

Category: Portfolio (Art)  
Title: Texan Beauty

**Ella Rothwell**

Episcopal High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Kelly Quarles  
Category: Photography  
Title: Encapsulated

Category: Photography  
Title: Shattered

**Sloane Wallace**

Episcopal High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Kelly Quarles  
Category: Photography  
Title: Oil Spill

Category: Portfolio (Art)  
Title: The Alchemy Of Light: Where Magic Meets Science

**Morgan Maxwell**

Episcopal High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Kelly Quarles  
Category: Photography  
Title: Silver



**Jack Zoeller**

Episcopal High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Kelly Quarles  
Category: Photography  
Title: Pipes

Category: Photography  
Title: Vivid Lights

**Aurora Skipworth**

Episcopal High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Bryce Reynolds  
Category: Painting  
Title: Memories Of Dinner

**Sophia Ding**

Episcopal High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Bryce Reynolds  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: The Doll Escapes

**Jay Hawkins**

Episcopal High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Japheth Storlie  
Category: Photography  
Title: Dawg

**Kieran O'Malley**

Episcopal High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Japheth Storlie  
Category: Photography  
Title: Dewdrops Of The Morning

**Jenna Mock**

Fort Bend Christian Academy-Hs  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Ryan Baptiste  
Category: Painting  
Title: Between Light And Shadows

Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Disappointment And Anger Overall

**Trevor Robertson**

Fort Bend Christian Academy-Hs  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Ryan Baptiste  
Category: Painting  
Title: Glitz And Glamour

Category: Painting  
Title: Lady In Red

Category: Painting  
Title: Midnight In New York

**Aislinn Molinos**

Fort Bend Christian Academy-Hs  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Ryan Baptiste  
Category: Mixed Media  
Title: Time

**Chimdaluj Ajoku**

Fort Bend Christian Academy-Hs  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Ryan Baptiste  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Time Well Spent

**Bayleigh Minor**

Fort Bend Christian Academy-Hs  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Ryan Baptiste  
Category: Printmaking  
Title: Weight Of The World

**Maya-Maria Willis**

Fort Bend Christian Academy-Hs  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Photography  
Title: Woman

**Lea Farah**

Fort Bend Christian Academy-Hs  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Robert Sanders  
Category: Photography  
Title: Adrift

Category: Photography  
Title: Look Away

Category: Photography  
Title: Smirk

**Elisabeth Ross**

Fort Bend Christian Academy-Hs  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Robert Sanders  
Category: Photography  
Title: Birds Together

**Sidney Arnold**

Fort Bend Christian Academy-Hs  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Robert Sanders  
Category: Photography  
Title: Crystal Stare

**Alex Henley**

Fort Bend Christian Academy-Hs  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Robert Sanders  
Category: Photography  
Title: Death's Reflection

Category: Photography  
Title: Path Of The Herd

Category: Photography  
Title: Through The Brush

Category: Photography  
Title: Through The Haze

**Grayson Borbidge**

Fort Bend Christian Academy-Hs  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Robert Sanders  
Category: Sculpture  
Title: Rolling Canyons

**Cordell Britton**

Fort Bend Christian Academy-Hs  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Robert Sanders  
Category: Photography  
Title: Serenity's Passage

**Gavin Low**

Fort Bend Christian Academy-Hs  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Robert Sanders  
Category: Sculpture  
Title: The Pink Refrigerator

**Angelica Labanca**

Frassati Catholic High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Linda Harvard  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: The Changing Perspective Of Art

**Nadia Rios**

Frassati Catholic High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Linda Harvard  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: The Shoemaker

**Annika Calma**

Freeman High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Terrence Clark  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: An Unfinished Melody

**Drew Alston**

Houston Christian High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Tina Fox  
Category: Photography  
Title: Aluminum Echoes

Category: Photography  
Title: Where Angels Wee

**Eijah Kuhle**

Houston Christian High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Tina Fox  
Category: Photography  
Title: A Prickly Price To Pay

**Josiah Wu**

Houston Christian High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Charlotte Stuart  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: In Profectum



**Loren Palomino**

Incarinate Word Academy  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Josie Postel  
Category: Photography  
Title: It's Not You It's Me.

**Benjamin Wang**

Independent Submission  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Painting  
Title: Brothers

**Tiantong Zeng**

Independent Submission  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Painting  
Title: Dialogue

Category: Painting  
Title: Nature's Muses

Category: Painting  
Title: Soliloquy

Category: Digital Art  
Title: Sun-Kissed

**Sophia Zheng**

Independent Submission  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Photography  
Title: Glimpse Of Curiosity

**Minhao Tang**

Independent Submission  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Photography  
Title: The City On Water

Category: Photography  
Title: Vibrant Haven

**Payton Daly**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Bess Connell  
Category: Photography  
Title: Altar

Category: Photography  
Title: Proof Of Life

**William Adeniyi**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Bess Connell  
Category: Photography  
Title: Boxes In The Sky

**Riley Smith**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Bess Connell  
Category: Photography  
Title: Daydreamer

**Rosie Carr**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Bess Connell  
Category: Photography  
Title: Late Night Snack

**Alex Cai**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Bess Connell  
Category: Photography  
Title: Lost In The Glare

Category: Photography  
Title: Melancholy

**Sadie Ferber**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Bess Connell  
Category: Photography  
Title: Tulips And Ranunculus'

**Emily Wang**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Maria Luiza Grandchamp  
Category: Ceramics & Glass  
Title: Blue And White

**Allison Whitman**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Luiza Grandchamp  
Category: Ceramics & Glass  
Title: Tiny Dancer

**Ray Tian**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Megan Mcentire  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Against Natural Laws

**Ryder Tang**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Painting  
Title: Death Of A Paradox

**Hannah Long**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Painting  
Title: Imaginary Friends

**Jenny Wu**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: The Distraction

**Madelin Mendoza**

Lutheran South Academy  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Lindsay Barckholtz  
Category: Sculpture  
Title: The Privilege Of Apathy

**Alma Martin**

Lutheran South Academy  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Lindsay Barckholtz  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: The Root Of Peer Pressure

**Raul Vazquez**

Macarthur High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Photography  
Title: Views

**Martha Hernandez**

Macarthur High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Hailey Williams  
Category: Photography  
Title: Moon's Peace

**Carolina Mendez**

Macarthur High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Hailey Williams  
Category: Photography  
Title: Wash Day

**Elliot Choo**

Memorial High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: The Me I Want

**Annie Wang**

St Agnes Academy  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Laura Costa  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Lazy Afternoon

**Micaela Lim**

St Agnes Academy  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Laura Costa  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Midnight Snack



**Clare Nguyen**

St Agnes Academy  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Laura Costa  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Percussion

**Zahra Ajani**

St Agnes Academy  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Claire Loft  
Category: Painting  
Title: Zooming In

**Mia Ramos**

St Agnes Academy  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Terry Suprean  
Category: Photography  
Title: Abuelita

Category: Photography  
Title: Bubble Eyes

Category: Photography  
Title: Side Eye

Category: Photography  
Title: Straight Stare

Category: Photography  
Title: Showerfall

**Tessa Ritchie**

St Agnes Academy  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Terry Suprean  
Category: Photography  
Title: American Gothic

**Katia Sanchez**

St Agnes Academy  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Terry Suprean  
Category: Photography  
Title: A Mushroom's Murmur

Category: Photography  
Title: Nature's Portal

Category: Photography  
Title: The Road Ahead

**Lauren Rodriguez**

St Agnes Academy  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Terry Suprean  
Category: Photography  
Title: British Virgin Island Sailboat

**Caroline Ferretti**

St Agnes Academy  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Terry Suprean  
Category: Photography  
Title: Concert Series 1 -- Cigarettes After Sex (1/2)

**Alana Davidson**

St Agnes Academy  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Terry Suprean  
Category: Photography  
Title: Loud Silence

**Essie (Ace) Curtis**

St Agnes Academy  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Terry Suprean  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Malachite

**Emma Dowd**

St Agnes Academy  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Terry Suprean  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Menace

**Keara Ferro**

St Agnes Academy  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Terry Suprean  
Category: Photography  
Title: Nature Study: Spiked Flower

**Emma Ali**

St Agnes Academy  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Terry Suprean  
Category: Photography  
Title: Red Handed

**Zita Chinwuba**

St Agnes Academy  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Terry Suprean  
Category: Photography  
Title: Silhouette Portrait 2

**Mirabela Kumar**

St Agnes Academy  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Terry Suprean  
Category: Portfolio (Art)  
Title: Sonoma Landscapes

**Addison Okerlund**

St Agnes Academy  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Terry Suprean  
Category: Photography  
Title: Their German Plums

**Chandler White**

St Agnes Academy  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Terry Suprean  
Category: Photography  
Title: The Pawn's Ascent

**Journey Zulueta**

St John's School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Kristiane Stapleton  
Category: Photography  
Title: Morning Indulgence

**Caroline Harvey**

St. John's School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Dan Havel  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: In Your Eyes

**Pia Artzer**

St. John's School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Dan Havel  
Category: Sculpture  
Title: Mechanical Bloom

**Jackie Berzin**

St. John's School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Dan Havel  
Category: Sculpture  
Title: Splinter

Category: Sculpture  
Title: The Calm To The Storm

**Christopher Mccord**

St. John's School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Dan Havel  
Category: Mixed Media  
Title: The Spirit, The Struggle, And The Demise

**Horatio Wilcox**

St. John's School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Scott Johnson  
Category: Photography  
Title: Gleichgewicht (Balance)

**Robin Rider**

St. John's School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Scott Johnson  
Category: Photography  
Title: Let The Light In

**Harrison Wright**

St. John's School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Photography  
Title: Chinatown After Hours

**Colton Thompson**

St. John's School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Photography  
Title: Crimson Christmas



**Violet Vu**

St. John's School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Painting  
Title: The Peace Of Creating

**Lauren Spivey**

St. John's School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: David Nathan  
Category: Photography  
Title: Alone

**Christopher Cheng**

Strake Jesuit College Prep School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Photography  
Title: Boy In Red Through Black And White

**Gael Tapia**

Strake Jesuit College Prep School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Photography  
Title: Lone Sentinel

**Ian Gillaspie**

Strake Jesuit College Prep School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Photography  
Title: Mosaic Man

**Tyvan Vo**

Strake Jesuit College Prep School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Terry Suprean  
Category: Photography  
Title: Bird At Colosseum

**Sebastian Pawulski**

Strake Jesuit College Prep School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Terry Suprean  
Category: Photography  
Title: Rocky Coast

Category: Photography  
Title: Sea Turtle And Coral

**Evelyn Liu**

Studio Z Art School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Yan Zu  
Category: Painting  
Title: Gaze

**Irene Chen**

Studio Z Art School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Yan Zu  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Seasons In Time

**Alexa Masson**

The Village School, High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Selene Bautista  
Category: Photography  
Title: Cat Got Your Tongue?

**Abigail Evans**

The Village School, High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Selene Bautista  
Category: Painting  
Title: Layers Of Me

**Jeongeun Emily Cha**

The Village School, High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Max Manning  
Category: Painting  
Title: Memories

**Ekaterina Biryukova**

The Village School, High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Max Manning  
Category: Painting  
Title: Nature At Freedom

**Jessica Luo**

The Village School, High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Max Manning  
Category: Painting  
Title: The Numb Dream

**Miranda Angeles Collard**

The Village School, High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Max Manning  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Worlds Collide

**Aerin Lin**

The Village School, High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Alicia Merrifield  
Category: Photography  
Title: Majestic Close-Up Of Niagara Falls  
Adventure

Category: Photography  
Title: The Power Of Nature: A Majestic  
Waterfall Scene

**Camilla Monarrez**

The Village School, High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Alicia Merrifield  
Category: Photography  
Title: Speed Of Light

**Ryan Kuo**

The Wide School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Kelly Chen  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: All In A Day's Work

**Tirza Chazaro**

The Wide School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Kelly Chen  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Cracked

**Alex Ambres**

The Wide School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Kelly Chen  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Hands That Stifle The Breath

**Nathaniel Panetti**

The Wide School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Kelly Chen  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: In My Mind

**Claire White**

The Wide School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Kelly Chen  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: In The Clouds

Category: Photography  
Title: Peircing Anticipation

**Aven Lumpkin**

The Wide School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Kelly Chen  
Category: Drawing & Illustration  
Title: Roots And Tides

**Bishop Lumpkin**

The Wide School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Kelly Chen  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Up In The Clouds

**Danielle Johnson**

Yes Prep Northside  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Rebekah Tee  
Category: Painting  
Title: Cozy Rest

**Cassandra Hernandez**

Yes Prep Northside  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Rebekah Tee  
Category: Painting  
Title: Hanging Out

**Yueyuan Zhang**

Studio Z Art and Design Studio  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Yan Zu  
Category: Digital Art  
Title: Reflections Of The White  
Serpent's Gaze



## ALDINE ISD

### Jamarriona Roscoe

Carver High School Applied Tech/Eng/Arts  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Brittney Smith  
Category: Dramatic Script  
Title: The Song That Faded Away

### Jayden White

Carver High School Applied Tech/Eng/Arts  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Brittney Smith  
Category: Dramatic Script  
Title: Whispering Pine

## ALIEF ISD

### Ruth Edoh

O'Donnell Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Kaneisha Hicks  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Fruit.

### Ana Sanchez Lopez

Elsik High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: \_\_\_ Plates

Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Nine-Digit-Number

### Khang Ma

Kerr High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Safraz Ali  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: A Double-Edged Sword Of True  
Crime: Bias Or Unbiased?

### Christopher Li

Albright Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Megan Kelly  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: AI Intervention

### Priscila Oropeza

Kerr High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Safraz Ali  
Category: Poetry  
Title: A Memorable Sound

### Lincoln Nguyen

Kerr High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Safraz Ali  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Apple Pie

### Bryton Field

Killough Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Janece Simpson  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Are Bionic Superhumans On The  
Horizon?

### Robert Montgomery

O'Donnell Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Kaneisha Hicks  
Category: Novel Writing  
Title: Assassins: The Darkness Awakens

### Nicole Perrino

Kerr High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Ayn Nys  
Category: Novel Writing  
Title: A Trail Of Silence

### Kha Nguyen

Alief Taylor High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Zainab Jabak  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Aubrey Drake Graham

### David Beckham Unaegbu

Elsik High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: A Voice Unfolding

Category: Poetry  
Title: Oh, American Dream

Category: Novel Writing  
Title: The House Of Echoes

Category: Dramatic Script  
Title: The Marrow Of Shadows

Category: Poetry  
Title: The Colors Only I Can See

Category: Short Story  
Title: The Weight Of Silence

### Ngan Nguyen

Kerr High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Safraz Ali  
Category: Poetry  
Title: A Wound That Never Heals

### Morgan Agwuegbo

Killough Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Janece Simpson  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Ben Carson Biography

### Mariam Alimi

Kerr High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Safraz Ali  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Beyond The Surface

### Samuel Reyes

Killough Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Janece Simpson  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Bionic Technology

### Steven Tran

Kerr High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Safraz Ali  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Biophilia

### Annam Busari

Killough Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Janece Simpson  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Blood Lust

### Jocelyn Chavez

Kerr High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Dramatic Script  
Title: Bound By Shadows

### Angelina Le

Alief Early College High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Katrena Reese  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Broken Periodic Table

Category: Poetry  
Title: Cost Of Freedom

### Hayden Ha

Kerr High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Safraz Ali  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Cherish The Cherries

### Gloria Garcia

Kerr High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Safraz Ali  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Comfort

### Christian Garcia

O'Donnell Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Kaneisha Hicks  
Category: Novel Writing  
Title: Darkness Ablaze



**Oluwakorede Soneye**

Albright Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Megan Kelly  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Deaths Cliff

**Adrielle Mays**

Alief Early College High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Disconnected Connection

**Sorayda Yaxon**

Kerr High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Safraz Ali  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Echoes Of Who I Am

**Marcos Coronado**

Kerr High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Safraz Ali  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Elio

**Frank Molina**

Alief Taylor High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Zainab Jabak  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Entry 556

**Mahzabin Hoque**

Kerr High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Safraz Ali  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Fear Of The Unknown

**An Nguyen**

Kerr High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Safraz Ali  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Final Broadcast

**Derek Rodriguez**

Alief Early College High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Katrena Reese  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: First

**Vivian Tran**

Kerr High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Safraz Ali  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Forever Chasing An Oasis

**Alezza Gonzalez**

Killough Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Janece Simpson  
Category: Poetry  
Title: For In The Silence I Confide

**Fhrance Osorio**

Alief Early College High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Katrena Reese  
Category: Short Story  
Title: God Before Tongue

**Category: Poetry**

Title: The Girl You Perceive Of A Thousand Years Ago

**Mackenzie Ross**

O'Donnell Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Journalism  
Title: Happy Election Day

**Jade Carter**

O'Donnell Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Kaneisha Hicks  
Category: Novel Writing  
Title: Haunted Minds

**Jennifer Vidal**

Killough Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Heartbeat

**Helen Le**

Kerr High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Safraz Ali  
Category: Poetry  
Title: I Hate My Sick Mom

**Category: Poetry**

Title: Revisiting The Past

**Category: Short Story**

Title: The Act Of Grace

**Nhu Nguyen**

Alief Taylor High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Zainab Jabak  
Category: Humor  
Title: Introvert Struggles

**Ameerah Amaya**

Kerr High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Safraz Ali  
Category: Poetry  
Title: It's Your Season

**Kemli Vo**

Alief Taylor High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Zainab Jabak  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Karoshi

**Timothy Halliday**

Albright Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Megan Kelly  
Category: Novel Writing  
Title: Killing Knives

**Genesis Johnson**

Albright Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Megan Kelly  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Knock Tap Knock

**Faheemat Sulaiman**

Alief Early College High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Life Is A Clock: Fast It Shall Go

**Jerry Lam**

Kerr High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Life Was Great In 1959

**Andy Gutierrez**

Alief Taylor High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Zainab Jabak  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Living In The Shadow Of Fear

**Dara Oshadare**

O'Donnell Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Kaneisha Hicks  
Category: Poetry  
Title: March 28th

**Za'myra Ussoh**

Kerr High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Safraz Ali  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Mother Nature's Daughters

**Giselle Gomez**

O'Donnell Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Kaneisha Hicks  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: My Faith



**Amy Cabrera**

O'Donnell Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Kaneisha Hicks  
Category: Novel Writing  
Title: My Passion

**Vanessa Coleman**

O'Donnell Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Kaneisha Hicks  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Nature In Bloom

**Ngoc Ho**

Kerr High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Safraz Ali  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Nausea

Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Serial Essay - True Crime Podcasts:  
Effects And Ethicality

Category: Poetry  
Title: The Price Of Control

**Jimena Olivares**

Albright Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Megan Kelly  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: New World

**Lily Villalobos Vazquez**

Killough Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Janece Simpson  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Not My Doing

**Kayleigh Temple**

Kerr High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Novel Writing  
Title: Overgrown Gears

**Taylor Hargrove**

O'Donnell Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Kaneisha Hicks  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Pain

**Wilson Hong**

Kerr High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Safraz Ali  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Peace In The Absurd

**Samira Reza**

Alief Taylor High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Zainab Jabak  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Remember Me

**Jose Becerra**

Albright Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Megan Kelly  
Category: Journalism  
Title: Russo-Ukrainian War: The History  
And Present.

**Rebekah Draper**

Kerr High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Safraz Ali  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Sana Sana Colita De Rana

Category: Novel Writing  
Title: The Curse Of Eve

**Tony Tran**

Kerr High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Safraz Ali  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Serial Essay

**Estefany Hernandez**

Kerr High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Safraz Ali  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Serial Essay

**Andrew Gomez**

Alief Taylor High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Zainab Jabak  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Should Var Be Removed From  
Football

**Gwen Garcia**

O'Donnell Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Kaneisha Hicks  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Space Kids

**Nghi Tran**

Kerr High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Safraz Ali  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Tale Tell Heart Suspense Essay

**Tam Luu**

Kerr High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Safraz Ali  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Tam's Cool Story

**Smith Nguyen**

Killough Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Janece Simpson  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Tell-Tale Heart Essay

**Christopher Gaitan-Morales**

Killough Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Janece Simpson  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: The Blood Splatter

**Martic Woods**

O'Donnell Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Kaneisha Hicks  
Category: Dramatic Script  
Title: The Case Of The Missing Mistletoe

**Carolina Rodriguez**

Killough Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Janece Simpson  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: The Clifton Hospital

**Jaycelynn Torrez**

Kerr High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Safraz Ali  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: The Essential Need Of Cell Phones

**Khang Nguyen**

O'Donnell Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Kaneisha Hicks  
Category: Poetry  
Title: The Feeling Of Love

**Lisa Le**

Kerr High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Ayn Nys  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: The Fight For Women In Sports

**Christopher Ulloa**

Kerr High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Safraz Ali  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: The Floods

**Breana Dang**

Kerr High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Safraz Ali  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: The Forbidden Lake



**Sophia Herrera**

Killough Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Janece Simpson  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: The Great Suspense

**Chukwuka Onwuachi**

Kerr High School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Safraz Ali  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: The Heroes Of Centrium City

**Rooney Duong**

Killough Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Janece Simpson  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: The Masterful Use Of Suspense

**Seraphina Calvillo**

Albright Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Megan Kelly  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: The Mirror

**Jose Maria Chavez Castaneda**

Kerr High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Humor  
Title: The Misfortune Of Murphy O'dooley

**Jaqueline Mondragon**

Killough Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Janece Simpson  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: The Mysterious Troll

**Joseph Kazeem**

O'Donnell Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Kaneisha Hicks  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: The Mystery Of The Underground Tunnels

**Jason Duran**

Kerr High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Safraz Ali  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: The Negative Sides Of Social Media

**Rebecca Gibby**

Kerr High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Novel Writing  
Title: The Secrets Of Nidhi

**Henry King Duran**

Kerr High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Safraz Ali  
Category: Poetry  
Title: The Shape Of Love

**God's Mercy Michael-Dada**

Kerr High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Safraz Ali  
Category: Short Story  
Title: The Silent Defiance

**Nicole Uzokwe**

Albright Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Megan Kelly  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: The Skin On Her Bones

**Rut Fernandez**

Killough Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Janece Simpson  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: The Tell-Tale Heart

**Gabriel Bonilla**

Killough Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Janece Simpson  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: The Tell-Tale Heart

**Genesis Vargas**

O'Donnell Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Kaneisha Hicks  
Category: Novel Writing  
Title: The Unseen Follower

**Josh Nzekwue**

Alief Taylor High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Zainab Jabak  
Category: Short Story  
Title: The Wanderlust Boy

**Silvia Rafidi**

Alief Taylor High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Zainab Jabak  
Category: Short Story  
Title: The Warehouse

**Emili Tran**

Alief Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Brenda Peters  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: The Weight Of Words

**Calvin Nguyen**

Killough Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Janece Simpson  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Timeline Voltage

**Fatima Martinez**

Killough Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Janece Simpson  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Tragedies In My Life

**Samson Parmar**

Alief Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Brenda Peters  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Trotro's Amazing Adventures

**Bajen Ceesay**

Kerr High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Safraz Ali  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: True Crime Or True Exploitation: The Ethical Dilemma Of Crime As Entertainment

**Ricardo Gomez Paz**

Killough Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Janece Simpson  
Category: Poetry  
Title: War.

**Nicole Chinda**

Alief Taylor High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Zainab Jabak  
Category: Short Story  
Title: What Could Have Been?

**Ephraim Nwabuko**

Kerr High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Safraz Ali  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: When The Sky Learned To Cry

**Abiel Giraldo**

Alief Elsik Ninth Grade Center  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Mariana Tristan  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Wherever Your Music Takes You

**Henry Carballo**

Albright Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Megan Kelly  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Whispers Of Love And Loss



**Gabriel Hernandez**

Killough Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Janece Simpson  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Why Bionic Technology Is So Important

**CYPRESS FAIRBANKS ISD**

**Joseph Steele**

Cy-Fair High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Vanarie Seansom  
Category: Poetry  
Title: <3

**William Choi-Kim**

Cy-Fair High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: A.p.t: A Hallmark Of Modern Progress

**Ketsia Ngandjikomba**

Cypress Springs High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Jeramiah Macha  
Category: Poetry  
Title: A Bond Carved Into Us

**Dana Tovar**

Bridgeland High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: A Lily Of The Valley

**Dami Omabua**

Bridgeland High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Elinor Cowan  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: And Finally, I'm Able To Let Go.

**Naagita Sanvi Kumpatla**

Cy-Fair High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Vanarie Seansom  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Comfort Meal

**Amelia Smith**

Cypress Woods High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Conversation Of Ideals

Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Ever-Shifting Maze

**Olivia Paul**

Bridgeland High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Diner

Category: Short Story  
Title: The Average Night Of A Teen Girl

**Antonella Loreto**

Cypress Ranch High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Liza Leonhardt  
Category: Poetry  
Title: From Protest To Resistance

**Lexi Mackey**

Arnold Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Alexandra Weingart  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Homework- Yay Or Nay?

**Audrey Xie**

Cypress Woods High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Letting Go Of Perfection

**Nyjai Nevels**

Cypress Falls High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Taelen Butler  
Category: Short Story  
Title: New Kind Of Love

**Willow Dealejandro**

Cypress Falls High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Taelen Butler  
Category: Poetry  
Title: No Scraps

**Fatimah Al-Nimah**

Cypress Ranch High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Liza Leonhardt  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Overture Of A Postscript Eulogy

**Marc Birthwright**

Cypress Springs High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Kristina Zavala  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Petals Of Solitude

**Mohammad Al Masalmeh**

Cy-Fair High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Vanarie Seansom  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Power In Music

**Mary Hearn**

Cypress Ranch High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Liza Leonhardt  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Safety Net

**Antonella Loreto**

Cypress Ranch High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Liza Leonhardt  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Stars & Stripes = Scars & Strife

**Riya Patel**

Cy-Fair High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Vanarie Seansom  
Category: Poetry  
Title: The Clutter Within

**Preston Easley**

Cy-Fair High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Vanarie Seansom  
Category: Poetry  
Title: The Dented Water Bottle

**Tuan Le Thai**

Cypress Ranch High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Novel Writing  
Title: The Golden Rule

**Jonathan Marin**

Cypress Falls High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Novel Writing  
Title: The Rise Of The One-Eyed Reaper

**Kirpa Virdi**

Cypress Ranch High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: The Thoughts Of A Younger Sister

**Hadeel Omer**

Cypress Woods High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Joshua Lopez  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: The Weight Of A Memory

**Alan Chu**

Cy-Fair High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Vanarie Seansom  
Category: Poetry  
Title: The Weight Of Passing Moments

**Rukayat Reza**

Bridgeland High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Laura Braun  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: The Wrath Of Archetypes: The Anatomy Of A Hero And The Forging Of A Villain

**Bailey Oats**

Cypress Springs High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Kristina Zavala  
Category: Portfolio (Writing)  
Title: With A Heavy Heart

**CLEAR CREEK ISD****Aubrey Peneguy**

Clear Creek High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: A Butterfly's Metamorphosis: From Lo To Lana

**DEER PARK ISD****Melanie Mendoza**

Deer Park High School-South Campus  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Joshua Nebrida  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: From My Mind To Your Soul

**Houria Ansari**

Deer Park High School-South Campus  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Masala Chai

**Melanie Guerrero**

Deer Park High School-South Campus  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Caitlyn Waitena  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Melanie

**Summer Goff**

Deer Park High School-South Campus  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: My Life In The Minor Key

**Sophia Pruneda**

Deer Park High School-South Campus  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Joshua Nebrida  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Strawberries And Cream

**Leslie Suarez**

Deer Park High School-South Campus  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Joshua Nebrida  
Category: Humor  
Title: Stuffed Animal

**Jackson Grant**

Deer Park High School-North Campus  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Ashley Davis  
Category: Journalism  
Title: The Elephant And The Donkey

**Leshang Cheng**

Deer Park High School-North Campus  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Billye Turner  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: The Plaque

**Jaqueline Martinez**

Deer Park High School-South Campus  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Wish Upon A Dying Star

**FORT BEND ISD****Adil Khandhia**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Scheffie Lindquist  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Don't Let It Define You

**Shumaila Kasmi**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Whispers Of Power: From Chand Manzil To A World Of Choices

**Katherine Truong**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: A Handcrafted World

**Ava Astramskas**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: A Mix Of One Is A Collision Of Two

**Henry Phan**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Haley Grimes  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: A Moment Of Fate

**Lamha Karovalia**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Antlers Askew

Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Dear God

**Sophia Liu**

Clements High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Novel Writing  
Title: Around The Bend

Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Kaleidoscope

Category: Dramatic Script  
Title: Lilies

Category: Journalism  
Title: Maintenance in the Middle East: Complications and Recommendations

Category: Poetry  
Title: The Little Match Girl Writes to Capitalism

**Eydan Desrosier**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Short Story  
Title: A Tale Of Two Samurai

**Ciera Nguyen**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Atop Her Grand Spikes And Beacon

**Gloria Li**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Batter Up

**Cohen Nguyen**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Battle With Procrastination

**Isioma Anunobi**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Behind The Mirror

**Sameer Kareem**

Clements High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Beyond The Coat

**Jude Alshrouf**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Be Yourself

Category: Critical Essay  
Title: What Economic Effects Could  
Historic Preservation Of The Sugar Land  
Char House Have On Imperial Residents

**Anisha Pokharel**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Haley Grimes  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Biological Invasion Regulation

**Lillian Lu**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Scheffie Lindquist  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Brown In A Sea Of Blue

**Jahnvi Thakkar**

Elkins High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Canvas

**Thi Pham**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Scheffie Lindquist  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Challenges

**William Lam**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Consider The Elephant

**Long Dang**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Consider The Salmon

**Anna Milholland-Geach**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Consider The Wolf

**Himahasini Jamli**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Culture Shaped My Identity

**Mandy Sin**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Scheffie Lindquist  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Cutting The Tree Of Regret

**Hanh Nguyen**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Creating A Home

Category: Portfolio (Writing)  
Title: Expression

Category: Short Story  
Title: Freedom Of Choice

Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Lasting Effects Of Sacrifice

Category: Critical Essay  
Title: What Are The Most Significant  
Factors In Maintaining The Integrity Of  
The Local Community's Identity In The  
Preservation Of The Sugar Land Char  
House?

**Varshni Venkatesan**

Elkins High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Defining "Yes"

**Tim Ngo**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Defining My Vietnamese Identity

**Samuel Koh**

Clements High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Dilemma

**Leslie Vu**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Distance Heals The Heart

**Tami Faley**

Ridge Point High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Don't Be The Monsters

**Kevin Tran**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Haley Grimes  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Ew It Stinks!

Category: Journalism  
Title: War On Ukraine

**Daniel Nguyen**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Ferryman

**Allison Pham**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Find Your Glass Slipper

**Kelly Lu**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Food Truck Industry Growth And  
Conflict

Category: Portfolio (Writing)  
Title: Scholastic Portfolio

**Sophia Truong**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Food Truck Regulations: What  
Factors Should Be Considered?

**Toby Truong**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Food Trucks: The Rapid Increase

**My Vo**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Jamie Stevens  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Forgotten Language



**Angela Hoang**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Glyphosate Contamination: The Economic Discussions

**Isabelle Chang**

Clements High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Gravity Of Life

**Ayesha Momand**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Grit

**Michelle Nguyen**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Grit: Embracing Challenges

**Kasey Nguyen**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Grit: Empowering Drive And Adaptation

**Ruth Sebastian**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Grit: Passion And Determination

**Kavishan Hansoti**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Grit: Passion And Perseverance Infused

**Leyla Venema**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Grit: The Effects Of Grit And Persistence Over Talent

**Jeremiah Akeye**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Grit: The True Judge Of Success

**Phi Ngo**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Grit: The Hidden Factor

Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Optimism Over Probability

**Jaxon Hoang**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Growing Food Trucks: Their Regulations Impacting Society

**Mohammad Khan**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Jamie Stevens  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Growing Up

**Grace Hu**

Clements High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Heather Hill  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Halo-Ween

Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: The Road Trip

**Hana Taddele**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Haley Grimes  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Hana's Anatomy

Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: My American Dream

**Jacky Zhang**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Hard Work: The Key To Many Possibilities

**Kenny Truong**

Ridge Point High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: How I Killed And Saved My Grandfather With Superpowers

**Chance Lewis**

Elkins High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Immovable Object

**Sofia Galvan**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: How My Catholic-Jewish Upbringing Shaped My Identity

**Temilola Adepoju**

Clements High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Inhuman

**Le Hoang**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: It's Too Late To Regret

**Ferheen Shaikh**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Haley Grimes  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Jack Of All Trades

**Ethan Nguyen**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Scheffie Lindquist  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Just A Bite

**Daniel Matthews**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Scheffie Lindquist  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Just A Pack Of Cards

**Christina Dao**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Haley Grimes  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Just A Wave

**Vanya Nanayakkara**

Ridge Point High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Valerie Pauling  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Mary And Her Lamb

**Nicholas Briones**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Mother Of Little Recognition

**Rishika Vaishnav**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Scheffie Lindquist  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: My Personal Narrative

**Khoi Pham**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Scheffie Lindquist  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: New Beginning

**Grace Cao**

Elkins High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Nirvanas

**Lindsey Nguyen**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Nothing To Be Ashamed Of

**Sophia Quindara**

Ridge Point High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Valerie Pauling  
Category: Humor  
Title: One Car, Two Car, New Car, Used Car

**Kerstine Lay**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Scheffie Lindquist  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Ostracized

**Alyssa Nguyen-Boston**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Portfolio (Writing)  
Title: Pencil Lead To Pixels

**Aarav Shah**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Haley Grimes  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Personal Narrative

**Richard Chau**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Haley Grimes  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Raisins To Grapes

**Ngan Ho**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Haley Grimes  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Rebuilding Life, One Step At A Time

**Ethan Davis**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Regulation Of Food Trucks: A  
Balanced Approach

**Alissia Muschamp**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Scheffie Lindquist  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Responsibility

**Emma Wu**

Clements High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Sand Is Dry

**Sofia Aguirre**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Saving Charhouse

**Kira Murakami**

Dulles High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Stardust

**Isabelle Chang**

Clements High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Strawberry Gum And Sour  
Patch Kids

**Jerett Lam**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Taking Chances: Guaranteed Growth

**Zoey Dang**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Truth Thomas-Alexander  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Tarnish Of The Golden Years

**Jonah Negrin**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Technology And How It Makes  
People Lonelier

**Muhammad Khatri**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Scheffie Lindquist  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: The Bench

**Saumya Kabnur**

Stephen F Austin High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: The Correlation Between Ownership  
And Identity

**Avery Wong**

Sartartia Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: The Courage To Be: Tales Of Dignity

**Caroline Liu**

Clements High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Margaret Tung  
Category: Journalism  
Title: The Dates Of Our Lives: The Dating  
Choices Of Gen Z

**Brandon Tran**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Haley Grimes  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: The Exploration Of Selflessness

**Sarah Sim**

Ronald Thornton Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: The Final Visit

**Jessica Jackson**

Dulles High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: The Initial Vow, The Final Farewell

**Sophia Li**

Clements High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Margaret Tung  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: The Needle



**Elizabeth Quito**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Poetry  
Title: The Newer Colossous

**Scarlett Yu**

Clements High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Things That Can't Be Googled

**Minahil Junaid**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Haley Grimes  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Threads Of Time

**Maya Bonilla**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Scheffie Lindquist  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: To Cherish

**Laiba Effendi**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Portfolio (Writing)  
Title: Un American

**Camille Kennedy**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Walking In The Shoes Of Other

**John-Paul Nguyen**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: What Cities Should Do When  
Regulating Mobile Food Service  
Establishments

**Samantha Acosta**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Scheffie Lindquist  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: When My Life Went Upside Down

**Lilah Itty**

Ridge Point High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Whispers Of Lost Colors

**Aidan Jimenez-Padilla**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Susan Henson  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Why Grit Is Better Than Talent

**Shira Babajanov**

I H Kempner High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Haley Grimes  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: You're Not Enough

## FRIENDSWOOD ISD

**Brandy Romine**

Friendswood High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Journalism  
Title: It's No Cap: The Hate Train  
On Modern Slang Has Got To Stop  
(Translation: It's True: Hating On Modern  
Slang Needs To End)

Category: Critical Essay  
Title: The Polishing Of A Double-Edged  
Sword: Perspectives On Security

## GALENA PARK ISD

**Genesis Villanueva**

Galena Park High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Melanie Stephens  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Steel

**Arieli Gallegos**

North Shore Senior High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Victor Resendiz  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: The Silent Architect: Beyond Human  
Understanding

## GOOSE CREEK CISD

**Kevin Puente**

Impact Early College High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: A Multifaceted Approach To School  
Funding: Navigating Equity, Policy, And  
Education

**Laila Williams**

Robert E Lee High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Glory Be To God

**Shakuntala Bhowmick**

Impact Early College High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Lauren Hoyt  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Binge-Eating Disorder: An  
Analysis Of Causes, Consequences, And  
Treatments

**Alexa Prieto**

Ross S Sterling High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Delynna Kelley  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Journey With Catholicism

**Laura Portillo**

Impact Early College High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Lauren Hoyt  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Pieces Of My Identity

**Cheyenne Pittman**

Ross S Sterling High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Annie Watson  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Ruin Is The Road To Restoration

**Leah Heintschel**

Goose Creek Memorial High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Delynna Kelley  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: The Canvas

**Jesus Leos**

Baytown Junior High School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Tracey Woodson  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Dark Forest

**Camila Ortega**

Memorial High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Delynna Kelley  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Chasing Color

## HOUSTON ISD

**Manushree Desai**

T. H. Rogers School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Novel Writing  
Title: "I Wish I Could Forget You"

**Bella Kalra**

Kinder High School For The Performing  
And Visual Arts  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: ABCD

**Katy Wang**

Bellaire High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: An Immigrant's Love

Category: Poetry  
Title: Palette

**Anakaren Aviles**

Kinder High School For The Performing  
And Visual Arts  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Judith Switek  
Category: Novel Writing  
Title: A Shot In The Dark

**Ana Alonso**

Kinder High School For The Performing  
And Visual Arts  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Short Story  
Title: A Story About Things

**Julia Beech**

Lamar High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Annie Lowe  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Beyond The Yellow Walls

**Wren Tarver**

Carnegie Vanguard High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Rachel Bohenic  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Blooming

**Ivy Gu**

Bellaire High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Boys In The Attic: A Story Of  
Courage

Category: Short Story  
Title: Drowning At The Thought Of You

**Jasmine Wang**

Debakey High School For Health  
Professions  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Breathe

**Sashank Bhagavatula**

Carnegie Vanguard High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Coffee Eyes

**Eva Rami**

Kinder High School For The Performing  
And Visual Arts  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Come Autumn

Category: Dramatic Script  
Title: Egomaniac

Category: Poetry  
Title: Little Things

**Alyssa Broadbent**

T. H. Rogers School  
Grade: 7  
Educator: Ryah Barazi  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Crying

**Amruta Nangarla**

Carnegie Vanguard High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Cultured

**Daniela Matassa**

Kinder High School For The Performing  
And Visual Arts  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Fun Facts

**Iniya Rajan**

Carnegie Vanguard High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Good Indian Girl

**Kelly Guo**

Bellaire High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Love, If It Existed

**Sophia Li**

Carnegie Vanguard High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Mandi's 16th

**Ojaswi Singh**

Carnegie Vanguard High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Maybe Only One

**Ismael Guel**

Carnegie Vanguard High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Rachel Bohenic  
Category: Dramatic Script  
Title: Moving On

**Evania John**

Debakey High School For Health  
Professions  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: My Forest

**Christine Novelero**

Kinder High School For The Performing  
And Visual Arts  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Pink Petals, Green Leaves, Yellow  
Light, Stop Sign

**Frederika Akagi**

Kinder High School For The Performing  
And Visual Arts  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Summer Of Yunnan

**Ava Novak**

Bellaire High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Temporal Symphonies

**Zoe Novak**

Bellaire High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Dramatic Script  
Title: The Alias

**Nadia Weaver**

Kinder High School For The Performing  
And Visual Arts  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: The Ghost Of Out-Do

**Tisha Patel**

Carnegie Vanguard High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: The Painting

**Ramya Elangovan**

Carnegie Vanguard High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: The War Of Words



**Isabel Nguyen**

Debakey High School For Health Professions  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: The Rhythm Of My Soul

**Elly Zhang**

Bellaire High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: To My Persimmon Tree I Have Never Known

**Gloria Manzano**

Carnegie Vanguard High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Luis Perez  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Victim Impact Statement

**Jordan Muscal**

Kinder High School For The Performing And Visual Arts  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Judith Switek  
Category: Humor  
Title: Welcome Home, Darlin'

Category: Flash Fiction

Title: You See Your Father's Face In The Dregs Of Your Coffee

**Diego Mireles**

East Early College High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: What I Have Does Not Define Me Wholly, But Is Part Of My Identity

**Alexis Kiew**

Debakey High School For Health Professions  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: What More Could You Want?

**Nadia Weaver**

Kinder High School For The Performing And Visual Arts  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Whispers

**Adam Zhou**

T. H. Rogers School  
Grade: 7  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Why Japanese Deserts Are The Best

**Hanah Hamilton**

Booker T. Washington High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: You're Too Pretty To Cry

**Vicky Shen**

Pin Oak Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: You Can't Carry These Oceans

**HUMBLE ISD**

**Taylor Atchley**

Kingwood High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Butterflies Can't Fly

**Aashi Narayanan**

Kingwood High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Let Go

**Camryn Hicks**

Kingwood High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: The Vanishing Point

**KATY ISD**

**Alyssa Anderson**

Adams Junior High School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Jessica Cardwell  
Category: Novel Writing  
Title: The 'Perfect' Match

**Grace Ding**

Obra D Tompkins High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Kelly Moore  
Category: Poetry  
Title: 10 Things You Should Know Before Dying Like An Obedient Girl

Category: Poetry  
Title: Duplex (Grief)

Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Outside of a Movie Theatre

Category: Poetry  
Title: Self-Portrait in America

**Jacqueline Lam**

Seven Lakes High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: A Cha

**Sophia Ni**

Obra D Tompkins High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: A Different Shade

**Grace Dong**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Jonathan Frishman  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Art and Trauma

**Shristi Gupta**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Short Story  
Title: A Way from the Wind

**Abieyuwa Desmond-Uyi**

Morton Ranch High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Axe Me No Questions

Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Shut Up, Please

**Phipa Ammari**

Katy High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Emily Trevino  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Basorexia

**Flora Zhou**

Seven Lakes High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Blank Pages

**Megan Huang**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Jonathan Frishman  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Bringing Health Equality to American Minority Populations

**Bakhtawar Usman**

Seven Lakes High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Child, I think?



**Kaidi Liu**

Seven Lakes High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Hailey Hann  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Car Rides

Category: Short Story  
Title: Rage

**Stella Zhao**

Obra D Tompkins High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Kelly Moore  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Four Minutes

Category: Poetry  
Title: Overflowing Dam

Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: The Lumberjack

**Aanisah Chiedozie**

Morton Ranch High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Jennifer Alexander  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Haunting Modifications

**Camryn Davis**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: He wrote as if his pen could bend

**Aarav Kunjir**

Adams Junior High School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Brittany Setzekorn  
Category: Poetry  
Title: How Far A Dream Can Soar

Category: Poetry  
Title: Procrastination

Category: Poetry  
Title: The Callous Conflagration

Category: Poetry  
Title: The Wealthy Way

**Hyma Kamdar**

Seven Lakes High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Journalism  
Title: I'm Just a Girl

Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: The Effort to Forge Connection Through Understanding

**Arianna Hodge**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: If You Really Knew Me

Category: Short Story  
Title: White Flowers

**Medina Mohabbat**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Ivy Queen

**Dai Li**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Influence of the Work Environment on Individuals' Motivation to Work Ethically

**Grace Zhang**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Instructions for When Your Brother Moves to College

**Cheryl Zhou**

Garland Mcmeans Junior High School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Lies

**Aanisah Chiedozie**

Morton Ranch High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Jennifer Alexander  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Mama, Will You Teach Me How To Fight?

Category: Poetry  
Title: Six Words Have Told Our Story

**Sushen Mutharaju**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Jonathan Frishman  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Mental Disorders: The Infamous Legacy on Trauma-Stricken Civilians

**Aurora Clark**

T H Mcdonald Junior High School  
Grade: 7  
Educator: Alicia Anderson  
Category: Poetry  
Title: My pretty girl.

**Fiona Gatlin**

Adams Junior High School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Kellie Pichon  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Nightingale

**Moemal Al-Wishah**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Pandemonium of the Heart

**Missy Han**

James E Taylor High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Run Away

Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: To Find A Home

**Sara Siddique**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Jonathan Frishman  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Stand-Your-Ground-Laws: Unveiling the Defense Doctrine

**Suchay Kommisetty**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Jonathan Frishman  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Start-Ups and Their Struggle to Succeed

**Patrick McMath**

Katy High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Recarlo Richardson  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Stealing For The Better

**Aryan Jangada**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: The Bridge Ahead of the Storm

**Jocelyn Johnson**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Short Story  
Title: The Cage That Binds Us



**Pranav Ramji**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Caryn Rasberry  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: The Effect of the COVID Pandemic on Medical Workers

**Nathalie Tejada**

Katy High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Recarlo Richardson  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: The End of A new Beginning?

**Nischay Kommisetty**

Adams Junior High School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Brittany Setzekorn  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: The ExoCrossing

**Helen Jiang**

Cinco Ranch Junior High School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: The Girl on the Dining Table

**Enhan Yuan**

Cinco Ranch High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: The Modern Lotus Eaters

**Patrick Hohmann**

Katy High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Recarlo Richardson  
Category: Portfolio (Writing)  
Title: The Portfolio of an Aspiring Writer

**Darya Malkova**

Adams Junior High School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: The Ribbon Of Inevitability

**Sruthi Gali**

Adams Junior High School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Tracy Talbott  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: The Rising Flower

**Yuancheng Chen**

Seven Lakes High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Matthew LeFevre  
Category: Short Story  
Title: The Sheep and the Fox

**McKenna McLaughlin**

Paetow High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Tides of Suffrage

**Aashi Verma**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: To Lose the Lost

**Wiona Reck**

Cinco Ranch High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Mary Sarver  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Translations To All My Soliloquies

**Naila Bari**

Jordan High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Emily Regetz  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Under Capitalism Man Exploits Man: Addressing the Happiness Decline

**KLEIN ISD**

**Liliana Ibarra**

Klein Forest High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Danae Perez  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: A Cold Freezin' Night

Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Idle Hands

**Louie Pucaputan**

Klein Oak High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Julianne Graham  
Category: Humor  
Title: Age Doesn't Matter When You're A Mile High

**Alfred "Dominic" Castillo**

Klein Collins High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Laurie Marek  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Agony

Category: Poetry  
Title: Slumber Swell

**Ian Angel**

Schindewolf Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Leanne Pope  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Authentic Mexican Food in Texas

**Samantha Craig**

Doerre Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Melissa Reisdorf  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: A Vision of Tomorrow

**Zohair Syed**

Doerre Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Melissa Reisdorf  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: A Weekend Trip to Escape Life: Mount Helene

**Mayur Gowda**

Doerre Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Melissa Reisdorf  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Bengal Famine of 1943: The Forgotten Holocaust

**Sophia Celis**

Klein Oak High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Vanessa Riley  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Blood for Kents

**Peyton Yokeley**

Krimmel Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Holly Walsh  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Bonding with my Brothers

**Jlonna Marshall**

Klein High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Born In Sin

Category: Short Story  
Title: DEEP IN EDEN

Category: Short Story  
Title: How Unfortunate

Category: Novel Writing  
Title: Inhuman Qualities

Category: Novel Writing  
Title: Inside Foreign Minds

Category: Novel Writing  
Title: Lost In Venus

Category: Novel Writing  
Title: Love On An Empty Canvas

Category: Novel Writing  
Title: Occupacity



**Aynabel Warren**

Klein High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Jennifer Siger  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Burning Cold

**Katherine Portillo**

Klein Oak High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Danielle Campos  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Cafe Con Leche

**Faith Ducksworth**

Krimmel Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Holly Walsh  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Can Blood Mix Within Sea?

**Lourdes Solano**

Klein Forest High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Car Wash

**Joseph Glenn**

Doerre Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Melissa Reisdorf  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Chicago: A City Of Ashes

**Maleah Parker**

Klein Oak High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Linda Billings  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Coal And Oak

**Marlo Boutian**

Klein Oak High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Comatose

**Ronan Vance**

Klein Oak High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Cortney Boettger  
Category: Portfolio (Writing)  
Title: Daydreams And Other Careless Things

**Jazzlyn Mansfield**

Kleb Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Christy Stewart  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Decisions

**Ariana Almazan**

Klein High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Dogfight

**Cydney Mohon**

Kleb Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Kate Beukema  
Category: Dramatic Script  
Title: Dorian Of Hampton

**Leah Vara**

Klein Cain High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Kristy Morton  
Category: Portfolio (Writing)  
Title: Ephemeral.

**Jordan Jones**

Klein High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Fatty

**Avery Mills**

Doerre Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Melissa Reisdorf  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Flight 175  
  
Category: Humor  
Title: Why Homework Should Come With A Warning Label

**Nicolas Bautista**

Kleb Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Kate Beukema  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Friend's Sacrifice

**Abigail Richardson**

Klein Collins High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Alyssa Drain  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Griffons

**Alexandra Burke**

Doerre Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Melissa Reisdorf  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Gunpowder, Blood, And War

**Gabriel Ornelas**

Krimmel Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Holly Walsh  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Into The Void - Arcerus Mission

**Cree Hilliard**

Schindewolf Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Leanne Pope  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Investing In Your Child's Future: The Value Of Physical Engagement

**Akshita Sadana**

Klein Collins High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Yvette Stuckey  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Is Yours A Life Of Misery Or Happiness?

**Madison Hale**

Vistas High School Program  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: I Wish It Was Over

**Jacob Mccaskill**

Klein Oak High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Linda Billings  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Just Another Job

**Phillip Chojnacki**

Ulrich Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Rikki Carter  
Category: Humor  
Title: Meowgers

**Eliya Fernandes**

Kleb Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Christy Stewart  
Category: Poetry  
Title: My Dear Wallflower

**Amy Lozano**

Klein Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Yujin Seo  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: My Haunting Nightmare

**Saleha Fathima**

Doerre Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Melissa Reisdorf  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: My Identity, My Mission

**Erika Cortes**

Klein Collins High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Yvette Stuckey  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Nana



**Arisha Zafar**

Klein Oak High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Luis De La Cruz  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Nosecomephobia

**James Nguyen**

Klein Oak High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Danielle Campos  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Prisoner Of The Jungle

**Catalina Chavez**

Schindewolf Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Leanne Pope  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Pulchritudo Ab Intus

**Carlos David Rodriguez Granados**

Klein Oak High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Vanessa Riley  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Repetitive Curriculums And Teacher Burnout: The Hidden Link To Declining Student Engagement

**Travis Duong**

Klein Cain High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Sea Of Tranquility

**Fateha Choudhury**

Klein Collins High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Senior Memory Book

**Caroline Righter**

Ulrich Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Rikki Carter  
Category: Novel Writing  
Title: Shadowed Wings

**Ayla Valdez**

Doerre Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Melissa Reisdorf  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Suddenly, It All Ended.

**Adam Pervaiz**

Doerre Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Melissa Reisdorf  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Sway

**Adriana Marinez**

Doerre Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Melissa Reisdorf  
Category: Novel Writing  
Title: The Day Time And The Child Of Night

**Carys Brown**

Doerre Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Melissa Reisdorf  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: The Distribution

**Joshua Robertson**

Klein Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Yujin Seo  
Category: Humor  
Title: The Guide To Zombie Apocalypse Characters.

**Ronnie Martin**

Ulrich Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Rikki Carter  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: The Heart Of The Beast

**Paige Sommerfeldt**

Kleb Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Christy Stewart  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Their Enchanted Tree

**Cynthia Cruz**

Schindewolf Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Leanne Pope  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: The Negative Effects Of Screens On Children

**Allison Later**

Doerre Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Melissa Reisdorf  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: The Price Of Freedom

**Temidire Tanimowo**

Doerre Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Melissa Reisdorf  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: The Quake That Separated My Family

**Myatnoe Aung**

Krimmel Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Holly Walsh  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: There's Always More

**Reagan Jones**

Doerre Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Melissa Reisdorf  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: The Release Of Dorothy Good

**Leonardo Miranda**

Klein Forest High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Danae Perez  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: The Shadow Of Truth

**Aydn Ratke**

Klein Collins High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Kimberli Bishop  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: The Swedish Siren

**Aaron Torres**

Klein Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Yujin Seo  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Unnamed Super Hero Story

**Aubrey Alikpokou**

Krimmel Intermediate School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Holly Walsh  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Why Did You Leave

**Pamela Moore**

Klein Cain High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Alexandra Matheny  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Wish You Were Here

**LAMAR CISD**

**Yemi Reuben**

Randolph Foster High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Incandescence

**PASADENA ISD**

**Citlaly Perez**

Sam Rayburn High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Jennifer Cloninger  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Converse: The Steps Of My Life.

**Sabrina Shepherd**

Sam Rayburn High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Jennifer Cloninger  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Dig For Water



**Isabella Harris**

Sam Rayburn High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Jennifer Cloninger  
Category: Portfolio (Writing)  
Title: Life To Live

**Erika Alber Stout**

Sam Rayburn High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Jennifer Cloninger  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Paws And Wiskers: My Life With Pets

**Kylie Cazares**

Dr. Kirk Lewis Career & Technical High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Stephanie Patrisso  
Category: Short Story  
Title: The Collector

**Delayla Nguyen**

Pasadena Memorial High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: The Value Of Society On Medicine

## PEARLAND ISD

**Isabel Chung**

Pearland High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: All-American

Category: Portfolio (Writing)  
Title: Discography

**Hitesh Dasari**

Glenda Dawson High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Brownface Then, Brownface Now

**Adelaide Witer**

Robert Turner Colege-Career High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Kyla Mora  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Common Courtesy

**Elizabeth Kwan**

Glenda Dawson High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Detective Sherrinford Hope And The Case Of Borgon Hamsay

**Jessica Fernandez**

Robert Turner Colege-Career High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Exquisite Corpse

**Michelle Gu**

Glenda Dawson High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Priest Gyar

**Zipporah Ramirez**

Robert Turner Colege-Career High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Put Me In The Trophy Case

**Sulei Johns**

Robert Turner College-Career High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Kyla Mora  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Trapped

## SPRING BRANCH ISD

**Victoria Zhang**

Memorial High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Becoming Unstoppable: From Doubt To Determination

**Kelly Xiong**

Spring Branch Academic Institute  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Song Of My People

**Isabella Morales**

Cornerstone Academy  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Ashley Braselton  
Category: Poetry  
Title: The Paintbrush

**Alice Jiang**

Stratford High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Suza Sharp  
Category: Poetry  
Title: The Pursuit Of Dreamless Joy

**Sean Zeng**

Spring Branch Academic Institute  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Cassondra Hayes  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Traveling Back In Time To Make History

**Xavier Alexander**

Stratford High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Dramatic Script  
Title: Wake Up, Weâ€™ Re On Your Side

## SPRING ISD

**Trinity Molina**

Spring Early College Academy  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Valerie Hassel  
Category: Short Story  
Title: The Ocean's Gift To Ocean Lovers

## TOMBALL ISD

**Tanmayi Kumar**

Tomball Memorial High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Kathleen Campese  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Artist's Block

**Parker Chaisson**

Tomball Memorial High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Janet Stackhouse  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: A Seatbelt Saves

**Brian Nguyen**

Tomball Memorial High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Melissa Jenson  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Autumn Whispers

**Reid Rentfro**

Tomball Memorial High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Kathleen Campese  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Cancer Is Life Changing

**Anjali Kamath**

Tomball Memorial High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Kathleen Campese  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Destroying (And Saving) Nyc

**Madeline Ramirez**

Tomball Memorial High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Detangled

**Camille Velasquez**

Tomball Memorial High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Melissa Jenson  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Down The Spout



**Shantanu Patil**

Tomball Memorial High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Carrie Varnell  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Illusions

**Ivy Tran**

Tomball Memorial High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Kathleen Campese  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: I'll Miss You

**Analena Quinonez**

Tomball Memorial High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Katie Melancon  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Just A Teenager

**Ananya Kamath**

Tomball Memorial High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Make It A Day Of Improvement

**Divisha Awataney**

Grand Lakes Junior High School  
Grade: 7  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Monsters In The Real World

**Maanit Patel**

Tomball Memorial High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Motives For Murder

**Finley Persons**

Tomball Memorial High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Kathleen Campese  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: My Breakfasts

**Alissa Feng**

Tomball High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Ode To Becoming A Woman

**Shreya Shewale**

Tomball Memorial High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Carrie Varnell  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Spices And Stories

**Dylan Ridley**

Tomball Memorial High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Mindy Faber  
Category: Humor  
Title: The Day I Almost Conquered  
Laundry

**Dylan Stanko**

Tomball Memorial High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Katie Melancon  
Category: Humor  
Title: The Donut Line Chronicles

**Sarah Dummer**

Tomball Memorial High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: The Golf Cart Fiasco

**Uma Novel**

Tomball Memorial High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: The History And Future Of School  
Lunch In America

**Annabelle Jones**

Tomball Memorial High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Dana Mcmillan  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: The Impact Of Sports Participation  
On Youth And Adolescent Mental  
Wellbeing

**Sydney Morrison**

Tomball Memorial High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Kathleen Campese  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: The Mascot

**Aniket Mandal**

Tomball Memorial High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Mindy Faber  
Category: Poetry  
Title: The Ocean's Bellow

**Laynie Wallace**

Tomball Memorial High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Kathleen Campese  
Category: Poetry  
Title: The Results Of Miscommunication

**Evelyn Hall**

Tomball Memorial High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Janet Stackhouse  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: The Twilight Festival

**Nhu Le**

Tomball Memorial High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Dana Mcmillan  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Two Halves

**Madelynn Mulig**

Tomball Memorial High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Carrie Varnell  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Under The Skin

**Shelby Hale**

Tomball Memorial High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Kathleen Campese  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: What I Don't Want

**Lucas Setiadi**

Tomball Memorial High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Takeisha Woods  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Why Swimming Is The Best Sport

## PRIVATE STUDIOS

**Paul Speed**

Catholic Literary Arts  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Lauren Lee  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Intruders

**Belen Garcia**

Catholic Literary Arts  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Lauren Lee  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Safe Zone

**Samantha Court**

Catholic Literary Arts  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Lauren Lee  
Category: Short Story  
Title: The Great Outdoors

Category: Short Story  
Title: Winner

**Omar Garcia**

Catholic Literary Arts  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Lauren Lee  
Category: Poetry  
Title: The Shoes

**Ariel Yu**

Elite Studies U.s.  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Jingxiu Forney  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Facsimile Of Peace



**Kaviya Dhir**

Ellipsis Writing  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Peter LaBerge  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Beneath a Pumpkin Moon

**Sophie Da Silva**

Girls Write Now  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Lisbett Rodriguez  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Kismet

Category: Poetry  
Title: My Little Sister is Tired of Poems on Suffering

**Jayden Chen**

J Mark Price's Reading & Writing Workshop  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Addressing Defamation in the Modern Era: The Impacts of AI

**Lina Volpi**

J Mark Price's Reading & Writing Workshop  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Star Han  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Handle With Care

Category: Short Story  
Title: Messy

**Emily Yen**

J Mark Price's Reading & Writing Workshop  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Star Han  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Ninety-Five Percent Water

**Aston Liu**

Margo Writing  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Margaret Tung  
Category: Journalism  
Title: Dispelling the Myths of Strength Training and Teenagers' Bodies

**Claire Weng**

Margo Writing  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Margaret Tung  
Category: Poetry  
Title: In Harmony

**Lucas Liu**

Margo Writing  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Margaret Tung  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Once Upon A High Schooler

**Hannah Wang**

Margo Writing  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Margaret Tung  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Penny Puncher

**Michelle Li**

Margo Writing  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Margaret Tung  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: River

Category: Poetry  
Title: She is a Flower

**Gabriel Miao**

Margo Writing  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Margaret Tung  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Up / Down

**Eric Zang**

Margo Writing  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Margaret Tung  
Category: Journalism  
Title: When Numbers Don't Add Up: The Cost of Leaked Math Exams on Mathletes

**Olivia Xu**

Margo Writing  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Margaret Tung  
Category: Journalism  
Title: YouTube Content Bridges Generations

**Kevin Song**

SpiderSmart at Sugar Land  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Sharon Li  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: An Inadequate System: the Truth About Public Education

**Ethan Zheng**

SpiderSmart at Sugar Land  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Sharon Li  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Becoming a dragon

**Yulu Liu**

SpiderSmart at Sugar Land  
Grade: 7  
Educator: Sharon Li  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Can AI and Humans Work Together in the Art Industry?

**Christina He**

SpiderSmart at Sugar Land  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Sharon Li  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Cancel Culture in Social Media: How the Internet Impacts Influence

**Jessica Fan**

SpiderSmart at Sugar Land  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Sharon Li  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Cracked Sphere

Category: Poetry  
Title: The Path I Carve

**Simon Zhong**

SpiderSmart at Sugar Land  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Sharon Li  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Guardians Of The Wild

**Haity Zhang**

SpiderSmart at Sugar Land  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: In the Eye of the Beholder (a Ghazal)

**Emma Liang**

SpiderSmart at Sugar Land  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Sharon Li  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Students and AI: the Popular Pair

**Brenn Zhu**

SpiderSmart Learning Center of Bellaire  
Grade: 7  
Educator: Yan Hou  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Hack n' Work

**Cheryl Zhou**

SpiderSmart Learning Center of Bellaire  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Yan Hou  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: The most tragic pandemic in history

**Derek Jiu**

The Adroit Journal  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Peter Laberge  
Category: Humor  
Title: An Open Letter To Tiktok



## PRIVATE SCHOOLS, CHARTER SCHOOLS AND INDEPENDENT SUBMISSIONS

### Ellie Norton

Aim Academy Online  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Lilianna Meldrum Serbicki  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: In A Mobile World

### Zoya Johl

Annunciation Orthodox School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Marian Rosse  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Childhood Comparisons

### Concepcion Hinojosa

Annunciation Orthodox School  
Grade: 7  
Educator: Joan Lange  
Category: Humor  
Title: Opposites Attract

### Isabella Skoulidis

Annunciation Orthodox School  
Grade: 7  
Educator: Joan Lange  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: The Future Watcher

### Amanda Hopkins

Aristoi Classical Academy  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Novel Writing  
Title: Someone Else's Script

### Leah Hwang

Awty International School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Monica Everett  
Category: Journalism  
Title: "A T That Sees": Bringing Whimsy To Boston Transit

Category: Journalism  
Title: Is It Too Late To Save Teens From Social Media?

Category: Critical Essay  
Title: The View From The Wall - On Israel And Palestine

### Annabelle Peng

Awty International School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Ané Ebie-Mouton  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Ahead Of Us

Category: Humor  
Title: Preview Of Pysch: What Makes People Cry The Most?

### Manon Esler

Awty International School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Alison Kilfoyle  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Analysis Of Memory And Identity In The Memory Police

Category: Journalism  
Title: The Impact Of Country Music On Texas Culture And Economy

### Sophia Shakourifar

Awty International School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Amanda Wood  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Bahaboom

Category: Poetry  
Title: France Et Moi

Category: Short Story  
Title: Ratatata

Category: Short Story  
Title: Yaurp Di Daurp

### Neda Ravandi

Awty International School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Elizabeth Carwile  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Cicada Season

Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Diptych

Category: Poetry  
Title: Sunday Morning

Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: The Collector

### Alison Barrera

Awty International School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Elizabeth Carwile  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Craftsman

### Guha Sundar

Awty International School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Ané Ebie-Mouton  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Demand For Oil And Gas Stays The Same Globally, Creating Issues For Sustainable Growth In The Uae.

### Ivan Dos Santos David

Awty International School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Kyle Simmons  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Doggone Stalker

### Taryn Heng

Awty International School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Cheri Goodwin  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Evergreen Lady

### Leila Sholokhova

Awty International School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Ané Ebie-Mouton  
Category: Poetry  
Title: First Time

### Sara Varela

Awty International School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Amanda Wood  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Forgotten Sweetheart

Category: Poetry  
Title: Go Back

Category: Poetry  
Title: Scared

### Carl Quero

Awty International School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Laurence Paul  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Freedom Has A Cost

### Deanna Zahirah Mohd Faisal

Awty International School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Robert Rusnak  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Gauze

Category: Poetry  
Title: The Memory Of Water

### Audrey Ahrar

Awty International School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Laurence Paul  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Gone Too Soon

### Cléa-Rose Deschanel-Pathman

Awty International School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Laurence Paul  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Graveyard Love

Category: Dramatic Script  
Title: The Chicken At The End Of The World

Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: The Monument That We Are

Category: Poetry  
Title: Where There Is Music



**Simone Huse**

Awty International School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Ané Ebie-Mouton  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Greasy Hair

**Olivia Mayne**

Awty International School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Ané Ebie-Mouton  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Homeland's Shadow

**Amelie Dekijndt**

Awty International School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Robert Rusnak  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: How Did The Ideological Beliefs  
Of The Khmer Rouge Contribute To The  
Execution Of The Killing Fields?

**Aubri Cunningham**

Awty International School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Brandy Giles  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Ice Away

**Sammy Bayardo**

Awty International School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Ané Ebie-Mouton  
Category: Poetry  
Title: I Hate Squirrels!

**Miguel Torres**

Awty International School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Miranda Miller  
Category: Dramatic Script  
Title: Is That Me?

**April Guo**

Awty International School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Greg Cullinan  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Lenore

**Aanya Ram**

Awty International School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Ané Ebie-Mouton  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Marks

Category: Dramatic Script  
Title: The Haunted Inheritance

**Abby Roux**

Awty International School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Laurence Paul  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Masks

**Sohan Nidamarthy**

Awty International School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: My Passions

**Amani Atiyyah**

Awty International School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: My Sanctuary

**Emma Lane**

Awty International School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Amanda Wood  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Notes From The Quiet Rooms

Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Preserving Identity Through  
Narrative In The Memory Police

**Owen Goodling**

Awty International School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Elizabeth Carwile  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Old Habits Die Hard

**Hoorulanne Ali**

Awty International School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Ané Ebie-Mouton  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Pakistan, My Country

**Lina Jeroudi**

Awty International School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Peace

**Maraam Sami**

Awty International School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Ané Ebie-Mouton  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Plants Of Passion

**Dariia Chugueva**

Awty International School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Elizabeth Carwile  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Principle Of Delicacy

Category: Short Story  
Title: Sublimation Nation

Category: Poetry  
Title: White-Hot Afterthought In Four  
Phases

**Joshua Babalola**

Awty International School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Purple Hibiscus And Oedipus Rex

**Declan Rennick**

Awty International School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Amanda Wood  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Rainbow Lobster

**Anya Bhojwani**

Awty International School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Laurence Paul  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Reading

**Konrad Tittel**

Awty International School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Elizabeth Carwile  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Scratches In My Skin

**Catalina Clark**

Awty International School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Miranda Miller  
Category: Dramatic Script  
Title: Silent Watcher

**Marcelo Raposo**

Awty International School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Amanda Wood  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Surrender To Memory Control

**Mariastela Weidler**

Awty International School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Ané Ebie-Mouton  
Category: Novel Writing  
Title: Taken

**Kasey Roberts**

Awty International School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Amanda Wood  
Category: Poetry  
Title: The Burden Of A Dreamer's Heart

**Rory Colgin**

Awty International School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Ané Ebie-Mouton  
Category: Novel Writing  
Title: The Hellebore Hotel



**Luaty Mendes**

Awty International School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Ané Ebie-Mouton  
Category: Poetry  
Title: The Moon

**George Gutierrez**

Awty International School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Amanda Wood  
Category: Short Story  
Title: The Playful Blue House

**Aarushi Jain**

Awty International School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Amanda Wood  
Category: Poetry  
Title: The Price Of Truth

**Avni Shiv**

Awty International School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Ané Ebie-Mouton  
Category: Humor  
Title: The Sparse Rights Of A White Shirt

**Frederick Charlton**

Awty International School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Cheri Goodwin  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Through A New Lens

**Bernardine Delphin**

Awty International School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Amanda Wood  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Tragic Hero Poem

**Aleena Shaikh**

Awty International School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Alison Kilfoyle  
Category: Journalism  
Title: Want Good Grades? Take A Nap.

**Issabella Kamara**

Awty International School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Laurence Paul  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Wrongly Planted

**Neev Shaw**

Davidson Academy Online  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Tracy Sangster  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: A Little Byte Of Coding

Category: Humor  
Title: Recipes For Disaster

**Andrew Lau**

Davidson Academy Online  
Grade: 7  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Perfect Children

Category: Poetry

Title: Wake Up

**Rania Khan**

Duchesne Academy Of Sacred Heart  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Lesli Dabney  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: A Puppet On Strings

**Gracen Luke**

Duchesne Academy Of Sacred Heart  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Dismember Story

**Taryn Hopkins**

Duchesne Academy Of Sacred Heart  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: May's Song Of Grief

**Emily Salvatierra**

Duchesne Academy Of Sacred Heart  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Lesli Dabney  
Category: Journalism  
Title: Memories And Mexican Food

**Cecilia Pritchett**

Duchesne Academy Of Sacred Heart  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Scenarios From The Life Of A Grieving Sister

**Eva Raborn**

Duchesne Academy Of Sacred Heart  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Lesli Dabney  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Sweat

**Asha Dimino**

Duchesne Academy Of Sacred Heart  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Lesli Dabney  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Tick...Tick...Tick

**Madelyn Gruen**

Duchesne Academy Of Sacred Heart  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Windows To The Soul

**Noah Chelius**

Emery Weiner School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Always Approaching

**Ila Breston**

Emery Weiner School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Hannah Bender  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Landing My Axel

**Hailey Newman**

Emery Weiner School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Hannah Bender  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Personal Essay

**Julia Fleishman**

Emery Weiner School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Hannah Bender  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Shattered Reflection

**Hanley Carlock**

Episcopal High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Jordan Harris  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Eternal

**Brooklyn Hermance**

Episcopal High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Jordan Harris  
Category: Poetry  
Title: I Am A Girl

**Madelein Arenas-Escalera**

Episcopal High School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Jordan Harris  
Category: Dramatic Script  
Title: Pandemonium - Pilot

**Christopher Richardson**

Episcopal High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Jordan Harris  
Category: Journalism  
Title: The Cost Of Tariffs

Category: Journalism  
Title: US Foreign Policy Projections

**Cece Sonsino**

Episcopal High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: The Weight Of Water



**Jackson Dean**

First Baptist Christian Academy  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Just Breathe

**Roshanay Khan**

Harmony School Innovation-Sugar Land  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Borderless

**Emmanuel Emenike**

Harmony Science Academy-Sugar Land  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: His Weakness

**Advika Asthana**

Homeschool  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Bound By Love And Ribbons

Category: Poetry  
Title: The Tastes Of Life

**Zhong Guan**

Homeschool  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Color And Symmetry: Tools To Depict Socio-Institution And History In The Film The Grand Budapest Hotel

**Nina Liang**

Homeschool  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Gemini

**Tiantong Zeng**

Homeschool  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: My Dance

**Elizabeth Mohith**

Homeschool  
Grade: 8  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Novel Writing  
Title: Shadow: First Contact

**Elizabeth Lei**

Homeschool  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Short Story  
Title: The Lighthouse Keeper

**Lauren Vidinha**

Homeschool  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Portfolio (Writing)  
Title: Written Works Grades 9-12

**Claudia Moore**

Houston Christian High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Karen Diven  
Category: Humor  
Title: Anthem Of An Sat Prep Procrastinator

**Rinelle Pauline Aliboso**

Incarinate Word Academy  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Amanda Snook  
Category: Journalism  
Title: Culture Versus Consumerism

Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: What Is Love?

Category: Dramatic Script  
Title: Woman Of The Ax: Lizzie Borden

**Alexandra Beltran**

Incarinate Word Academy  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Amanda Snook  
Category: Dramatic Script  
Title: Thirty Silver Coins

**Chap Young**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Angélique Jamail  
Category: Poetry  
Title: 10,000 Sunrises Ago

**Unaisah Saeed**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Angélique Jamail  
Category: Poetry  
Title: 11 Ways To View The World Differently

Category: Poetry  
Title: The Cherished Memory Of A Man Gone For Now

**Abby Shi**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Angélique Jamail  
Category: Portfolio (Writing)  
Title: A Dash Of My Life

**Shaivi Moparathi**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Angélique Jamail  
Category: Journalism  
Title: A New Era In Space

**Abigail Ahuero**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Angélique Jamail  
Category: Poetry  
Title: A Revised Dictionary For Little Girls

Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Salvation For Whom? Reverend Hale And Racialized Theology

**Audrey Koo**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Angélique Jamail  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Artificial-Emotion-Model-008-Crush

Category: Poetry  
Title: Mandu

**Lucas Fang**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Angélique Jamail  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Audition

Category: Portfolio (Writing)  
Title: Echoes Between Breath And Verse

Category: Poetry  
Title: Echoes Of A Lac Bird

Category: Poetry  
Title: Fighting Words

Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Undivided Nation

**Riana Pliskin**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Angélique Jamail  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Borscht

**Elizabeth Ajumobi**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Angélique Jamail  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Buy Your Sweet Yellow Garri

Category: Portfolio (Writing)  
Title: In The Rise: A Journey Of Stories

Category: Poetry  
Title: When The Sun Fell

**Haizhong Ren**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Angélique Jamail  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Confession

**Caroline Pielop**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Angélique Jamail  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Childhood Development Under Duress: A Study Of The Recovery Process Of A Drowning Bird After Her Close Friend Quit First

Category: Portfolio (Writing)  
Title: Dissection Of A Raven

Category: Poetry  
Title: Six Degrees Of Separation

**Alexia Hoffman**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Angélique Jamail  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Deception

**Helen Zhang**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Angélique Jamail  
Category: Portfolio (Writing)  
Title: Introspection; Interception

**Bridget Gray**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Angélique Jamail  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Light

Category: Dramatic Script  
Title: Table For Two

Category: Dramatic Script  
Title: The Interrogation

**Marion Moore**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Angélique Jamail  
Category: Poetry  
Title: My Misso

**Naomi Fan**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Angélique Jamail  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Parallel

**Gretchen Merman**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Angélique Jamail  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Sick As A Dog

**Cynthia Cai**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Journalism  
Title: Quanzhou: A City Thrown Into The Spotlight, Whether It's Ready, Or Not.

Category: Poetry  
Title: The Fluidity Of Time.

Category: Poetry  
Title: The Wails Of A Music Sheet

**Jenny Wu**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Angélique Jamail  
Category: Short Story  
Title: The Cafe

**Carsten Tanner**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Angélique Jamail  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: The Dark Wizard

**Nick Kaneb**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Angélique Jamail  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: The Peacekeeping Mission

**Molly Jane Dunn**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Short Story  
Title: The Price Of Belief

**Sophia Nguyen**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Angélique Jamail  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: The Reflection That Reveals The Truth

**Mary Silva**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Angélique Jamail  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: The Savior

**Anna Nguyen**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Angélique Jamail  
Category: Poetry  
Title: The Young Martyr

Category: Short Story  
Title: Trapped

**Megan Wu**

Kinkaid School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Angélique Jamail  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Whale Fall

**Uziel Rodezno**

Kipp Journey Collegiate  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Dramatic Script  
Title: Mitau

Category: Short Story  
Title: Spiraling Heights

**Bode Smith**

Presbyterian School  
Grade: 7  
Educator: Elizabeth Eades  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: The Giver Vs. U.s.a. Ideals.

**Callan Mckay**

Presbyterian School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Elizabeth Eades  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: The Storm

**Lola Prpa**

River Oaks Baptist School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Chelsea Reynolds  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: My Goal - A Speech By Lola Prpa

Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Uno

**Maddox Morris**

River Oaks Baptist School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Chelsea Reynolds  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Thanksgiving

**Ava Wood**

River Oaks Baptist School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Chelsea Reynolds  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: The Secret Behind The Smile

**Caroline Otto**

River Oaks Baptist School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: The Unexpected Spring Break



**Sophie Wang**

St. Agnes Academy  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Apollo's Ballad

Category: Poetry  
Title: Songbird

**Olivia Kao**

St. Agnes Academy  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Child Bearings

Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Shakespeare's Hidden Meanings

Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: The Hand That Strikes The Merry

Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: When The Tide Came Rushing In

**Sofia Chavez-Lujambio**

St. Agnes Academy  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Counting

Category: Poetry  
Title: My Mother's Last Name

Category: Critical Essay  
Title: V Is For Vengeance

**Isabella Bradbury**

St. Agnes Academy  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Familiar Strangers

**Lucy Miggins**

St. Agnes Academy  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Grounded In Strength: My Barefoot Journey

**Fayme Chen**

St. Agnes Academy  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Leveling Up

**Scarlet Jacobson**

St. Agnes Academy  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Herman Sutter  
Category: Poetry  
Title: My David

**Sophie Da Silva**

St. Agnes Academy  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Herman Sutter  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Mrs. Jolene's Diary Was Found

Category: Humor  
Title: The Backpack

**Adanna Okeke**

St. Agnes Academy  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Herman Sutter  
Category: Portfolio (Writing)  
Title: Pages Of Strength

Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: The Friendship Project

**Jessica Wang**

St. Agnes Academy  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Herman Sutter  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Patches On My Shattered Reflection

**Frida Buck**

St. Agnes Academy  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Dramatic Script  
Title: Self-Reflection

**Mila Dimitrov**

St. Agnes Academy  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Herman Sutter  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Soap

**Sophie Wang**

St. Agnes Academy  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A

**Mace Bautista**

St. Agnes Academy  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Herman Sutter  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Soulmates For A Summer

**Cindy Lu**

St. Agnes Academy  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Journalism  
Title: W. H. Auden's Revelation Of Societal Indifference

**Harrison Alig**

St. John's School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Auntie's Lesson

**Lily St. Clair-Foster**

St. Francis Episcopal Day School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: "Woman" Hood

Category: Poetry  
Title: The Fading Girl

**Graham Johnson**

St. John's School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Authenticity Rather Than Conformity

**Jayden Chen**

St. John's School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Foreigner

**Madison Bibb**

St. John's School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: It's A Man's World And Women Are Just Living In It

**Hanxi Zhang**

St. Thomas' Episcopal School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Lunar Zodiac

**John Simoneaux**

St. Thomas High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: David Fritsch  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Café Climate

Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: I Love You, Mom

Category: Portfolio (Writing)  
Title: Response To Life Right Now

**Dominic Hurd**

St. Thomas High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: David Fritsch  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Environmental Impact Of Electric Vehicles



**Yutia Li**

St. John's School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: David Nathan  
Category: Journalism  
Title: 'Something Rotten' This Way Comes

Category: Short Story  
Title: Aisle 13

Category: Journalism  
Title: Ambassador Program Provides Security, Medical Forces On Campus

Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Elisa Allen's Desire for Masculine Power in "The Chrysanthemums"

Category: Journalism  
Title: Falcons, Flamingos And A Whole Lot Of Fun: Behind The Scenes Of Maverick Homecoming And Spirit Week

Category: Journalism  
Title: Maverick Baseball, Softball Teams Adventure To Florida And California

Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Pushed Too Far, Too Fast: When Progress Becomes a Problem in Karen Russell's "St. Lucy's Home for Girls Raised by Wolves"

Category: Critical Essay  
Title: The Pigs' Totalitarian Control in Animal Farm

Category: Dramatic Script  
Title: When I Dare

**Ally Rodriguez**

St. John's School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Rachel Weissenstein  
Category: Short Story  
Title: 44465

**Lucia Trachtenberg**

St. John's School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Judy Adams  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Aching

**Katelyn Mccollum**

St. John's School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Kemberly Kemp  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: A Feminist's Perspective: Snapshots In Time

Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Technology Vs Spirituality In Klara And The Sun: The Impact On Humanity

**Aila Jiang**

St. John's School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: David Nathan  
Category: Journalism  
Title: Adapt Or Move: Why So Many Houston Homeowners Are Purchasing Generators

Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: A Tribute To My Grandparents And Mahjong

Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Path to Redemption: How Style Reveals the Necessary Role of Tension Between the Past and Present To Facilitate Change in "Sonny's Blues" and "Babylon Revisited"

Category: Journalism  
Title: Sorry, Not Sorry: Stop The Apologies

**Elizabeth Hu**

St. John's School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: After-School Lessons

Category: Journalism  
Title: Ending Legacy Admissions Marks Next Step Toward College Admissions Equity

Category: Short Story  
Title: The Penny King

Category: Journalism  
Title: Thinking Differently About Thinking Differently

**Nicole Simon**

St. John's School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Michael Seckman  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Andromeda

**Elisa Feygin**

St. John's School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: An Ode To Confidence

**Robin Rider**

St. John's School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Kemberly Kemp  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: A Perfectionist's Odyssey

**Samuel Dalicandro**

St. John's School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Michael Seckman  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Blue Jay

**Nia Shetty**

St. John's School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: David Nathan  
Category: Journalism  
Title: Breaking The Glass: Limitations On Women In Workplace

Category: Poetry  
Title: Interstellar

**Kaviya Dhir**

St. John's School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Daniel Alig  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Breakthrough: Finding Voice Through Oppression

Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Rewind, Restart, Replay

**Derek Jiu**

St. John's School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Catharsis

Category: Poetry  
Title: Chicken Little

Category: Poetry  
Title: Trying To Tell Your Parents You're Pregnant At 16

Category: Poetry  
Title: Two Birds

Category: Poetry  
Title: Save Face

**Aidan McMurray**

St. John's School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Michael Seckman  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Departed

**Story McMillan**

St. John's School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Michael Seckman  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Drafted

**Brian Kim**

St. John's School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Marquita Gill  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Despotism And Dysfunction

Category: Journalism  
Title: Fittingly Fabulous: Inside The World Of A Costume Designer

Category: Dramatic Script  
Title: Macbeth : The Aftermath Of Tyranny

Category: Poetry  
Title: Summer

**Eric Liu**

St. John's School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Escape

**Brayden Zhao**

St. John's School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Cameron Dowlen  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Fitting The Mold

Category: Critical Essay  
Title: The Exploitation Of The Angel

**Elliot Titus**

St. John's School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Michael Seckman  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Forget

**Caroline Harvey**

St. John's School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Kimberley Roquemore  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Frankenstein: Perfectionism And Failure

**Georgia Pulliam**

St. John's School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Rachel Weissenstein  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Freedom

Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Wealth And Wrongdoing: Exploring Money And Immorality In The Great Gatsby

**Demetrios Mossos**

St. John's School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Michael Seckman  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Fugitive

**Eshna Das**

St. John's School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: David Nathan  
Category: Journalism  
Title: French Congolese Writer-Filmmaker Talks To Students About Race, Prejudice And Creative Expression.

Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Seeing Green: The Physical Toll Of Jealousy In The Great Gatsby

**Mila Craig**

St. John's School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Marquita Gill  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Greed-Fueled Manipulation: The Selfish Tendencies Of Human Nature

**Samuel Huang**

St. John's School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Michael Seckman  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Gust Of Wind

**Felipe Casal**

St. John's School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Daniel Alig  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: How Parental Neglect Breeds Sociopathy In Mary Shelley's Frankenstein

**Noa Hayon**

St. John's School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Judy Adams  
Category: Poetry  
Title: I'm Empty, Thank You

**Fiona Bodmann**

St. John's School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Marquita Gill  
Category: Dramatic Script  
Title: In The Absence Of Light: Lady Macbeth's Lament

**Emerson Young**

St. John's School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Michael Seckman  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: I Remember 10/31

**William Burger**

St. John's School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Journalism  
Title: Ivy League Athletics: An Uneven Playing Field

**Dalia Sandberg**

St. John's School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: David Nathan  
Category: Journalism  
Title: Letter Jackets Make A Comeback

Category: Journalism  
Title: Mindset Over Medals: How To Flip Your Perspective

Category: Journalism  
Title: Vote. Somebody's Next Meal Depends On It.

**Aleena Gilani**

St. John's School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: David Nathan  
Category: Journalism  
Title: Litton Looks To Represent District 15

**Morgan Raizner**

St. John's School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Short Story  
Title: My Blanket

Category: Short Story  
Title: The Sideline

**Alex Moore**

St. John's School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Michael Seckman  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Paralyzed Passion

**Sasha Mintz**

St. John's School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Clay Guinn  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Paralyzing Passion: The Dangers Of Obsession In Frankenstein

Category: Critical Essay  
Title: The Power Of Faith: How Humans Use Hope To Navigate Difficult Situations In Kazuo Ishiguro's Klara And The Sun

**Talia Rosenblatt**

St. John's School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Michael Seckman  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Part Of Me

**Elizabeth Phillips**

St. John's School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Rachel Weissenstein  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Plenty Of Fish In The Sea

**Amelia Paine**

St. John's School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Polyxena

**Katharine Yao**

St. John's School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Kemberly Kemp  
Category: Portfolio (Writing)  
Title: Reflections Of Life: The Journey To Self-Acceptance

**Nathan Kim**

St. John's School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Clay Guinn  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Romantic Silence: Examining Women's Voices In Their Eyes Were Watching God

**Enbao Cao**

St. John's School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Clay Guinn  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Shackled By Strength

Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Unreality Of Reality: Gatsby As A Selfish Dreamer

**Maya Kadia**

St. John's School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Kimberley Roquemore  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Sidewalk Symphony

**Henry Kramer**

St. John's School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Michael Seckman  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: The Isle Royale Incident

**Tiffany Li**

St. John's School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Poetry  
Title: The Last Letter

**Sofia Aboul-Enein**

St. John's School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Kemberly Kemp  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: The Tree Carries The Song's Memory

**Aaron Shor**

St. John's School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Michael Seckman  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Those Who We Remember

**Melody Han**

St. John's School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: To Be Loved Or Not To Be Loved: The Cost Of Loneliness In Frankenstein

**Eason Stimming**

St. John's School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: When Shields Don't Protect

**Ian Sitton**

St. John's School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Michael Seckman  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Why?

**Anaodilia Albarran**

St. Pius X High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Christina Guajardo  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: A Step Forward

**Jameson Pham**

St. Pius X High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Christina Guajardo  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Conformity

Gael Tapia  
Strake Jesuit College Prep School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Countdown

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The Village School, High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Alicia Merrifield  
Category: Journalism  
Title: 2024-2025 VHS Clubs

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The Village School, High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Denise Keenaghan  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Analyses Of Three Common Arguments About The Heterogeneity Of Autism

**Ivanna Silva**

The Village School, High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Denise Keenaghan  
Category: Journalism  
Title: Confronting The Junk-Ad Epidemic

**Sungmo Kang**

The Village School, High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: Eat Yeot

**Khalil Nazarali**

The Village School, High School  
Grade: 11  
Educator: Denise Keenaghan  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: How Power, Justice, And Truth Are Manipulated In The Crucible And In The Real World

**Narayanan Murugappan**

The Village School, High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Denise Keenaghan  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: How The Characters Of Romeo And Juliet Represent The Themes Of Love And Fate

**Sarosh Britto**

The Village School, High School  
Grade: 12  
Educator: Denise Keenaghan  
Category: Poetry  
Title: Ode To The Ivory Heron

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The Village School, High School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: Denise Keenaghan  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: Planetary Sentence

Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: The Blind Listener Of Katler 2

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Grade: 9  
Educator: Denise Keenaghan  
Category: Personal Essay & Memoir  
Title: The Girl To The Boy

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Grade: 12  
Educator: Denise Keenaghan  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: The River



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Grade: 9  
Educator: Denise Keenaghan  
Category: Short Story  
Title: The Void Before A Dream

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Grade: 9  
Educator: Denise Keenaghan  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Touchdown

**Vedant Sharda**

The Village School, Middle School  
Grade: 7  
Educator: Elizabeth Foye  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Bob Goes To Bobtartica

**Sophia Bain**

The Village School, Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Elizabeth Foye  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Here Rest The Ancient Scribes

**Cameron Henderson**

The Village School, Middle School  
Grade: 7  
Educator: Elizabeth Foye  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Holidays With Jacob

Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: My Brother's Best Friends

**Alex Chen**

The Village School, Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Elizabeth Foye  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Let's Cooperate

**Kayi Aregbesola**

The Village School, Middle School  
Grade: 7  
Educator: Elizabeth Foye  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: My Life, My Town

**Thananchanok Voradejviseskrai**

The Village School, Middle School  
Grade: 7  
Educator: Elizabeth Foye  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: Ninety Years Behind

Category: Critical Essay  
Title: Social, Cultural, & Humanitarian  
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The Village School, Middle School  
Grade: 7  
Educator: Elizabeth Foye  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: No.0

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Grade: 7  
Educator: Peter Martindell  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: The Duel

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Grade: 7  
Educator: Elizabeth Foye  
Category: Short Story  
Title: The Missing Dog

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The Village School, Middle School  
Grade: 7  
Educator: Elizabeth Foye  
Category: Science Fiction & Fantasy  
Title: The New Species

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The Village School, Middle School  
Grade: 7  
Educator: Elizabeth Foye  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: The Orphanage

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Grade: 7  
Educator: Elizabeth Foye  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: The Rich And Lazy

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Grade: 8  
Educator: Elizabeth Foye  
Category: Critical Essay  
Title: They Think We Are Idiots

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The Village School, Middle School  
Grade: 7  
Educator: Elizabeth Foye  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: War And Time Travel

**Syrena Davinder**

The Village School, Middle School  
Grade: 7  
Educator: Elizabeth Foye  
Category: Flash Fiction  
Title: X+Y= ADHD

**Lorenza Marciano**

The Village School, Middle School  
Grade: 8  
Educator: Elizabeth Foye  
Category: Poetry  
Title: "Just" Trouble

**London Casser**

The Wide School  
Grade: 9  
Educator: Katy Garza  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Olyphant Train Robbery: The St.  
Louis, Iron Mountain And Southern  
Railway Company

**Ryan Yin**

Village School  
Grade: 10  
Educator: N/A  
Category: Short Story  
Title: Quarters And Dreams

Category: Short Story  
Title: The Lock

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