

NATIONAL HISTORY DAY-OC

Turning Points in History



March 9, 2024



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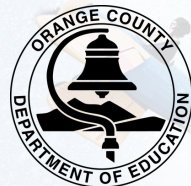
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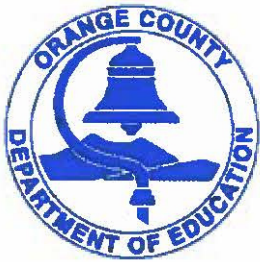
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Welcome to National History Day – Orange County (NHD-OC). It's an exciting time to celebrate historical research and a competition among some of the best historians in Orange County. Your participation at NHD-OC demonstrates that you have accomplished a significant and challenging process.

This year your research and analysis of evidence related to the theme *Turning Points in History* enable you to write and develop a creative project. You read primary and secondary sources to think like a historian and deepen your understanding of your topic. Your ability to employ collaboration, creativity, critical thinking, and communication skills to create a product for evaluation, demonstrates resilience and perseverance. These skills will serve as a foundation for your success in college and the career you will ultimately choose.

Each year, it is an honor for the Orange County Department of Education to host the annual competition, and this year is no exception. Good luck as you compete in this year's competition.

We hope to see you at the annual awards ceremony on Wednesday, March 13, 2024, 6:00 pm as we celebrate the 50th anniversary of History Day.

Sincerely,

Ramon Miramontes, Ed.D.

Deputy Superintendent

National History Day Program Overview

2024 Theme – Turning Points in History

Each year, more than half a million students, encouraged by thousands of educators nationwide, participate in the National History Day (NHD) contest. Students who participate in History Day learn valuable 21st-century college and career-ready skills.

NHD is a year-long educational program in which students become historians. Students choose historical topics related to an annual theme and conduct extensive primary and secondary source research by using libraries, archives, museums, and oral history interviews. They analyze and interpret their findings, draw conclusions about the significance of their topics in history, and create final projects to present their work. With a focus on research and argumentative writing, the program supports the Common Core State Standards and the History Social-Science Framework.

Schools across Orange County participate in the NHD-OC program as a means to provide highly engaging history instruction that develops students' ability to critically think and problem-solve. As individuals or as a group, students showcase their knowledge and skill in one of seven categories: Poster (grades 4/5 only), Podcast, Documentary, Exhibit, Website, and Performance. The Historical Paper category competes at the NHD-CA virtual contest in February and finalists advance to NHD-CA in April.

Volunteer judges evaluate each entry by looking for historical accuracy, and a balance of perspectives on the topic, along with the variety and breadth of the types of sources, analysis, and interpretation. The major emphasis of NHD is historical quality. Judges are community members, parents, educators, NHD alumni, and others who have an interest in and experience with National History Day. Judges also seek criteria related to adherence to the annual theme and clarity of the presentation. NHD-OC Champions advance to the National History Day-California (NHD-CA) state finals representing Orange County. Successful students at NHD-CA advance to the national level competition.

NHD-OC AWARDS CEREMONY

Join us for the Awards Ceremony on Wednesday, March 13, 2024, at 6:00 p.m. We will announce the champions who will represent Orange County at the State Finals in April, as well as students receiving special awards.

A champions meeting will be held immediately following the Awards Ceremony.

2024 NHD-OC

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2024 NHD-OC

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Saturday, March 9, 2024

7:30 – 8:00 a.m. JUDGE CHECK-IN

8:00 – 9:00 a.m. SCHOOLS MAY SET UP IN COURTYARD FOR EXHIBITS AND POSTERS
Set up must be completed by 9:00 a.m.

8:00 – 9:00 a.m. JUDGE ORIENTATION

9:30 – 11:30 a.m. MORNING JUDGING

- Elementary Posters
- Junior Documentaries
- Senior Documentaries
- Junior Exhibits
- Senior Exhibits
- Junior Performances
- Senior Performances
- Junior Websites
- Senior Websites
- Elementary / Junior / Senior Podcasts

FINALS ROUND JUDGING will occur immediately following preliminary round judging

*** 11:00 a.m.** Poster public viewing – Poster Hall (time approximate)

*** 12:30 p.m.** Exhibit public viewing – Exhibit Hall (time approximate)

*** 1:00 p.m.** NHD-OC SCHOOL RECOGNITION – Courtyard

*** 1:15 – 2:00 p.m.** FINALIST ANNOUNCEMENTS AND AWARDS – Courtyard

- Elementary Division Awards
- Junior and Senior Division Finalists
- Judges' Choice Awards

EXHIBIT REMOVAL – Immediately following announcements

- Pick up Exhibits, remove all remaining projects

* TIMES ARE APPROXIMATE DUE TO THE DYNAMIC NATURE OF THE COMPETITION.

NHD-OC Awards Ceremony

Announcement of Champions to be the Orange County Representatives to NHD-CA

Wednesday, March 13, 2024 at 6:00 pm

Holocaust Education Center of Orange County

2240 University Drive, Newport Beach, CA 92660

2024 NHD-OC

Participants and Schedules by Category

Elementary Division

Elementary Individual Poster, Team AAA (Room A-5)

Entry ID	Student	Entry Title	School	Time
10001	Layla Shah	Mahatma Gandhi's Salt March: Turning Point in Civil Disobedience	Olinda Elementary	9:30
10002	Zaara Shah	Operation Overlord	Santiago Hills Elementary School	9:40
10003	Janae Lopez	9/11	Maple Elementary School	9:50
10004	Damian Valdivia	Pearl Harbor Attack	Maple Elementary School	10:00

Elementary Group Poster, Team BBB (Room A-5)

Entry ID	Students	Entry Title	School	Time
10101	Hannah Groysman, Hannah Hsiao	Voting for Denial: Prop 187	Santiago Hills Elementary School	10:30
10102	Angela Gayed, Vincy Yu, Michael Suh, Olivia Giang, Daniel Torres	The U.S. Constitution: Turning Point in American Government	Olinda Elementary	10:40
10103	Nikaiah Li, Isabella Orozco	The Past, Present and Future of the Miracle Drug of the 20th Century: Antibiotics as a Turning Point in Saving Lives, Leaving a Lasting Impact on Wounds and Infections	Acaciawood Preparatory Academy	10:50



Elementary Division

Elementary Individual Podcast, Team CCC (Room D-1)

Entry ID	Student	Entry Title	School	Time
16001	Arjun Mamillapalli	The Battles of Saratoga: 1777	Santiago Hills Elementary School	9:30
16002	Harrison Hyun	Jane Goodall: Hope for Our Planet, Hope for Our Future	Olinda Elementary	9:45
16004	Lexie Holland	Turning it Up to 1011: How Moving From Human to Digital Computers was a Pivotal Moment in the U.S. Space Program	Santiago Hills Elementary School	10:00

Elementary Group Podcast, Team DDD (Room D-1)

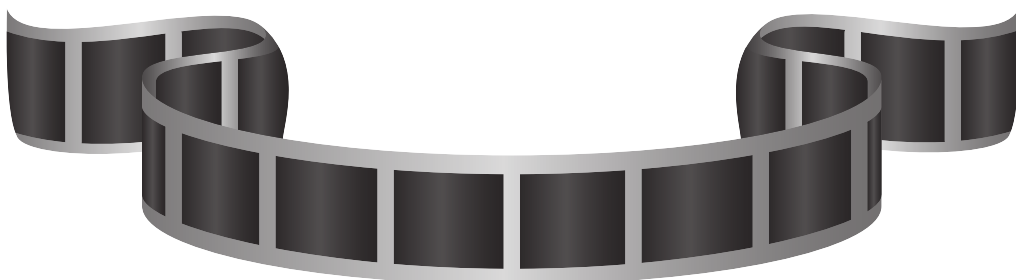
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16101	Julian Cheng, John Cherian, Aaron Chung	Duct Tape: Nixon's Sticky Situation	Olinda Elementary	10:30
16102	Elliott Lee, Theodore Hong	Winging It: Turning Point in Economic Relations Between the United States and China	Olinda Elementary	10:45



Junior Division

Junior Individual Documentary, Team A (Room E-3)

Entry ID	Student	Entry Title	School	Time
21001	Letong (Monica) Liu	Marilyn Monroe: A Turning Point in Femininity and What it Means to be a Woman	V'Torah	9:30
21002	Simrah Karim	The 1947 Partition of India and Pakistan: A Turning Point That Traumatized the Culture of South Asia	Venado Middle School	9:45
21003	Mahima Wuppalapati	Beyond the Scalpel: Laparoscopic Surgery and Its Revolutionary Impact on Modern Medicine	Beacon Park K-8 School	10:00
21004	Jolina Jones	Discovering the Deep: The Turning Points of the HMS Challenger	Shorecliffs Middle School	10:15
21005	Awab Tahta	Sagrajas: The Battle That Prolonged the Reconquista	Irvine Virtual Academy Middle School at San Joaquin	10:30
21006	Erika Mead	Silent Spring and the Environmental Movement	Lakeside Middle School	11:00
21007	Fiona Nguyen	The Camera: Eyes of Change	Sierra Vista Middle School	11:15
21008	Liam Ruidera	Apollo 11: Turning Point in the Space Race	Olinda Elementary	11:30
21009	Rena Oh	Collision to Division: How The Korean War Changed the Tone for the Cold War	Jeffrey Trail Middle School	11:45
21010	Lucinda Alamares	Jackson Pollock	MacArthur Fundamental Intermediate School	12:00



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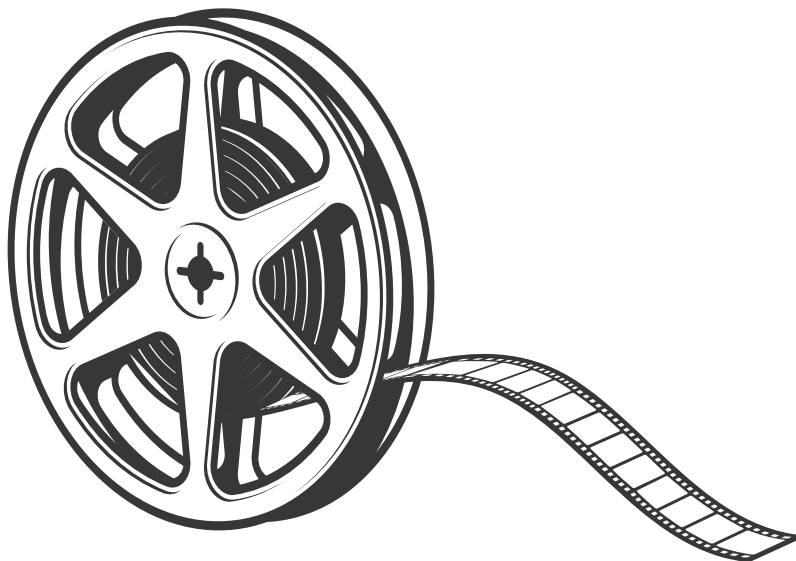
Junior Individual Documentary, Team AA (Room E-4)

Entry ID	Student	Entry Title	School	Time
21011	Charolette Roosevelt	The Battle of Midway	Las Flores Middle School	9:30
21012	Lia Meserlian	Title IX and the Road to the 1999 Women's World Cup	Lakeside Middle School	9:45
21013	Alejandro Linares	Battle of Britain	MacArthur Fundamental Intermediate School	10:00
21014	Lydia Lo	Promises of Solace: The American Red Cross	Sierra Vista Middle School	10:15
21015	Ankush Girish	The Rise of Aten: A Crisis of Faith	South Lake Middle School	10:30
21016	Juhan (Tony) Lee	Beyond the Towers: America's Post 9/11	Santiago Hills Elementary School	11:00
21017	Dhanista Shah	Hoover Dam: A Turning Point for the Development of the Southwest and the Nation	Venado Middle School	11:15
21018	Joe Ryan Thomas Babu	Passive Resistance: Turning the Gears Towards Racial Equality Across the World	Brea Junior High School	11:30
21019	Mira Scheele	Changing the Stars: How Caroline Herschel Paved the Way for Future Female Astronomers	Jeffrey Trail Middle School	11:45

Junior Division

Junior Group Documentary, Team B (Room E-1)

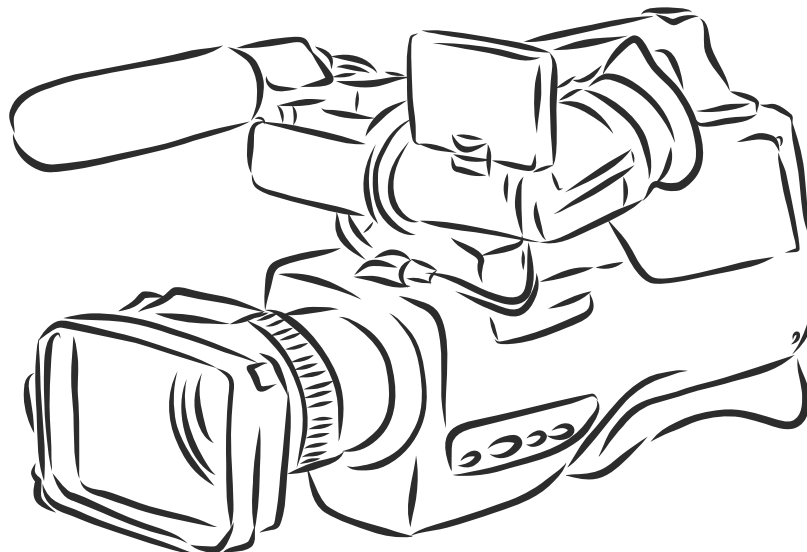
Entry ID	Students	Entry Title	School	Time
21101	Smera Suresh, Melike Eren, Lakshmi Suresh, Annabella Vo	The Cuban Missile Crisis: 13 Days of Chaos	Lakeside Middle School	9:30
21102	Charlotte Nethers, Evelyn Nethers	The Birth of the American Teenager: A 1950's Turning Point of Boundary Crossers, Rebel Rousers, and Unlikely Heroes	Brea Junior High School	9:45
21103	Maya Nabi, Maya Kotschedoff	The Invention of the Electric Guitar	Las Flores Middle School	10:00
21104	Aidan Quach, Brian Velazquez, Ethan Hernandez Ayala, Tyler Quach	Battle of Borodino	MacArthur Fundamental Intermediate School	10:15
21105	Dev Yair, Krishay Nilakantan, Jayden Gomez	The Bob Marley One Love Peace Concert	Sierra Vista Middle School	10:30
21106	Om Inamdar, Eric Yang, Anish Tatireddy, Hiroki Tanaka	End of a Reign: Victory in Europe Day	Santiago Hills Elementary School	10:45
21107	Ian Paredes, Joe Suzuki, Mason Foran, Tommy Do	The Everlasting Effects of Nixon's Watergate Scandal	Venado Middle School	11:00



Junior Division

Junior Group Documentary, Team BB (Room E-2)

Entry ID	Students	Entry Title	School	Time
21108	Mingyue Deng, Hazel Hayer, Ardene Castillo	Unrest and Turmoil: Operation Blue Star, Assassination of Indira Ghandi, Anti Sikh Riots	Jeffrey Trail Middle School	9:30
21109	Aarav Pal, Quinn Han, Kristen Jutiyasantayanon	Hiroshima: Turning Point in Public Opinion About Nuclear Weapons	Olinda Elementary	9:45
21110	Adit Bathla, Ben Liu, Saurav Verma	From Chains to Citizenship: How the 14th Amendment was a Turning Point in History	Sierra Vista Middle School	10:00
21111	Chloe Ahn, Sonia Kalantarian	Bambi's Significance in the Animation Industry	Lakeside Middle School	10:15
21112	Jonathan Soto, Brandon Torres, Carlos Camanos	Hiroshima and Nagasaki	MacArthur Fundamental Intermediate School	10:30
21113	Arnav Mote, Carter Koh, Vishwa Patel	The History and Impact of Jaws on the World	Venado Middle School	10:45
21114	Poiema Bernier, Lucas Menendez	Rising from the Ashes: The Cuyahoga River, a Turning Point in American Environmental Policy	Acaciawood Preparatory Academy	11:00



Junior Division

Junior Individual Exhibit, Team C (MPR)

Entry ID	Student	Entry Title	School	Time
22001	Henry Wiechmann	East L.A. Walkouts: Launching a Movement	Sierra Vista Middle School	9:45
22002	Ishani Magoon	The Impacts of the Great Lisbon Earthquake of 1755	Lakeside Middle School	9:55
22003	Caress Murzello	The Crane's Slight Flight: A Juncture for Global Peace	Jeffrey Trail Middle School	10:05
22004	Karina Choy	Title IX: The Act That Changed the Future of Women's Sports	Venado Middle School	10:15
22005	Caylee Coventry	Beethoven's Impact	MacArthur Fundamental Intermediate School	10:25
22006	Rene Kwon	Refusing to Be Silenced: The Seneca Falls Convention of 1848	Santiago Hills Elementary School	10:35
22007	Davon Quarterman	Alert Systems	Lydia Romero Cruz Academy	10:45

Junior Individual Exhibit, Team CC (MPR)

Entry ID	Student	Entry Title	School	Time
22008	Neil Dedhia	Mahatma Gandhi's Turning Point in History	Venado Middle School	9:45
22009	Victor Li	Penicillin: A New Era of Medicine	Jeffrey Trail Middle School	9:55
22010	Madina Sangar	Palestine-Israel Conflict	Lydia Romero Cruz Academy	10:05
22011	Yesha Gupta	"When the Computer Wore a Skirt": Christine Darden	Sierra Vista Middle School	10:15
22012	Samantha Gomez	Boston Massacre	MacArthur Fundamental Intermediate School	10:25
22013	Ronav Barot	Jackie Robinson: Turning Point in American Sports	Olinda Elementary	10:35
22014	Avalon Greco	On the Air! Radio: A Turning Point That Changed America Forever	Shorecliffs Middle School	10:45

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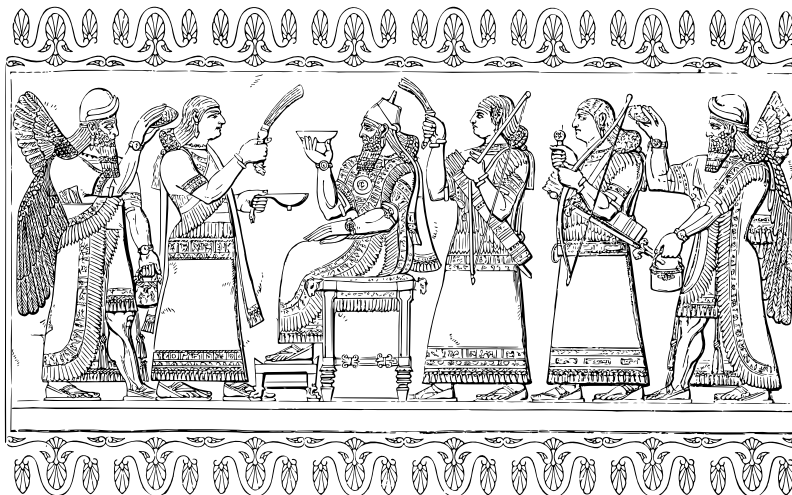
Junior Group Exhibit, Team D (MPR)

Entry ID	Students	Entry Title	School	Time
22101	Haidar Alkhafaf, Michael Wang	Newlands Resolution: The Road to American Imperialism; A Political, Military, and Cultural Turning Point	Sierra Vista Middle School	9:45
22102	Shreyas Supe, Daksh Bhatnagar, Shrey Mehta	Revolutionizing Accessibility: The Impact and Legacy of Dr. Timothy Nugent	Venado Middle School	9:55
22104	Sohyun Oh, Katelyn Barrera	Stamped in Time: The United States Postal Service's Impact on the United States' History	Jeffrey Trail Middle School	10:15
22105	Alexandra Morse, Jackson Morse	The Incubators at Coney Island State Fair: A Turning Point in Medical History	Shorecliffs Middle School	10:25
22106	Jayce Ramos, Samantha Hernandez	Flapper Girls	MacArthur Fundamental Intermediate School	10:35
22107	Olivia Guo, Keya Yeole, Lyvia Wang, Jeremiah Soetomo	Chinese Immigration With the Transcontinental Railroad	South Lake Middle School	10:45
22108	Lara Bobadilla, Eve Granflor	The Night of Broken Glass: Turning Point in the Normalization of Antisemitism	Olinda Elementary	10:55
22109	Quinn Boatright, Hope Fallahay, Callie Sardana, Ilakiya Palaniappan	The Titanic	Las Flores Middle School	11:05
22110	Charlie Trejo, Lance Anguiano	Michael Jackson	Lydia Romero Cruz Academy	11:15

Junior Division

Junior Group Exhibit, Team DD (MPR)

Entry ID	Students	Entry Title	School	Time
22111	Mercy Benitez, Kevin Nguyen	Rigoberta Menchu	Lydia Romero Cruz Academy	9:45
22112	Keira Gong, Claire Oh, Elizabeth Park	The Coup d'etat 1973: The Turning Point of Chile	Sierra Vista Middle School	9:55
22113	Aadhi Solomon, Neha Narra	The Fall of the Berlin Wall: How it All Came Down	Santiago Hills Elementary School	10:05
22114	Sean Hisakado, Alythea Leung	The Human Genome Project: Turning Points in the Human Blueprint	Olinda Elementary	10:15
22115	Lina Behravan, Eesha Murugesan	The Gravity of Isaac Newton's Third Law	South Lake Middle School	10:25
22116	Shravani Kale, Swarali Mate	The Spark That Ignited a Nation: The 1983 Cricket World Cup and India's National Pride	Jeffrey Trail Middle School	10:35
22117	Yun Jen Yeh, Gayatri Sivakoti, Mai Takano, Joshua Robertson	Toy Story: A New Era in Animation	Lakeside Middle School	10:45
22118	Elliot Mun, Kartik Marthur	The Printing Press	Las Flores Middle School	10:55
22119	Siddharth Singh, Maxx Tan, Shelley Qi, Emma Zhang	A Turning Point for International Justice: The Nuremberg Trials	Venado Middle School	11:05



Junior Division

Junior Individual Performance, Team F (Room K-3)

Entry ID	Student	Entry Title	School	Time
24001	Mischka Rajula	Intimate Freedom of Women	Sierra Vista Middle School	9:30
24002	Audrey Kim	MacArthur's Bold Gambit: How Operation Chromite Became a Pivotal Turning Point in the Korean War and Shaped NATO's Inception	Sierra Vista Middle School	9:50
24003	Ahana Kanade	Remember the Ladies: A Turning Point for Women's Advocacy in the White House	Venado Middle School	10:10
24004	Kylee West	Women Losing the Right to Vote in 1807 New Jersey	Venado Middle School	10:30

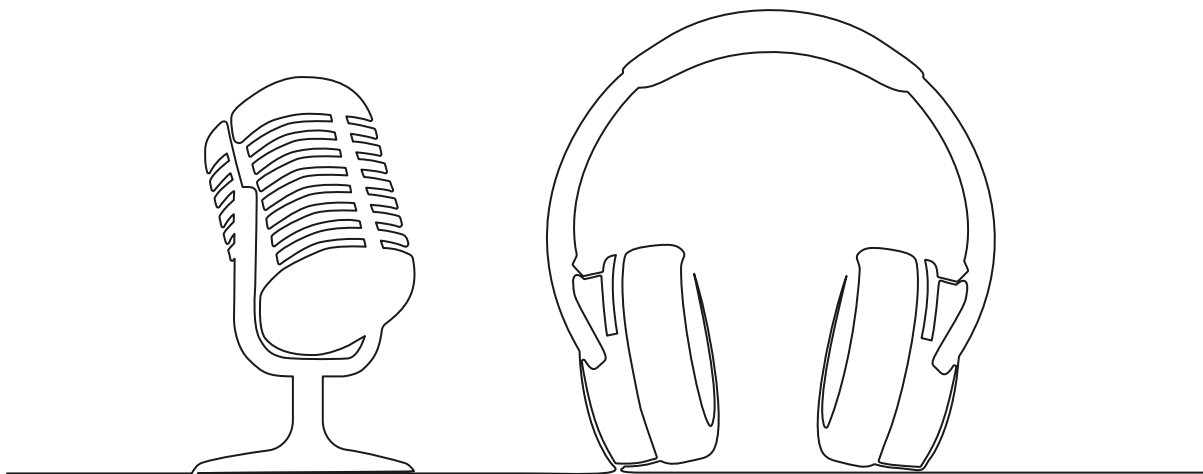
Junior Group Performance, Team G (Room K-3)

Entry ID	Students	Entry Title	School	Time
24101	Milania Borgelt, Blake Vardiman, Dylan Vardiman	The White Rose: The Turning Point in Nazi Resistance	Olinda Elementary	11:00
24102	Anaya Nalajala, Petra DeVitis, Carla Rupprecht	Harriet Tubman	Las Flores Middle School	11:20
24103	Abhijith Sivaprakash, Adhi Muralidharan	The Indian Salt March: A Protest Without Violence	Venado Middle School	11:40
24104	Aanya Mody, Anushree Patankar, Ashley Kim	The San Francisco Plague Fake: How Anti-Asian Sentiment in the Early 1900's Shaped a Turning Point in Public Healthcare	Venado Middle School	12:00

Junior Division

Junior Individual Podcast, Team H (Room D-3)

Entry ID	Student	Entry Title	School	Time
26001	Arjun Rajkumar	Che Guevara: Turning Point of an Iconic Image	Olinda Elementary	9:30
26002	Neil Iyer	The Dawn of a New Era From Segregation to Integration: The African American Civil Rights Movement's Role in Redefining America	Santiago Hills Elementary School	9:45
26003	Lina Yoon	The Trial of Susan B. Anthony: A Turning Point in the Women's Rights Movement	Robert C. Fidler School	10:00
26004	David Sagers	The Life of Alfred Nobel: A Turning Point for Change	Venado Middle School	10:15
26005	Elyas Alanis	The Golden Age of Political Hip Hop: A Turning Point for Social Activism	Venado Middle School	10:30
26006	Joseph Featherstone	The Trinity Test: Political and Civilian Impacts With Conflict Throughout the Cold War	Sierra Vista Middle School	10:45



Junior Division

Junior Group Podcast, Team I (Room D-2)

Entry ID	Students	Entry Title	School	Time
26101	Ella Jarzyna, Jasmina Yang, Remy Nguyen	The Story of Freddie and Truus Oversteegen	Venado Middle School	9:30
26102	Emmy Kim, Evelyn Lu, Sophia Chong	Our Founding Fathers' Voices	Venado Middle School	9:45
26103	Kevin Chen, Enoch Zeng	Poverty to Prosperity: How the Stock Market Crash of 1929 Was a Turning Point for Modern American Economy	Sierra Vista Middle School	10:00
26104	Amari Sarmiento, Andrea Hernandez, Daphne Villamil	19th Amendment: A Start to Women's Rights	Maple Elementary School	10:15
26105	Soren Qualls, Neil Ravindran	The Bolshevik Revolution: Turning Points in Global Socioeconomics	Brea Junior High School	10:30
26106	Tyler Choi, Aaron Lee, Sofia Yun, Ted Yun	V-2 Rocket: Turning Point in Space Technology	Olinda Elementary	10:45
26107	Grace Feng, Chelsea Abidin, Eliana Chen	Polio Vaccine	Lakeside Middle School	11:00
26108	Shreya Pandel; Yash Santosh	The Partition of India	South Lake Middle School	11:15

Junior Division

Junior Individual Website, Team J (Room C-2)

Entry ID	Student	Entry Title	School	Time
25001	Anh Tran	The Women's Liberation Movement: An Empowering Journey	Irvine Virtual Academy Middle School at San Joaquin	9:30
25002	Meghana Wuppalapati	Harvesting Change: How the Oxnard Strike of 1903 Transformed the Labor Force	Beacon Park K-8 School	9:40
25003	Shreya Shah	Reshaping Employment Ties: How Hollywood's Largest Actors Union was a Turning Point in Film Working Conditions	Sierra Vista Middle School	9:50
25005	Thalia Mao	The Navajo Code Talkers: America's Secret Weapon	Venado Middle School	10:10
25006	Wyatt Porter	The Cold War	Las Flores Middle School	10:30
25007	Nysa Sharma	The Stonewall Riots	Lakeside Middle School	10:40
25008	Ellsa Ye	The First Opium War: A Turning Point in Chinese History That Opened China to Western Powers	Sierra Vista Middle School	10:50
25009	Soham Patel	The 'Fellow Traveler': How Sputnik 1 Marked a New Era of Political Antagonism and Science Education	Jeffrey Trail Middle School	11:00
25010	Erin Wang	The Triumph of Equality: Billie Jean King's Historic Battle of the Sexes	Jeffrey Trail Middle School	11:10

Junior Division

Junior Group Website, Team K (Room C-1)

Entry ID	Students	Entry Title	School	Time
25101	Layla Akana, Angel Hernandez Nguyen	Hawaiian Annexation	MacArthur Fundamental Intermediate School	9:30
25102	Meghan Ho, Caylin Cung, Angel Nguyen	Spanish Flu	MacArthur Fundamental Intermediate School	9:40
25103	Shawn Castrapel, Saanvi Chaparala, Sanay Chaparala, Daniel Cheng, Xinyu (Crystal) Zhou	A Turning Point From Dominance to Coexistence Between Humans and Nature	Sierra Vista Middle School	9:50
25104	Henry Huang, Ashton Truong	From Tragedy to Transformation: Thalidomide and the Reinvention of the Drug Industry	Venado Middle School	10:00
25105	Aarya Kale, Adelyn Pham, Shaurya Mehta, Olivia Yamashiro, Vivian Nguyen	The Chernobyl Disaster: How it Led to the Collapse of the Soviet Union	Lakeside Middle School	10:10
25106	Clara Bazzani, Angie De Togni	Taylorism: The Birth of the Moving Assembly Line and Mass Production	Venado Middle School	10:20
25107	Shreya Hegde, Christine Jeon	A Turning Point in Immigration: How the Transcontinental Railroad Affected the Chinese	Sierra Vista Middle School	10:30
25108	Archer Okerman, Austin Lee	A Wrong Turn in History: The Assassination of Archduke Franz Ferdinand	Dwyer Middle School	10:40
25109	Devin Gupta, Kelvin Jun, Reo Nabangxang	The Third Punic War	Las Flores Middle School	10:50
25110	Karis Lin, Ariel Shu, Vedanti Pandit	The Chinese Exclusion Act: The Wong Wing v. United States Court Case	Venado Middle School	11:00

Senior Division

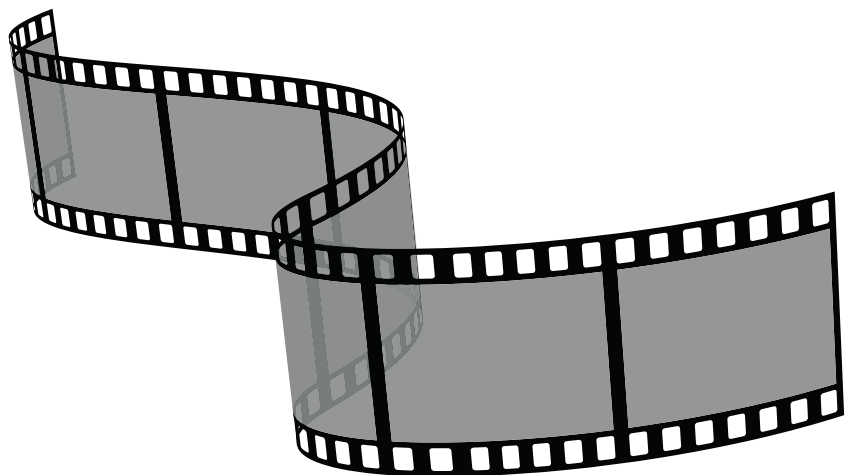
Senior Individual Documentary, Team L (Room E-5)

Entry ID	Student	Entry Title	School	Time
31001	Hannah Cho	The Man Who Froze Time: Harold E. Edgerton, A Turning Point in Motion Photography	Northwood High School	9:30
31002	Erica Pan	Turning To A New World: The Marshall Plan of 1948	Irvine High School	9:45
31003	Harmony Yan-Li	Turning Points in History: Frances Kelsey and the Thalidomide Scandal	Irvine High School	10:00
31004	Asmi Aggarwal	"Baby Killer": Unveiling the Dark Legacy of Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup That Redefined Public Health Standards	Orange County School of the Arts	10:15
31005	Shiven Patel	The Fall of a Nation: African Americans from Reconstruction to Redistricting	University High School	10:30
31006	Jongmin Chae	A Turning Point in the Public Opinion of Civil Rights: The Jazz and Brotherhood of Dave Brubeck and Eugene Wright	Portola High School	11:00
31007	Minyoung Park	The Liberty Ship: A Turning Point for American Industry, Its Workforce, and World War II	University High School	11:15
31008	Raelle Tiong	Beyond the Brain: Psychoanalysis, a Turning Point in Mental Health History	Northwood High School	11:30
31009	Zack Hubbard	Lost in Transmission: How the Communication Meltdown at Three Mile Island Changed U.S. Energy Policy Forever	Sage Hill School	11:45
31010	Marlie Wei-Ten	Beyond the Concert Stage: Live Aid 1985 and its Enduring Effect on Humanitarian Fundraising	Orange County School of the Arts	12:00

Senior Division

Senior Group Documentary, Team M (Room G-1)

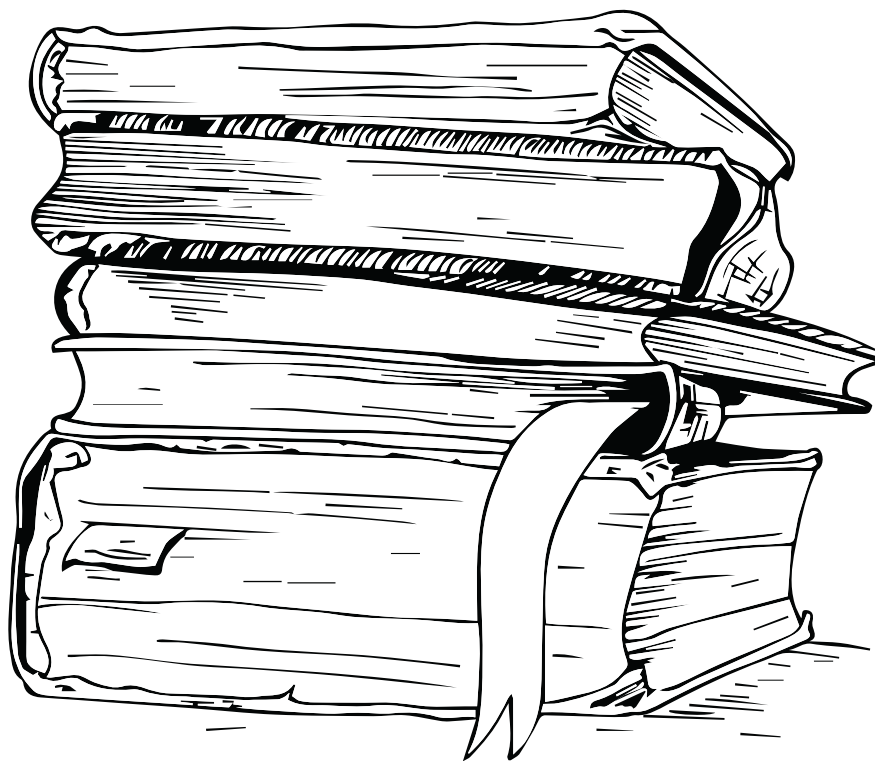
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31101	Elizabeth Choi, Ayla Shamsnia	Patsy Mink: A Political Turning Point in the Intersection of Racial and Gender Equity	University High School	9:30
31102	Ian Yoon, Brian (Yoon) Kim, Tyler Kim	Welcome Home, Veterans: How the GI Bill Turned the Page from Battlefield to Homefront in Post-War America	Portola High School	9:45
31103	Moksha Kolli, Ritioka Kumar	A Harmonic Turning Point: How Charles Mingus Struck a Chord and Irreversibly Intertwined Music and Politics	Northwood High School	10:00
31104	Taehyun Bang, Ein Kim, Andreas Hinrichs, Marley Beligan, Vine Nguyen	Through Iron and Blood: How Otto Von Bismarck Built an Empire	Arnold O. Beckman High School	10:15
31105	Camille Helbig, Annie Jiang, Rachel Park	The 1917 Balfour Declaration: A Turning Point for Political Zionism and Middle Eastern Conflict	University High School	10:30
31106	Alyssa Kim, Kaylie Vilorio	Silenced Innocence: A Turning Point for the Japanese Youth of WWII Internment Camp Survivors	Orange County School of the Arts	11:00



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Senior Individual Exhibit, Team N (MPR)

Entry ID	Student	Entry Title	School	Time
32001	Aanya Pillai	Clothes or Code: The Benedict Arnold Treason	Sage Hill School	9:45
32002	Nathaniel Yoo	Liberty Ships for Victory	Sage Hill School	9:55
32003	Audrey Nguyen	The Tet Offensive in the Living Room: A Turning Point in Public Opinion	Northwood High School	10:05
32004	Jennica Alixes	Maria Montessori: The Turning Point of a Child's World	Northwood High School	10:15
32005	Siri Kolanupaka	The Nuclear Bomb: From Detonation to Dystopia	Portola High School	10:25
32006	Daniel Cho	The 1968 Olympics: How the Black Power Salute Transformed Activism in Sports	University High School	10:35



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Senior Group Exhibit, Team O (MPR)

Entry ID	Student	Entry Title	School	Time
32101	Emily Yi, Samantha Bailey, Jennifer Choi, Haylin Kim	Nauseating a Nation: How the Jungle Turned the Stomach of America Into Legislation	Orange County School of the Arts	9:45
32102	Ruishan Liu, Vivian Xu, Clarice Xu	1954 Cross Circulation: A Turning Point in Cardiothoracic Surgery	University High School	9:55
32103	Grace Yang, Chanah Yin, Melody Yu, Lucas Zhang	The Treaty of Westphalia: A Turning Point in Modern Nationhood and International Relations	Sage Hill School	10:05
32104	Amanda Rahimi, Avni Peddha	The Industrial Revolution: The Turning Point That Set the Stage for Modernization	University High School	10:15
32105	Baani Singh, Bella Hwang	"Si, Se Puede": Exploring the Turning Points of the Mexican and Filipino Union on Immigrants' Rights	Orange County School of the Arts	10:25
32106	Lauren Low, Alexis Low	Operation Paperclip: German Collaboration Turning Tides in the Space Race	Northwood High School	10:35
32107	Sofia Jackson, Kelli Toshima, Caitlyn Ko	A Step Outside Her Box: How Barbie Marked a Turning Point in Gender Expectations for Women in the Workforce	Northwood High School	10:45
32108	Bryan Lee, Safiya Nawaz	Radiance of Reason: Exploring the Dawn of Enlightenment	Arnold O. Beckman High School	10:55
32109	Chloe Won, David Kim, Joshua Kim, Brandon Kim	Amber Alert	Irvine High School	11:05

Senior Division

Senior Individual Performance, Team Q (Room K-4)

Entry ID	Student	Entry Title	School	Time
34001	Harah Lee	Faith and Conquest: Unraveling the Impact of Las Navas de Tolosa on Medieval Spain	Orange County School of the Arts	9:30
34002	Jaehee Jung	Hearing the Unheard: How 'Deaf President Now' Ignited Turning Points for Disability Representation	Orange County School of the Arts	9:50
34003	Susan Kim	Lee Han Yeol and the June Democratic Struggle: A Turning Point in South Korea's Democratization.	Northwood High School	10:10
34004	Rose Chhabria	From Segregation to Integration: Brown v. Board and the Turning Tides of Justice	Northwood High School	10:30
34005	Alex Lingerfelt	James Knox Polk: Compromise and Ideology	Portola High School	10:50

Senior Group Performance, Team R (Room K-4)

Entry ID	Students	Entry Title	School	Time
34101	Hailey Chen, Nina Chen, Kevin Choi, Aditri Advika Ramasamy	The May 1968 French Riots: The Cultural Revolution and Protest for Social Justice	University High School	11:20
34102	Niharika Mahesh, Emily Yokota	Pixels to Realms: The Pivotal Game-Changer in the Digital Era	Northwood High School	11:40
34103	Alex Lin, Eric Yang, David Zhang, Jimmy Tang	Artistic Brilliance, The Harlem Renaissance: Cultural Resurgence as a Turning Point in History	University High School	12:00

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Senior Individual Podcast, Team S (Room D-4)

Entry ID	Student	Entry Title	School	Time
36001	Julianne Wu	Title IX: A Turning Point for Gender Equality in Education and Beyond	Orange County School of the Arts	9:30
36002	Karina Soliman	The Freedom Files: A Tale of Korean Resilience	Cambridge Virtual Academy	9:45
36003	Leanna Lo	Currents of Connectivity: Transistors and the Technological Turning Tide	Northwood High School	10:00
36004	Harlo Cozzens	The Osage Murders: A Turning Point in the Evolution of Federal Law Enforcement	Orange County School of the Arts	10:15
36005	Megan Liu	Golden Arches, Golden Opportunity: How McDonald's Revolutionized the Fast Food Industry	Northwood High School	10:30
36006	Jeshwin Chettiar	The World Wide Web: Ushering in the Technological Age	Irvine High School	10:45

Senior Group Podcast, Team T (Room D-5)

Entry ID	Students	Entry Title	School	Time
36101	Kaiwen Zhao, En Zhang	Pacific Convergence: Commodore Perry's Expedition and the Unveiling of Global Dynamics	University High School	9:30
36102	Miles Leung, Alex Li	The Metamorphosis of Japan	Northwood High School	9:45
36103	Arshaun Oshideri, Daniel Liu	Surfing Through History: The Wave That Connected the World	Sage Hill School	10:00
36104	Shion Lee, Audrey Lee	The Veiled Escapee: Safe Sundays at Church	Cambridge Virtual Academy	10:15
36105	Shaurya Yerapotini, Justin Su	The Pivotal Discoveries of John Snow: Overlooked Research that Saved Millions	Northwood High School	10:30

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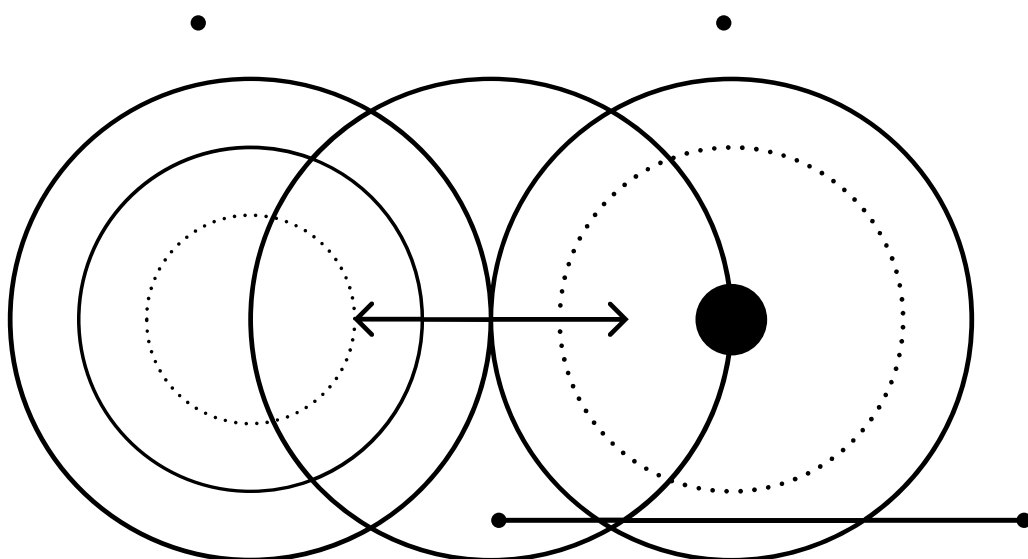
Senior Individual Website, Team U (Room A-1)

Entry ID	Student	Entry Title	School	Time
35001	Nagyung (Anna) Cho	More Than a Mental Illness: Leo Kanner's Turning Perspective on Infantile Autism	Northwood High School	9:30
35002	Niyam Ashar	Roots of a Modern Complexity: The Balfour Declaration	University High School	9:40
35003	Ansh Gosain	The Kent State Shootings: A Turning Point in Anti-War Activism and the National Divide	Portola High School	9:50
35004	Zhongwen Zhang	Turning Points in History: The Rise of the Telegraph	Irvine High School	10:00
35005	Andrew Tran	Codebreaking at Midway	Fountain Valley High School	10:10
35006	Aarav Putrevu	Turning the Tides of the Sepoy Mutiny: Lakshmibai's Impact on the Revival of Indian Nationalism	Orange County School of the Arts	10:30
35007	Nicolas Higuchi	Dropping of the Atomic Bomb: How U.S. Intervention Post-WWII Forever Changed Japan and Indo-Pacific Relations	University High School	10:40
35008	Tanisha Thangaiah	Automobiles: Driving A Future	Northwood High School	10:50
35009	David Wong	Wings of Change: KAL 007 and the Soviet Calculations That Altered the Cold War	Orange County School of the Arts	11:00

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Senior Group Website, Team V (Room A-3)

Entry ID	Students	Entry Title	School	Time
35101	Lilian Gan, Kenneth Chen, Sara Li	Beyond the Wall: Nixon's Visit to China	University High School	9:30
35102	Anza Swanstrom, Victoria Baek	Sisters of Secrecy: Woman Spies Shaping America's Destiny in WWII	Orange County School of the Arts	9:40
35103	Nataly Lopez, Sofia Sevilla	Tie the Tubes: California and the Forced Sterilization of Latinos in the Name of Public Health	Samueli Academy	9:50
35104	Saerin Hwang, Erin Hwang	The Influence of the Mind: How Edward Bernays Used the Inner Workings of Psychology to Shape the World of Public Relations	Northwood High School	10:00
35105	Anna Cao, Gigi Cai	Alexander Hamilton's Financial Plan: The Turning Point Towards America's Prosperity	Northwood High School	10:10
35106	Jayla Chan, Arya Rawal	The Willowbrook Exposé: Legal Reform and Sensationalism	Sage Hill School	10:20
35107	Rachel Kim, Bernice Hung	Protesting the "Operation of the Machine": How the Free Speech Movement Turned the Gears of Student Civil Disobedience	Portola High School	10:30



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