

OHIO HISTORY DAY

2025 Region 6 State Qualifiers

Junior Group Documentary

Students: Selamawit Mulugeta, Arianna Williams

Project Title: *The Brady Bill: Reload Your Rights*

School: Licking Heights Middle School

Teacher: Carla Smith

Students: Caitlin Callihan, Aubrey Williams

Project Title: *Radium Girls: The Tragic Story of Cover-Ups and Young Death by Radium*

School: Genoa Middle School

Teacher: Caitlin Begeny, Sara Bengel

Students: Adrien Davis, Breyden Brobbey, Jasper White, Alex Dunbar

Project Title: *Jackie Robinson and How He Broke Racial Barriers to Help Give Rights to All*

School: Genoa Middle School

Teacher: Leslie Thompson, Sara Bengel

Senior Group Documentary

Students: Max Langhalls, Jahmear Lindsey, Owen Shea

Project Title: *Good Friday Agreement*

School: Whetstone High School

Teacher: Krista Buckley

Students: Amelia Gurwin, Ella Harry, Bailee Straight

Project Title: *Auschwitz*

School: Whetstone High School

Teacher: Krista Buckley

Students: Lola Duesler, Calie Gates, Bridget Nelson

Project Title: *Healing Heroes: The Nurses During the Vietnam War*

School: Whetstone High School

Teacher: Krista Buckley

Students: Rebecca Dew, Everly McNamara, Sophie Trittman

Project Title: *Billie Holiday*

School: Whetstone High School

Teacher: Krista Buckley



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Junior Group Exhibit

Students: Peyton Brick, Lexi Carter, Harmony McPeak, Lily Westenbarger

Project Title: *Ohio Conservancy Act*

School: New Lexington Middle School

Teacher: Kim Mautz

Students: Gabrielle Sidwell, Alex Seimer

Project Title: *National Environmental Policy Act*

School: New Lexington Middle School

Teacher: Kim Mautz

Students: Levi Clark, Trinety Crist

Project Title: *Proclamation of 1763*

School: New Lexington Middle School

Teacher: Kim Mautz

Students: Ziva Botkin, Ingrid Hegley

Project Title: *The Anthem that Changed the World*

School: Dominion Middle School

Teacher: Lauren Noble

Students: Addison Crompton, Graycen Nardone

Project Title: *Navajo Code Talkers*

School: Genoa Middle School

Teacher: Leslie Thompspon, Sara Bengé

Senior Group Exhibit

Students: Ruthie Cannon, Harper Lynch

Project Title: *IDEA*

School: Whetstone High School

Teacher: Krista Buckley

Students: Scarlett DeMond-Axelrod, Hayley Jones, Kai Swies

Project Title: *Radium Girls*

School: Whetstone High School

Teacher: Krista Buckley

Students: Mason Shaeffer, Haley Wright, Abby Schultz

Project Title: *The Rise of Nazism: A Corruption of Power*

School: Berne Union High School

Teacher: Julie Cornell



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Junior Group Performance

Students: Isha Bista, Layla Price, Evelyn Rossi, Clara Lynn Shiflett, Aaralyn Scarf

Project Title: *Women of the Revolution Change HStory*

School: Licking Heights Middle School

Teacher: Carla Smith

Junior Group Website

Students: Aaron Kunkel, Kyle Newbanks

Project Title: *Berkeley Student Revolt of 1964*

School: Genoa Middle School

Teacher: Caitlin Begeny, Sara Bengé

Students: Cole Cottrell, Lukas Isler

Project Title: *Jesse Owens*

School: Genoa Middle School

Teacher: Caitlin Begeny, Sara Bengé

Students: Logan Weaver, Colin Hyer

Project Title: *Manhattan Project*

School: Genoa Middle School

Teacher: Sara Bengé

Senior Group Website

Students: Nathan Maroo, Chazlance Moore

Project Title: *Codifying Rome*

School: Columbus Academy

Teacher: Time Morford

Students: Axel Ramos-Jimenez, August Johnson

Project Title: *Jesse Owens*

School: Whetstone High School

Teacher: Krista Buckley

Students: Alaina Dadlani, Eesha Tanneru

Project Title: *Oil and Overreach: Examining the Inner Workings Behind the 1953 Iranian Coup*

School: Columbus Academy

Teacher: Tim Morford



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Junior Individual Documentary

Students: Pricilla Ferndandes

Project Title: *How Students Changed History: The East LA Walkouts*

School: Genoa Middle School

Teacher: Leslie Thompson, Sara Bengé

Students: Declan Steinmetz

Project Title: *Freeborn John Lilburne*

School: Mount Vernon Middle School

Teacher: Britt Sivewright

Students: Alexandra White

Project Title: *Tarana Burke: Making the World a Better Place*

School: Mount Vernon Middle School

Teacher: Britt Sivewright

Senior Individual Documentary

Students: Tracy Vo

Project Title: *Wounded Knee*

School: Whetstone High School

Teacher: Krista Buckley

Students: Fumei Sun

Project Title: *Unveiling NSA Spyware: The Struggle Between National Security and Individual Privacy*

School: Columbus Academy

Teacher: Tim Morford

Students: Nolan Sobota

Project Title: *Convict Leasing After the Civil War*

School: Olentangy Liberty High School

Teacher: Nance Heckman

Junior Individual Exhibit

Students: Jane Seryak

Project Title: *A Light Cast on the Shadows: How the Innocence Project Went from Spark to Flame*

School: Dominion Middle School

Teacher: Lauren Noble

Students: Kaya Delgado-Rivers

Project Title: *Caring for Community: WARN's Path to Justice*

School: Dominion Middle School

Teacher: Lauren Noble



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Students: Agnes Reder-Steigman
Project Title: *The Wicked Witch is Not Dead*
School: Dominion Middle School
Teacher: Lauren Noble

Students: Brynn Mederer
Project Title: *Women's Financial Rights & Responsibilities*
School: Genoa Middle School
Teacher: Leslie Thompson, Sara Bengé

Students: Hannah Friedrich
Project Title: *Power in Pride*
School: Dominion Middle School
Teacher: Lauren Noble

Senior Individual Exhibit

Students: Evelyn DiSalvo
Project Title: *Long Live the Queens-How Women Fought to End Slavery*
School: Canal Winchester High School
Teacher: Alara Ruggiero

Students: Clare Park
Project Title: *Social Security Act: Rights of People and Responsibility of the Government*
School: Jerome High School
Teacher: Mary Bezbatchesko

Students: Grace Emison
Project Title: *Swatting, a Uniquely American Problem*
School: Columbus School for Girls
Teacher: Megan Smeeding

Students: Stephanie Liu
Project Title: *Breaking the Ballot: New Zealand's Fight for Women's Suffrage*
School: Columbus Academy
Teacher: Tim Morford

Students: Marie Sweeney
Project Title: *Advocating for Change: US Citizens' Role in the End of Apartheid*
School: Columbus School for Girls
Teacher: Megan Smeeding



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Junior Individual Website

Students: Elise Parker
Project Title: *Hurricane Katrina*
School: Genoa Middle School
Teacher: Caitlin Begeny, Sara Bengel

Senior Individual Website

Students: Ella Tang
Project Title: *It's in Our Genes: Upholding Rights and Responsibilities at Asilomar*
School: Columbus Academy
Teacher: Tim Morford

Students: Mika Senften
Project Title: *Pico v. Island Trees School District: A Precedent Ignored*
School: Berne Union High School
Teacher: Julie Cornell

Students: Belle Roberts
Project Title: *The Right to Food: British Neglect of Irish During the Potato Famine*
School: Columbus Academy
Teacher: Tim Morford

Senior Paper

Students: Abigail Xiao
Project Title: *Two Faces, One Man: How Toussaint Louverture Advanced Abolition and Perpetuated Slavery*
School: Columbus Academy
Teacher: Tim Morford

Students: Eleni Behbehani
Project Title: *The Fight Against Leukemia: The Pioneering Trials and Ethical Struggles of Treatment in the 20th Century*
School: Columbus School for Girls
Teacher: Megan Smeeding

Students: Vivian Allison
Project Title: *"The Curse of the Pharaoh": An Examination of Cultural Rights Violations and Neglected Archaeological Responsibility Spawning from the Gestation of Egyptomania*
School: Columbus Academy
Teacher: Tim Morford



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Champ's Pick

Students: Allie Ulenhake, Samantha McNally

Project Title: *Susan B. Anthony*

School: St. Timothy

Teacher: David Miller



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