

2006 Scripps-Howard Orange County Spelling Competition

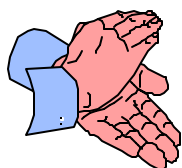
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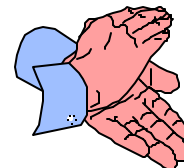
Coordinated by the Orange County Department of Education

The Scripps-Howard Orange County Spelling Competition encourages students to demonstrate their talents and accomplishments through written and oral spelling rounds. It is designed to help students not only improve their spelling and vocabulary skills, but also to learn concepts that will help develop correct English usage.

The Final Round of the Intermediate Spelling Competition was held on Saturday, March 4, 2006 at the Orange County Department of Education in Costa Mesa, sponsored by The Orange County Register. The event provides opportunities for outstanding spellers to compete for cash awards and trophies. The first place winner will represent Orange County at the Scripps-Howard National Spelling Bee in Washington, D.C.



Top 10 Spelling Competition Winners



1st Place:

Justin Song
Don Juan Avila Middle School
Capistrano USD

6th Place:

Bryan Nguyen
Cerro Villa Middle School
Orange USD

2nd Place:

Brandon Powell
Las Flores Middle School
Capistrano USD

7th Place:

Victoria Steger
Cerro Villa Middle School
Orange USD

3rd Place:

Timothy Zhu
Kramer Middle School
Placentia-Yorba Linda USD

8th Place:

Phuc Ho
Fitz Intermediate School
Garden Grove USD

4th Place:

Avalon Dismukes
Las Flores Middle School
Capistrano USD

9th Place:

Eric Hallett
Pegasus School
Private School

5th Place:

James Chai
Pegasus School
Private School

10th Place:

Ashleigh Davis
Kramer Middle School
Placentia-Yorba Linda USD

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE TOP SPELLERS!