



2022 Annual Playwriting Festival – Elementary School Honorees

First Place

Class Play, *The Magical Mystery*

Cheltenham Elementary, Teacher Gerald Aungst, Teaching Artists B.J. Tindal and Erik Reyes

Class Play, *Room 22's Class Play*

Glenside Elementary, Teacher Caitlin Ramirez, Teaching Artists Phoebe Schaub and Deanna Emmons

Second Place

Luisa Bonner, *Lost*

Wyncote Elementary, Teacher Kristin Krause, Teaching Artists Mr Stine and Deanna Emmons

Leo Gest, *They Odyssey*

Elkins Park School, Teacher Mary Aiken, Teaching Artists Marissa Kennedy and Mr Stine

Savannah Notte, Kennedy Pusey, and Eloisa Woodyard, *The CAT-Tastrophe*

Cheltenham Elementary, Teacher Gerald Aungst, Teaching Artists B.J. Tindal and Erik Reyes

Joon McLaughlin and Maya Brooks, *The Book Contest*

Wyncote Elementary, Teacher Kristin Krause, Teaching Artists Mr Stine and Deanna Emmons

Francesca Williams, *The Apocalypse*

Ludlow Elementary, Teachers Carin Bennicoff and Theresa Gaillout, Teaching Artist James Whitfield

Third Place

Ophelia Bush, and Eliana Irizarry, and Laila Richard, *Just Like You*

Cheltenham Elementary, Teacher Gerald Aungst, Teaching Artists B.J. Tindal and Erik Reyes

Class Play, *Glenside Room 20's Play*

Glenside Elementary, Teacher Misty Wagner, Teaching Artists Phoebe Schaub and Deanna Emmons

Class Play, *The School Drama*

Ludlow Elementary, Teacher Ebonie Thorpe, Teaching Artists James Whitfield and Marissa Kennedy

Asha Goldenberg and Skylar Gonzalez, *The Enchanted Woods*

Wyncote Elementary, Teacher Kristin Krause, Teaching Artists Mr Stine and Deanna Emmons

Samuel Lavine, *Untitled*

Elkins Park School, Teacher Mary Aiken, Teaching Artists Marissa Kennedy and Mr Stine

Arion Mack, Jezia Morrison Davis, Joy Taylor, and Samyah Taylor, *The Four of Them*



Cheltenham Elementary, Teacher Gerald Aungst, Teaching Artists B.J. Tindal and Erik Reyes
2022 Annual Playwriting Festival – Middle School Honorees

First Place

Martina Berkowitz, Daniel Carrera, Lee Eggerts, Cecilia Nagy, and Isabella Silverman, *The Wizard That Gave Earth Away*

J.R. Masterman School, Teacher Nicole McGeary, Teaching Artist Margaret E. Douglas

Sylvia Langston, *Bringing Home the Bacon*

Drexel Hill Middle School, Teacher Tara Malloy, Teaching Artist Kate McGrath

Ruthie Lefkowitz, *Band-aids Don't Fix Bullet Holes*

Strath Haven Middle School, Teacher Eleanor Salgado, Teaching Artists Phoebe Schaub and Kate McGrath

Zoe Palmer, *The Art of Mourning*

Welsh Valley Middle School, Teachers Elizabeth Serpentine and Bernadette Bartholomew, Teaching Artist Brittany Brewer

Second Place

Ihsaan Alfaro-Allah, *From Fajr to Isha*

Independence Charter School, Teacher Olukemi Kamson and Teaching Artists Donovan Lockett and B.J. Tindal

Sylvie Bergstrom, *The Right Thing*

Strath Haven Middle School, Teacher Eleanor Salgado, Teaching Artists Phoebe Schaub and Kate McGrath

Lilia Bishop Burns, *Stolen Secrets*

Drexel Hill Middle School, Teacher Tara Malloy, Teaching Artist Kate McGrath

Alessandra Cahill, *undersense*

Bala Cynwyd Middle School, Teacher Rachel Nichols, Teaching Artist Phoebe Schaub

Silas Costa, *Inside Myself, Inside Herself*

Friends Central, Teacher Lori Reed, Teaching Artist Mr Stine

Tristan Espinosa, *The Great Baby Massacre*

Independence Charter School, Teacher Olukemi Kamson and Teaching Artists Donovan Lockett and B.J. Tindal

Elliott Graves, *Blood on Fair Soil*

Strath Haven Middle School, Teacher Eleanor Salgado, Teaching Artists Phoebe Schaub and Kate McGrath



Abigail Greenberg, *Untitled*
Friends Central, Teacher Lori Reed, Teaching Artist Mr Stine

Eliza Hampton, *Olive Tree*
Arts Academy Charter Middle School, Teacher Alexis Jenofsky

Chloe Huenke, *Trust Carefully*
Springfield Township Middle School, Teacher Daphne Beltramo, Teaching Artist Anthony Martinez-Briggs

Clarity Kapur, Kayla Kelberg-Gross, Jana Liu, and Adriana Wenneker-Niggemeier, *Space War: The Greed for More*
J.R. Masterman School, Teacher Karen Celli, Teaching Artist Margaret E. Douglas

Eliana Kelberg-Gross and Sophia Sali, *The Odd Travel*
J.R. Masterman School, Teacher Karen Celli, Teaching Artist Margaret E. Douglas

Charlotte Laetsch, *Lost*
Welsh Valley Middle School, Teachers Liz Seymour and Bernadette Bartholomew, Teaching Artist Brittany Brewer

Cyd Martines, *Wheel With The Devil*
Drexel Hill Middle School, Teacher Tara Malloy, Teaching Artist Kate McGrath

Fionnuala McCann, *Rage, Rage*
Bala Cynwyd Middle School, Teacher Rachel Nichols, Teaching Artist Phoebe Schaub

Anne Metz, *The Cat Around the Corner*
Springfield Township Middle School, Teacher Lauren McCoppin, Teaching Artists Emily Moylan and Rodrick Edwards

Eva Nam, *Welcome to Mountain Lodge!*
Springfield Township Middle School, Teacher Natalie Laign, Teaching Artist Margaret E. Douglas

Juniper Nims, *Finger Foods*
Independence Charter School, Teacher Olukemi Kamson and Teaching Artists Donovan Lockett and B.J. Tindal

Sofia Nordgren, *Resurrected Carvings*
Independence Charter School, Teacher Olukemi Kamson and Teaching Artists Donovan Lockett and B.J. Tindal



Jack Ochab, *FERNANDO*

Springfield Township Middle School, Teacher Lauren McCoppin, Teaching Artists Emily Moylan and Rodrick Edwards

Lauren Posluszny, *The Bracelet of Friendship*

Springfield Township Middle School, Teacher Lauren McCoppin, Teaching Artists Emily Moylan and Rodrick Edwards

Alessandra Santarelli, *The Girl Next Door*

Springfield Township Middle School, Teacher Lauren McCoppin, Teaching Artists Emily Moylan and Rodrick Edwards

Jonah Schaller, *Tright The Knight*

Springfield Township Middle School, Teacher Daphne Beltramo, Teaching Artist Anthony Martinez-Briggs

Rosie Smith, *Who Can You Trust?*

Independence Charter School, Teacher Olukemi Kamson and Teaching Artists Donovan Lockett and B.J. Tindal

Megan Susek, *The Dawn Of Revenge*

Strath Haven Middle School, Teacher Eleanor Salgado, Teaching Artists Phoebe Schaub and Kate McGrath

Third Place

Zivi Barak, *The Match*

Friends Central, Teacher Lori Reed, Teaching Artist Mr Stine

Aria Bhattacharjee, William Brawner, Eliza Daku, Owen Finucan, and Tessa Johansson, *A Gaslighter, a Gatekeeper, and a Girlboss*

J.R. Masterman School, Teacher Leeanne Fox-Jones, Teaching Artist Margaret E. Douglas

Ella Brown, *Perfection*

Independence Charter School, Teacher Olukemi Kamson and Teaching Artists Donovan Lockett and B.J. Tindal

Gabriel Brunozzi, *The Otters, The Seals, and The UFO*

Springfield Township Middle School, Teacher Lauren McCoppin, Teaching Artists Emily Moylan and Rodrick Edwards

Philip Dorn and Henry Gerber, *Mission Missile*

J.R. Masterman School, Teacher Karen Celli, Teaching Artist Margaret E. Douglas



Maeve Durkin, *The Greedy Gullies*

Springfield Township Middle School, Teacher Daphne Beltramo, Teaching Artist Anthony Martinez-Briggs

Elise Drury, *Mr. Sprinkles*

Springfield Township Middle School, Teacher Daphne Beltramo, Teaching Artist Anthony Martinez-Briggs

Thomas Ehri, Titus Saxton, Alec Santoro, Luca Vitiello, and Elliot Wang, *The Legend of the Hupots*
J.R. Masterman School, Teacher Leeanne Fox-Jones, Teaching Artist Margaret E. Douglas

Rowan Hachadoorian, *Untitled*

Welsh Valley Middle School, Teachers Liz Seymour and Bernadette Bartholomew, Teaching Artist Brittany Brewer

Nica Jurlando, *The Intergalactic War*

Independence Charter School, Teacher Olukemi Kamson and Teaching Artists Donovan Lockett and B.J. Tindal

Daphne Knight, *Forgiving Herself*

Independence Charter School, Teacher Olukemi Kamson and Teaching Artists Donovan Lockett and B.J. Tindal

Madeleine Knight, *almost alone*

Welsh Valley Middle School, Teachers Liz Seymour and Bernadette Bartholomew, Teaching Artist Brittany Brewer

Marco Lyra-Battestelli, *Big World!*

Springfield Township Middle School, Teacher Lauren McCoppin, Teaching Artists Emily Moylan and Rodrick Edwards

Tzariah Manns, *1634*

Arts Academy Charter Middle School, Teacher Alexis Jenofsky

Domenic Quallet, *The Chicken Gift*

Springfield Township Middle School, Teacher Daphne Beltramo, Teaching Artist Anthony Martinez-Briggs

Jaden Richardson, *One Voice*

Independence Charter School, Teacher Olukemi Kamson and Teaching Artists Donovan Lockett and B.J. Tindal



Pearl Tweedy, *JEREMY: A Pretty Good Guy*
Strath Haven Middle School, Teacher Eleanor Salgado, Teaching Artists Phoebe Schaub and Kate McGrath

Jonathan Vargas, *Just a Little Water*
Springfield Township Middle School, Teacher Daphne Beltramo, Teaching Artist Anthony Martinez-Briggs

2022 Annual Playwriting Festival – High School Honorees

First Place

Valeria Escobar, *Untitled*
Science Leadership Academy, Teacher Matthew Kay

Isabella (Ibby) Lazarus, *Girl Talk*
Harriton High School

Christine Lee, *Bat Eaters*
Riverdale Country School

Shanesly Torres, *The Class*
Esperanza Academy, Teacher Dwight Wilkins

Second Place

Leah Armstead, *Good Boy*
Roxborough High School, Teacher Dawn Geiger and Teaching Artists Kate McGrath and Jason H.S. Nadelbaum

Kai Bosniak and Andrew Marcus, *cat:burgled*
Cheltenham High School, Teacher Molly Lazer, Teaching Artist Jason H.S. Nadelbaum

David Calderon, *The Woman*
Bodine High School for International Affairs, Teacher Heather Olson, Teaching Artists Katherine Perry and Camille Young

Class Play, *Villains, Friends, and Backstabbers*
Furness High School, Teacher Christine Hsu, Teaching Artists Mr Stine and Phoebe Schaub

Reese Covalle, *Empathy*
Science Leadership Academy, Teacher Matthew Kay

Dyamond Ellerbee-Brown, *Wirby Goes to School*
Roxborough High School, Teacher Dawn Geiger and Teaching Artists Kate McGrath and Jason H.S. Nadelbaum



Jaidelis Estevez, *Together*
Esperanza Academy, Teacher Dwight Wilkins

Leo Flora, *Old-Fashioned Bandits*
Friends Central, Teacher Laura Novo

Grace Gilbert, *The Eukelade Post Office*
Cheltenham High School, Teacher Molly Lazer, Teaching Artist Jason H.S. Nadelbaum

Luka Harb, *The Other Side of the Wall*
Science Leadership Academy, Teacher Larissa Pahomov

Melanie Lewandowski, *The Dungeons of The Heart*
Arts Academy at Benjamin Rush, Teacher Sally Wojcik

Lilah Martinez, *Dementia*
Esperanza Academy, Teacher Dwight Wilkins

Giana Reithmeier, *The Arrival of Milton Ridder*
Arts Academy at Benjamin Rush, Teacher Sally Wojcik

Mohammed Riaz, *Silenced in China*
Science Leadership Academy, Teacher Matthew Kay

Jazmine Silva-Sanchez, *La Tienda*
Science Leadership Academy, Teacher Matthew Kay

Dulce Vargas Ochoa, *Love the Eternal*
Norristown Area High School, Teacher Damien Bucci

Joaquin Weeks, *One Therapeutic Poltergeist*
Science Leadership Academy, Teacher Larissa Pahomov

Felice Wongui, *Suki: Torn Apart Again*
Science Leadership Academy, Teacher Matthew Kay

Jasmine Young, *Another Life*
Science Leadership Academy, Teacher Larissa Pahomov

Third Place

Cana Berkey-Gerard, *Untitled*
Science Leadership Academy, Teacher Matthew Kay

Class Play, A Fun, Great, Cool, Good, Exciting, Awesome, Fantastic, Supercool, Nice, Happy, Neat
New Play
Furness High School, Teachers XX Dicave and XX McCullough, Teaching Artists Mr Stine and Phoebe
Schaub

Eric Green, *My Lightsaber*



Science Leadership Academy, Teacher Larissa Pahomov

Aiyana Hines, *6 Little Hockey Players*

Roxborough High School, Teacher Dawn Geiger and Teaching Artists Kate McGrath and Jason H.S. Nadelbaum

Lydia Hessel-Robinson, *Dearest Diary*

Cheltenham High School, Teacher Molly Lazer, Teaching Artist Jason H.S. Nadelbaum

Dacqualah Joseph, *The Destruction of Agony*

West Philadelphia High School, Teacher Rachel Gourley, Teaching Artists Rodrick Edwards and Kate McGrath

Emily Kaisinger, *Green Van*

Arts Academy at Benjamin Rush, Teacher Sally Wojcik

Jaeden Keyes, *Over, Again.*

Cheltenham High School, Teacher Molly Lazer, Teaching Artist Jason H.S. Nadelbaum

Christine Lee, *The Memoir*

Riverdale Country School

Sabina Leventon, *Wise Boy*

Science Leadership Academy, Teacher Matthew Kay

Giana Reithmeier, *The Roses Through The Thorns*

Arts Academy at Benjamin Rush, Teacher Sally Wojcik

Sael Rohan, *Cloud 9*

Science Leadership Academy, Teacher Larissa Pahomov

Jayden Tom, *The Tall*

Science Leadership Academy, Teacher Larissa Pahomov

Amjed Washaha, *The Not So Unknown Familiar*

Science Leadership Academy, Teacher Larissa Pahomov