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## Griffin RESA Announcement

# **Congratulations to the Winners of the Griffin RESA 2025-2026 Regional Literacy Days Competition**

### **(Grades 6-8 Winners)**

#### Poetry Recitation 6th Grade Winners

**First Place** – Grayson Adside, Upson Lee Middle, *Upson County Schools*  
**Second Place** – Kaylee Zoeckler, Henderson Middle, *Butts County Schools*  
**Third Place** – Simisola Fakunle, Liberty Middle School, *Newton County Schools*

#### Poetry Recitation 7th Grade Winners

**First Place** – Zoey Henley, Rehoboth Road Middle, *Griffin-Spalding County Schools*  
**Second Place** – Manav Rao, Eagles Landing Middle, *Henry County Schools*  
**Third Place** – Zoey McBride, Fayette County Middle, *Fayette County Schools*

#### Poetry Recitation 8th Grade Winners

**First Place** – Alisa Chmielewski, Fayette County Middle, *Fayette County Schools*  
**Second Place** – Carlie Wells, Henderson Middle, *Butts County Schools*  
**Third Place** – Oluwafunmilayo Akinkugbe, Dutchtown Middle School, *Henry County Schools*

#### Ready Writing 6th Grade Winners

**First Place** – Amari Jones, Henderson Middle, *Butts County Schools*  
**Second Place** – Alayna Wilson, Rehoboth Road Middle, *Griffin-Spalding County Schools*  
**Third Place** – Walker Creasman, Whitewater Middle, *Fayette County Schools*

#### Ready Writing 7th Grade Winners

**First Place** – Margaret Blair, Upson-Lee Middle, *Upson-Lee Schools*  
**Second Place** – Kaitlyn Wood, Newton County STEAM Academy, *Newton County Schools*  
**Third Place** – Rhiannon Lefevure, Pike County Middle, *Pike County Schools*

#### Ready Writing 8th Grade Winners

**First Place** – Gabriella Matey, Rising Starr Middle School, *Fayette County Schools*  
**Second Place** – Janella Oshiyemi, Clements Middle School, *Newton County Schools*  
**Third Place** – Kenley Page, Lamar County Middle, *Lamar County Schools*

#### Drama (Grades 6-8) Winners

**First Place** – Pike County Middle, “Alice in Wonderland, In a Seussical Style” *Pike County Schools*  
**Second Place** – Henderson Middle, “The Internet is a Distraction,” *Butts County Schools*  
**Third Place** – Cousins Middle School, “I Am Not Your Fairytale,” *Newton County Schools*