

Academic WorldQuest

an Indiana Council on World Affairs study program & competition for high school students



A day at the Academic WorldQuest Competition

Each year, the Indiana Council on World Affairs brings Indiana high students together for the Academic WorldQuest.

Those new to the competition, ask, "What's it like?"

On the day of the competition, after a complimentary lunch, and welcoming remarks, teams of 4 students gather in Schwitzer Center's Indy Hall at the University of Indianapolis.



All students have a "front row seat."

With multiple monitors displaying the competition questions, students have a good view.

Answers are recorded on a Score Sheet and after each round of 10 questions, the scores are counted.

With pre-competition anticipation,



students listen as Quiz-Master, Dr. Douglas Woodwell, International Relations Professor, University of Indianapolis, reviews the guidelines:

- 10 Topics (Including: Great Decisions 2020)
- 10 Questions on each topic
- 100 Questions total

Perfect score = 100%

Note: Great Decisions = 10 Questions (10% of total score).

The event concludes with announcement of the top scoring teams.

Across the US, more than 5,000 high school students compete in more than 50 local competitions.

Award to Top Scoring Team:

Each year, the top scoring team, including their teacher, earn a trip to Washington, DC for the national competition, except this year due to the travel ban. For 2020, the Indiana Council on World Affairs awarded the top scoring school a \$1,000 grant for International Studies AND individual travel vouchers for the four students and their teacher.

Example of 1 of 100 Questions

Academic WorldQuest 2020

Category 5: Great Decisions Question 1 of 10

1. What is one possible explanation for the rapid spread of Populism in Europe?

A. Population growth

B. Utilization of social networks

C. Increased political activity of younger generations

D. Widespread economic struggles

<https://www.npr.org>

**For the recent AWQ 2020 competition,
the Indiana teams with the top scores!
Eman School in Fishers won 1st place &
two Carmel High School teams tied for 2nd place.**

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**Eman School - Fishers
Team 2 - 1st Place**



**Carmel High School
Team 3 - 2nd Place Tie**



**Carmel High School
Team 4 - 2nd Place Tie**

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AWQ 2020 Participating High Schools:

Carmel High School

Eman School - Fishers

Legacy Learning Center

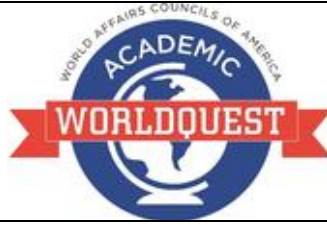
MTI - School of Knowledge

Warren High School

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Academic WorldQuest 2019 Participants



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