### 2023 Oklahoma Native American Youth Language Fair

## 6<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup> Grade Winners

# 6th - 8th Grade Age Division

### 6<sup>th</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Comics and Cartoons

1<sup>st</sup> Place Kayenin Cardoza

My house is flooded

**Edmond Public Schools Indian Education** 

Edmond, OK

Yurok

2<sup>nd</sup> Place Cadence Wolf

Creating Through Language
Talihina Public Schools

Talihina, OK Choctaw Layla Miller

3<sup>rd</sup> Place Layla Miller *Time of Day* 

**Edmond Public Schools Indian Education** 

Edmond, OK Delaware

Honorable Juilanna Miller

Mention Birds

**Edmond Public Schools Indian Education** 

Edmond, OK Delaware

Honorable Brooklyn Miller

Mention Squirrels

**Edmond Public Schools Indian Education** 

Edmond, OK Delaware

# 6<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Film and Video

1st Place Littlesun School

Pawnee Phrases Littlesun School Pawnee, OK Pawnee 6<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Mobile Video Category

1<sup>st</sup> Place Tsotigh Family

Deki:datba [dép[gòp bè [gáui [dóñ:[dáu Bread, Kaulaity and Tsotigh Family

Norman, OK

Kiowa

2<sup>nd</sup> Place Kayla Gray and Charlotte Hanna

Making A New Friend

**Edmond Public Schools Indian Education** 

Edmond, OK Cherokee/Osage

3<sup>rd</sup> Place Choctaw Language Class

Pledge of Allegiance to the American Flag

Jones Academy Hartshorne, OK

Choctaw

6<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Poster Art Winners

1<sup>st</sup> Place Story Bear

The Tall Grass with the Huts

Daposka Ahnkodapi Pawhuska, OK

Osage

2<sup>nd</sup> Place Lottrice Redcorn

Peeka Boo

Daposka Ahnkodapi Pawhuska, OK

Osage

3<sup>rd</sup> Place Jianna Jones

Osage Dances

Daposka Ahnkodapi Pawhuska, OK

Osage

Honorable Karen Harjo Mention Oka Ittola

Chickasaw Children's Village

Kingston, OK Chickasaw

Honorable Anna Raven

Mention Creating Through Language

Talihina Public Schools

Talihina, OK Choctaw Honorable Elias Ramirez

Mention Creating Through Language

Talihina Public Schools

Talihina, OK Choctaw

Honorable Story Bear

Mention Water Gives Life

Daposka Ahnkodapi Pawhuska, OK

Osage

### 6<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Puppet Show Winner (Electronic)

1<sup>st</sup> Place Abrielle Lightfoot

7 Clans Puppet Prayer Otoe-Missouria Youth

Red Rock, OK Jiwere (Otoe)

# 6<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Individual Spoken Language

1<sup>st</sup> Place Averie Hart

Chickasaw Introduction and Colors

**Edmond Public Schools Indian Education** 

Edmond, OK Chickasaw

2<sup>nd</sup> Place Jayleigh Harjo

**Grape Dumplings** 

apvlA nÔ'wAdA nÂnô (Euchee Tribe)

Glenpool, OK Yuchi (Euchee)

3<sup>rd</sup> Place Cami Alexander

**Choctaw Animals** 

Oklahoma City Public Schools NASS

Oklahoma City, OK

Choctaw

Honorable Austin Wood

Mention The Old Man and the Snake

Kaw Tribe Newkirk, OK

Kaw

# 6<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Duet Spoken Language

1<sup>st</sup> Place Nakylie Austin and Merlana Host

Kiowa Introductions

Weatherford Public Schools

Weatherford, OK

Kiowa

### 6<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Individual Spoken Poetry

1<sup>st</sup> Place Anna Spotted Bear

Sovereign by Robert Allen

Kaw Tribe Newkirk, OK

Kaw

2<sup>nd</sup> Place John Ben Seidner

Mąyą Mąngrida Otoe-Missouria Tribe Midwest City, OK

Jiwere

### 6<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Individual Spoken Prayer

1<sup>st</sup> Place Olivia Peterson

Apache Prayer

The Peterson Family

Anadarko, OK Plains Apache

2<sup>nd</sup> Place Averie Herl

Chickasaw Prayer

**Edmond Public Schools Indian Education** 

Edmond, OK Chickasaw

3<sup>rd</sup> Place John Ben Seidner

*Waroxi Mįtawe* Otoe-Missouria Tribe Midwest City, OK

**Jiwere** 

# 6<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Small Group Skit/Short Play

1<sup>st</sup> Place Tajé Sage

The Turtles Kaw Tribe Kaw City, OK

Kaw

2<sup>nd</sup> Place Tajé Sage

*Cheer* Kaw Tribe Kaw City, OK

Kaw

### 6<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Large Group Skit/Short Play

1<sup>st</sup> Place Daposka

Art Drama

Daposka Ahnkodapi Pawhuska, OK

Osage

### 6<sup>th</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Individual Modern Song

1<sup>st</sup> Place Audrina Greeley

I have decided to follow Jesus Cheyenne Arapaho Tribes

Watonga, OK Arapaho

# 6<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Small Group Modern Song

1<sup>st</sup> Place Daposka

Red Rock Woman Daposka Ahnkodapi Pawhuska, OK

Osage

2<sup>nd</sup> Place CICS 6<sup>th</sup> Grade

One Drop of Blood

Cherokee Immersion Charter School

Tahlequah, OK

Cherokee

3<sup>rd</sup> Place Cheyenne Arapaho Language Group

Esanehene Jesus

Cheyenne Arapaho Tribe

Concho, OK Cheyenne

# 6<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Medium Group Modern Song

1<sup>st</sup> Place Daposka

All You Need is Love Daposka Ahnkodapi Pawhuska, OK

Osage

2024 ONAYLF 6th – 12th Grade Winners List 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Cheyenne Arapaho Language Group

Take the Name of Jesus with You

Cheyenne Arapaho Tribe

Concho, OK Arapaho

### 6<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Large Group Modern Song

1<sup>st</sup> Place CICS 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> Grades

Usdi Yona – Little Bear

Cherokee Immersion Charter School

Tahlequah, OK

Cherokee

2<sup>nd</sup> Place Etta Dale Junior High School 8<sup>th</sup> Grade

Star Spangled Banner
Watonga Public Schools

Watonga, OK Cheyenne

### 6<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Individual Traditional Song (Group A)

1<sup>st</sup> Place Titus Wassana

Kiowa Hymn

Weatherford Public Schools

Weatherford, OK

Kiowa

2<sup>nd</sup> Place Keaton Toehay-Tartsah

Round Dance

Riverside Indian School

Anadarko, OK

Lakota

3<sup>rd</sup> Place Sarv Wolf

Espoketis Omes Kerreskos

Oklahoma City Public Schools NASS

Oklahoma City, OK

Mvskoke

# 6<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Individual Traditional Song (Group B)

1<sup>st</sup> Place Anthony Monoessy

The Word Song

Riverside Indian School

Anadarko, OK

Lakota

2<sup>nd</sup> Place Evangelino Thompson

Together

Oklahoma City Public Schools

Oklahoma City, OK

Towa

### 6<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Duet Traditional Song (Group A)

1<sup>st</sup> Place Wyatt and Patrick

Kiowa Hymn

Riverside Indian School

Anadarko, OK

Kiowa

2<sup>nd</sup> Place Athena and Khloe

Mvskoke Hymn

Oklahoma City Public Schools

Oklahoma City, OK

Mvskoke

3<sup>rd</sup> Place Arianna and Isabella

Kiowa Hymn

Oklahoma City Public Schools

Oklahoma City, OK

Kiowa

### 6<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Duet Traditional Song (Group B)

1<sup>st</sup> Place Wyatt and Patrick

Flag Song

Riverside Indian School

Anadarko, OK

Kiowa

2<sup>nd</sup> Place Vera-Marie and Serinity

Vba Isht Taloa #21

Oklahoma City Public Schools

Oklahoma City, OK

Choctaw

# 6<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Small Group Traditional Song

1<sup>st</sup> Place Battling Warriors

**Round Dance** 

Riverside Indian School

Anadarko, OK

Lakota

2<sup>nd</sup> Place Ukunumutekwa?wapnuu

Comanche Hymn #63 (composed by Tavetosah)

Deyo Mission Youth Choir

Lawton, OK Comanche

3<sup>rd</sup> Place Carnegie Middle School Kiowa Class

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Carnegie Public Schools

Carnegie, OK

Kiowa

Honorable Wichita After-school 6<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> Grades

Mention Wichita Lullaby

Wichita and Affiliated Tribes

Anadarko, OK

Wichita

### 6<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Medium Group Traditional Song

1<sup>st</sup> Place CICS 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> Grades

7 Clans Song

Cherokee Immersion Charter School

Tahlequah, OK Cherokee

2<sup>nd</sup> Place Carnegie Middle School Kiowa Class

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Carnegie, OK

Kiowa

3<sup>rd</sup> Place Deyo Mission Youth Choir

Comanche Hymn #68 (composed by Tavetosah)

**Deyo Mission Youth Choir** 

Lawton, OK Comanche

## 6<sup>th</sup>- 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Large Group Traditional Song

1<sup>st</sup> Place Chipota Chikashshanompoli

Choctaw Hymn 77
Chickasaw Nation

Ada, OK Chickasaw

## 9<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> Grade Age Division

9<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup> Grade Book Category

1<sup>st</sup> Place Cortlynn Jech

The Pink Pig

Osage Nation/Pawhuska Public Schools

Pawhuska, OK

Osage

2<sup>nd</sup> Place Brooklyn Hinman

The Hungry Rabbit

Osage Nation/Pawhuska Public Schools

Pawhuska, OK

Osage

3<sup>rd</sup> Place O'Mia Milton

Aiokpoloka'at Nowata Chickasaw Nation

Ada, OK

Chickasaw

Honorable Michaela Pratt
Mention Let's go to the Zoo

Osage Nation/Pawhuska Public Schools

Pawhuska, OK

Osage

Honorable Faylee Ferguson
Mention Osage Language

Osage Nation/Pawhuska Public Schools

Pawhuska, OK

Osage

Honorable Logan Cass

Mention My Big and Playful Dog

Osage Nation/Pawhuska Public Schools

Pawhuska, OK

Osage

Honorable Corlin Cass

Mention A Deer Named John

Osage Nation/Pawhuska Public Schools

Pawhuska, OK

Osage

9<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> Grade Comic and Cartoon Category

1<sup>st</sup> Place Benjamin Beachamp

Nashobamano Chickasaw Nation

Ada, OK Chickasaw

2<sup>nd</sup> Place Kaylee Ruff and Laney Lefthand

Friends

Frontier Public Schools Indian Education Program

Red Rock, OK

Jiwere

3<sup>rd</sup> Place Haylee Echols

Saoshi'l

**Chickasaw Nation** 

Ada, OK Chickasaw Kaeden Jones Chokma!

Chickasaw Nation

Ada, OK Chickasaw

Honorable Tagen Gouge

Honorable

Mention

Mention Identity: Finding Ourselves through Music!

Kiowa Tribe/Kiowa Language Program/Anadarko Public Schools

Anadarko, OK

Kiowa

9<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> Grade Mobile Video Category

1<sup>st</sup> Place Kiowa High School

Chahta Improvement

Choctaw Nation Language Department/Kiowa Public Schools

Kiowa, OK Choctaw

2<sup>nd</sup> Place Will Bible and Terrence Hall

Pass the Rock

Frontier Public Schools Indian Education Program

Red Rock, OK

Jiwere

3<sup>rd</sup> Place Halambia

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**Boswell Public Schools** 

Boswell, OK Choctaw

### 9<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> Grade Group Film and Video Category

1<sup>st</sup> Place Choctaw Language 1 Class

Chahta Anumpa Ittachoa Chukka Achuffa

**Poteau Public Schools** 

Poteau, OK Choctaw

2<sup>nd</sup> Place Ada High School

Ihollo mitcha Illi

The Chickasaw Nation/Ada Public Schools

Ada, OK Chickasaw

3<sup>rd</sup> Place Hartshorne Choctaw 1 Class

Bear, where are you?

School of Choctaw Language/Hartshorne Public Schools

Hartshorne, OK

Choctaw

Honorable Hartshorne Choctaw 2 Class

Mention The Voice

School of Choctaw Language/Hartshorne Public Schools

Hartshorne, OK

Choctaw

#### **Grand Prize Poster Art Winner**

Grand Prize Ella Wallace

Creating Through Language

Osage Language Department - Hominy

Hominy, OK Osage

#### 9<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> Grade Poster Art Winners

1<sup>st</sup> Prize Damon Oehler and Camden Schoggins

Anumpa Hlopullichit Ikbi

School of Choctaw Language/Stuart Public Schools

Stuart, OK Choctaw

2<sup>nd</sup> Prize Brooklin Hinman

Artist

Osage Nation/Pawhuska Public Schools

Pawhuska, OK

Osage

3<sup>rd</sup> Prize Georgia Harjo

Etelvce

Oklahoma City Public Schools

Oklahoma City, OK

Mvskoke

Honorable Caleigh Lynn

Honorable Taa Numu Tekwapu Tsa Nanisuyaketu

**Lawton Public Schools** 

Lawton, OK Comanche

Honorable Lela Hopper

Mention Creating Through Language

Osage Nation/Pawhuska Public Schools

Pawhuska, OK

Osage

Honorable Adrian Howell

Mention Amafo'si aataloowa

**Chickasaw Nation** 

Ada, OK Chickasaw

### 9th - 12th Grade Individual Spoken Language (Group A)

1st Place Aleacia Frazier-Walker

Sac and Fox Introduction

**Edmond Public Schools Indian Education** 

Edmond, OK

Sauk

2nd Place Sandra LeClair

Personal Story Kaw Tribe Ponca City, OK

Kaw

3rd Place Brianna Lunsford

Introduction

**Euchee Language Learning Center** 

Sapulpa, OK Euchee (Yuchi)

### 9th – 12th Grade Individual Spoken Language (Group B)

1<sup>st</sup> Place Georgia Harjo

Pipe Nocv

Oklahoma City Public Schools NASS

Oklahoma City, OK

Mvskoke

2<sup>nd</sup> Place Malaina Byrd

Cheyenne Introduction

Cheyenne Language Outreach

Hammon, OK Cheyenne

3<sup>rd</sup> Place Aihanna Payne

Minjee Shuwe Ichjhmjnge Hedg

Otoe Missouria Tribe

Ponca City, OK

Jiwere

### 9th - 12th Grade Individual Spoken Language (Group C)

1st Place Katzy Buffalohead

*Untitled* Kaw Tribe Kaw City, OK

Kaw

2<sup>nd</sup> Place Micah Klinekole

Kiowa Traditional Regalia Description

Kiowa Tribe/Kiowa Language Program/Anadarko Public Schools

Anadarko, OK

Kiowa

3<sup>rd</sup> Place Gertidesara Whiteshield

Speaking Arapaho

Weatherford Public Schools

Weatherford, OK

Arapaho

### 9th - 12th Grade Individual Spoken Language (Group D)

1<sup>st</sup> Place Aurora Ahdokobo

Ms Ant and Saynday
Riverside Indian School

Anadarko, OK

Kiowa

2<sup>nd</sup> Place Brandy Wood

*Big Turtle* Kaw Tribe Kaw City, OK

Kaw

3<sup>rd</sup> Place Leeann Lowry

Introduction

**Euchee Language Learning Center** 

Sapulpa, OK Euchee (Yuchi)

#### 9th - 12th Grade Individual Spoken Poetry

1<sup>st</sup> Place Brooklyn Brown

Hey Mom, I Love You

Kiowa Tribe/Kiowa Language Program/Anadarko High School

Anadarko, OK

Kiowa

#### 9th – 12th Grade Individual Spoken Prayer (Group A)

1st Place Mary Chalepah

Kiowa Prayer

Riverside Indian School

Anadarko, OK

Kiowa

1<sup>st</sup> Place Adam Maker

Prayer

Osage Nation/Pawhuska Public Schools

Pawhuska, OK

Osage

2nd Place Sandra LeClair

Sandra's Prayer

Kaw Tribe Kaw City, OK

Kaw

3rd Place Isaiah Fragua

We are Kiowa

Kiowa Tribe/Kiowa Language Program/Anadarko High School

Anadarko, OK

Kiowa

Honorable Cherokee Bread
Honorable Khoiye Bay-Daw-Tsigh

The Bread Family Anadarko, OK

Kiowa

### 9th - 12th Grade Individual Spoken Prayer (Group B)

1<sup>st</sup> Place Tryp Neff

Osage Prayers

Osage Language Program

Fairfax, OK Osage 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Georgia Harjo

The Lords Prayer

Oklahoma City Public Schools NASS

Oklahoma City, OK

Mvskoke

3<sup>rd</sup> Place Jacey Pappan

Veteran's Prayer (by Judy Sells)

Kaw Tribe Ponca City, OK

Kaw

Honorable Alicia Frazier-Walker
Mention Sac and Fox Prayer

**Edmond Public Schools Indian Education** 

Edmond, OK

Sauk

### 9th - 12th Grade Duet Skit/Short Play

1<sup>st</sup> Place Katzy Buffalohead and Maudie Jones

The Arrest Kaw Tribe Kaw City, OK

Kaw

### 9th - 12th Grade Small Group Skit/Short Play

1<sup>st</sup> Place Carnegie High School Kiowa Class

Séndé gàu àunhá:dè (Saynday and Bear)

Carnegie Public Schools

Carnegie, OK

Kiowa

2<sup>nd</sup> Place 4B Men

Tsinatia Tsiyohi

**Kansas Public Schools** 

Kansas, OK Cherokee

3<sup>rd</sup> Place Hammon Cheyenne Group

Cheyenne Language Outreach

Hammon, OK Cheyenne

#### 9th – 12th Grade Large Group Skit/Short Play

1<sup>st</sup> Place Osage Language Students

Let's have a handgame

Osage Nation/Pawhuska Public Schools

Pawhuska, OK

Osage

#### 9th – 12th Grade Individual Modern Song

1<sup>st</sup> Place Malaina Byrd

Untitled

Cheyenne Language Outreach

Hammon, OK Cheyenne

### 9th – 12th Grade Small Group Modern Song

1<sup>st</sup> Place Weatherford Public Schools

Roots Bloody Roots (by Sepulture)
Weatherford Public Schools

Weatherford, OK

Kiowa

2<sup>nd</sup> Place JHIA

My Love Mine All Mine

Kiowa Tribe/Kiowa Language Program/Anadarko Public Schools

Anadarko, OK

Kiowa

3<sup>rd</sup> Place Yuchi Gals

The Twist

**Euchee Language Learning Center** 

Kellyville, OK Euchee (Yuchi)

Honorable Cheyenne Girls

Mention Cheyenne Lord's Prayer

Cheyenne Language Outreach

Hammon, OK Cheyenne

### 9th – 12th Grade Medium Group Modern Song

1<sup>st</sup> Place Ada High School

Yanna Chi'mi Sabanna (I Want it that way)
The Chickasaw Nation/Ada High School

Ada, OK Chickasaw

#### 9th – 12th Grade Large Group Modern Song

1<sup>st</sup> Place Pawnee High School

Major Tom

Pawnee Public Schools

Pawnee, OK Pawnee

#### 9th - 12th Grade Individual Traditional Song

1<sup>st</sup> Place Blessing Running Horse

Lakota Flag Song

Riverside Indian School

Anadarko, OK

Lakota

2<sup>nd</sup> Place Peggy Maynahonah

Kiowa Hymn

Carnegie Public Schools

Carnegie, OK

Kiowa

3<sup>rd</sup> Place Georgia Harjo

Family Song

Oklahoma City Public Schools NASS

Oklahoma City, OK

Mvskoke

Honorable Ryder Bigbow

Mention Grandmother's Song

Carnegie Public Schools

Carnegie, OK

Kiowa

### 9th - 12th Grade Duet Traditional Song

1<sup>st</sup> Place Levi and Peggy

Kiowa Gourd Dance Song Carnegie Public Schools

Carnegie, OK

Kiowa

2<sup>nd</sup> Place Isaiah and Kylee

Kiowa Traditional Christmas Song

Kiowa Tribe/Kiowa Language Program/Anadarko High School

Anadarko, OK

Kiowa

3<sup>rd</sup> Place Autaubo and Chalepah

Kiowa/Arapaho/Comanche Songs

Riverside Indian School

Anadarko, OK

Kiowa, Arapaho and Comanche

Honorable Yuchi Gals
Mention Yuchi Hymn

**Euchee Language Learning Center** 

Kellyville, OK Euchee (Yuchi)

#### 9th - 12th Grade Small Group Traditional Song

1<sup>st</sup> Place Riverside Indian School

Peyote Songs

Riverside Indian School

Anadarko, OK

Arapaho

2<sup>nd</sup> Place Three Girls

Kiowa Hymn

Riverside Indian School

Anadarko, OK

Kiowa

3<sup>rd</sup> Place Big Red Buffalos

The Caution Song

Kiowa Tribe/Kiowa Language Program/Anadarko High School

Anadarko, OK

Kiowa

Honorable Those Guys

Mention Choctaw Hymn #11

Oklahoma City Public Schools NASS

Oklahoma City, OK

Choctaw

### 9th - 12th Grade Medium Group Traditional Song

1<sup>st</sup> Place Kiowa Love Doctors

Kiowa War Journey Love Song

Kiowa Tribe/Kiowa Language Program/Anadarko High School

Anadarko, OK

Kiowa

2<sup>nd</sup> Place Weatherford Public Schools

Stars and Stripes (by Leonard Cozad Sr.)

Weatherford Public Schools

Weatherford, OK

Kiowa

3<sup>rd</sup> Place Koinonia Indian Mennonite Church

God Look on Me

Koinonia Indian Mennonite Church

Clinton, OK Cheyenne

### 9th - 12th Grade Large Group Traditional Song

1st Place Comanche Nation IAMNDN

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Comanche Nation IAMNDN

Lawton, OK Comanche

2<sup>nd</sup> Place Pawnee High School

Pawnee Wardance
Pawnee Public Schools

Pawnee, OK

Pawnee

3<sup>rd</sup> Place Carnegie High School Kiowa Class

[gáuidàu:k'yàdáu:gyá Carnegie Public Schools

Carnegie, OK

Kiowa

Honorable AHS Kiowa Language Class

Mention Giving Our Creator's Word First Place

Kiowa Tribe/Kiowa Language Program/Anadarko High School

Anadarko, OK

Kiowa