

Academic Decathlon National Competition

April 21, 2018, Frisco, Texas

The Monmouth Academy Academic Decathlon team, the Maine State Champions, are the Super Quiz Division III National Champions and have the No. 1 division III Varsity Student (Jaryd Bates) in the country. They completed a successful national competition by finishing in third place in Division III in the nation. They were only 830 points out of first place. The team won 14 individual medals led by Jaryd Bates (Sr) and Rhayna Poulin (Fr). Overall, Monmouth won medals in eight of the ten events.

Medal Summary:

Essay	Jaryd Bates	Gold Medal
	Chris Dumont	Silver Medal
Music	Jaryd Bates	Bronze Medal
	Rhayna Poulin	Bronze Medal
Art	Jaryd Bates	Gold Medal
Math	Jaryd Bates	Bronze Medal
Literature	Jaryd Bates	Gold Medal
	Rhayna Poulin	Gold Medal
Economics	Jaryd Bates	Gold Medal
	Dylan Goff	Silver Medal
	Rhayna Poulin	Bronze Medal
Science	Jaryd Bates	Gold Medal
	Rhayna Poulin	Silver Medal
Soc. Science	Jaryd Bates	Gold Medal

Awards and Scholarships:

Team High Scorer: Jaryd Bates (\$250)
Most Valuable Team member: Dylan Goff (\$250)
Founder's Scholarship - most improved varsity score from States to Nationals
Jaryd Bates (\$250)
No. 1 Varsity Student in the Nation: Jaryd Bates, Gold Medal (\$1,000)

Team Awards

Super Quiz Division III Champion
Division III third place finisher nationally

Other Maine medal recipients were Conor O'Brien from Bangor earning a Bronze in Mathematics and Ian Youth from Scarborough who earned a gold in Mathematics and a Bronze in Social Science.

Congratulations to all participants from Maine for a successful National Competition.