

NHDI STATE CONTEST – APRIL 20, 2024 MARIAN UNIVERSITY, INDIANAPOLIS, IN



8 a.m. – Student and Sponsor Check-In Begins at Student HQ

- Upon arrival, check in at Student HQ in Peyton Manning Children’s Hospital **Hall of Champions**
- Students must check in BEFORE setting up their entries.
- Room assignments will be available at registration.

9 a.m. to Noon – Preliminary Round Judging (Clare Hall, Marian Hall, Norman Center)

Noon to 1:00 p.m. – Exhibit Public Viewing, (Arena and Convocation Center, 2nd floor)

1:00 p.m. – Finals Round Posted for Junior Documentaries, Senior Documentaries at Student HQ

1:30 to 3:00 p.m. – Finals Round Judging for Exhibits, Websites, Papers, and Documentaries

4:00 p.m. – Awards Ceremony (Arena)

5:00 p.m. – 5:30 p.m. – Nationals Meeting for First and Second Place Winners (Arena)

SPECIAL NOTES:

Exhibits

- After checking in, students may set up their exhibits in Arena and Convocation Center (2nd Floor).
- Exhibit removal will begin at 3:00 p.m. NHDI is not responsible for exhibits left after 5 p.m.

- A list of exhibits making it to the final round of judging will **NOT** be published. Students are **NOT** present for final round judging. Only judges will be allowed in the exhibit hall during final round judging. Students should plan on leaving at least one copy of their process paper and annotated bibliography at their exhibit for Finals Round Judging.
- Projects removed prior to 3 p.m. will not be eligible for finals.

Performances

- Restrooms are available throughout the building for students to change into costumes.
- All performance projects are moving straight to finals meaning there is no second round of judging for performances.

Documentaries

- Computers with projection screens are provided.
- Students are responsible for ensuring compatibility with standard equipment and Windows operating system.
- Documentaries may play from hard drives, USB drives or from the internet.
- Students are encouraged to bring multiple copies and formats of their projects.
- There **WILL** be a Finals Round for all Junior and Senior documentaries. Students must be present to be eligible to compete in the final round. While students are present for finals there are no interviews in the Finals Round.

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Websites

- Students should expect to pull their website up on provided equipment. Students should know their website URL or bring their URL written down.
- A list of websites going onto finals will **NOT** be published. Students are not present for the final round of judging in the website category.

Papers

- Students should bring a copy of their paper for their reference. A list of papers making it to the final round of judging will **NOT** be published. Students are not present for the final round of judging in the paper category.
- Papers will be available for public viewing at Student HQ throughout the day.

OTHER DETAILS

- All students should bring extra copies of their process paper and annotated bibliography for reference. Printers are not available for student use.
- Student HQ is located at Peyton Manning Children's Hospital Hall of Champions and will be open from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.
- Exhibit and paper judging is closed to the public.

- Documentary, website and performance presentations are open to the public throughout the day. Please be respectful of others being judged and wait to enter the room until the current interview is complete.
- Please review the map for information about parking.
- Food is available for purchase at several locations around campus.
 - Chick-fil-A is located in Alumni Hall. It will be open from 11 a.m.- 8 p.m. The menu options are more limited than a normal Chick-fil-a, however the costs reflect the normal menu.
 - Starbucks is located in Alumni Hall. It will be open from 9 a.m.- 4 p.m. The menu options and prices reflect a normal Starbucks
 - The Dining Commons is open from 11:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. for brunch and 4:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. for dinner. Meals are \$10 a person.
- There will be an Indiana Constructors traveling exhibit and table in the Hall of Champions to visit.