



# 2023 Georgia National Fair Fair Bear Writing Contest Winners

## "Fair Bear Visits the Public Library"

**FOURTH GRADE WINNERS:**

First Place:	Lauren Brewer.....	\$100*
	Southwest Laurens Elementary School.....	\$150
	Laurens County School System	
	Teacher: Mrs. Laura Thomas	
Second Place:	Miller Ward.....	\$75*
	Tiftarea Academy, Tifton.....	\$100
	Independent School System	
	Teacher: Ms. Kaitlyn Evans	
Third Place:	Leland Hayes.....	\$50*
	Blessed Sacrament School, Savannah.....	\$75
	Diocese of Savannah	
	Teacher: Mrs. Clarissa Ashley Taylor	

**FIFTH GRADE WINNERS:**

First Place:	Skylar Lester.....	\$100*
	Bleckley County Elementary School, Cochran.....	\$150
	Bleckley County School System	
	Teacher: Mrs. Kristen Rodgers	
Second Place:	Lyra McLain.....	\$75*
	Thomas County Middle School, Thomasville.....	\$100
	Thomas County School System	
	Teacher: Mrs. Rena Crew	
Third Place:	Layla Gilmore.....	\$50*
	Stark Elementary School, Jackson.....	\$75
	Butts County School System	
	Teacher: Mrs. Jennifer Green	

**SIXTH GRADE WINNERS:**

First Place:	Joy Anna Hellman.....	\$100*
	Tiftarea Academy, Tifton.....	\$150
	Independent School System	
	Teacher: Mrs. T. J. Croft	
Second Place:	Lucy Lane.....	\$75*
	Burke County Middle School, Waynesboro.....	\$100
	Burke County School System	
	Teacher: Mrs. Amy Bruce	
Third Place:	Ellia McClain.....	\$50*
	Armuchee Middle School, Armuchee.....	\$75
	Floyd County School System	
	Teacher: Mrs. Ashley Burns	



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