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PRESS RELEASE

Delmar High School Students awarded in State Contest.

Delmar, DE, Monday, December 13th: Two students at Delmar Senior High School were announced as award winners of the Farm-to-School Program Logo Contest that was hosted jointly by the Delaware Department of Agriculture and the Delaware Department of Education.



Taylor Lucas
Grade 12
and
Taylor's logo



Delmar students Taylor Lucas (grade 12), as well as Emily Davis (grade 9), both developed logos to submit into the contest as a project in their communications tech class at Delmar Senior High School. The logo submissions went before a panel of impartial judges and Lucas placed first in the contest, winning a \$50 US Savings Bond & \$50 Cash. Her logo will be used on marketing materials and advertising associated with the Farm to School Program. Davis received an honorable mention. Both will be formally awarded by the state at a ceremony in April.

The Delaware Farm to School Program was designed to promote Healthy Eating and Nutrition awareness in Delaware. Seven schools in Delaware submitted logos for the contest. They were given requirements for the logo design. These requirements included the need for a universal design that is descriptive of the program's initiative.

The Farm to School Program is an outcome of the Memorandum of Agreement signed on March 5, 2010 by the secretaries of Agriculture, Education and Health & Social Services in Delaware. Since this agreement, a newly developed Advisory Board was created with various representatives from Nemours, the Federal Food Commodities Program and the State. The board is also made up of various community members including local farmers, parents of school-aged children and representatives from the nutrition industry workforce.



Emily Davis
Grade 9
and
Emily's logo

