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5th Grader Places 8th in State Spelling Bee



HOUSTON COUNTY, GA - Langston Road Elementary School fifth grader Grace Moon placed eighth in the 57th Annual Georgia Association of Educators State Spelling Bee in Plains, Ga. Held at the Jimmy Carter Historical Site on March 16, Grace was one of 20 spellers ranging in age from 10 to 14. She went nine rounds in the competition.

Language Arts Coordinator Dr. Amanda Yoh commented, "We are so proud of Grace! This is an awesome placement at the state competition, especially for a 5th grader! We look forward to seeing her again in future spelling bees."

Grace qualified for the state event when she won runner-up at the Georgia Association of Educators District 6 Regional Spelling Bee held in February.

Langston Road Elementary is located at 315 Langston Road in Perry. Dr. Elgin Mayfield serves as principal. For more information, please contact Dr. Mayfield at 478-988-6160.

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