

## Results announcement 2022

Congratulations to all students who participated in *Le Grand Concours* (French Contest) on March 17. The results are in!

*Le Grand Concours* is a national contest sponsored by the American Association of Teachers of French. Despite the pandemic and all the difficulties overcome in schools this past year, nearly 43,000 students in all 50 states competed in the 2022 event. The *Concours* is on the list of approved tests published by the National Association of Secondary School Principals.

International School is proud to announce that several of our students have ranked in the highest scores and received an award this year.

**Gold Award** (students in 95th percentile and above): Sarah Ren and Madeleine Louie

**Silver Award** (students in 94th through 85th percentile): Palash Desarda, Indra Erdenebaatar, Annabelle Chen, Dahlia Parekh, Jackson Novotny, Will Barber, Trevor Tsai, Marine Pantel, Nate Bloch, Anthony Chen, Magdalena White and Andrew Davidson.

**Bronze Award** (students in 84<sup>th</sup> through 75th percentile): Vivian Tan, Emily Maynard, Sophy Xu, Audrey Zhang, Shriya Palekar, Sophia Dong, Natasha Parakh, Zoe Webb and Maksim Pavlicic.

**Honorable Mention Award** (students in 74<sup>th</sup> through 50th percentile): Angela Guo, Aran Mahadevan, Cameron Novotny, Lucas Ma, Channing Huang, Matthew Han, Michelle Jiang, Julia Kenny, Katelyn Shimizu, Chloe Lo, Joshua Junger, Nivedhita Vijay Suresh Prabu, Amy Ren, Isabella Chu, Katherine Cocorocchia, Sophia Zhang, Abraham Hengyucius, McKenzie Toomey, Sofia Rudic and Sasha Nathani-Sim.

AATF President Eileen Walvoord indicated: These students have demonstrated excellence in their study of French and are to be highly commended. With their teachers, they have used the French language to engage with authentic documents and individuals around the world to explore cultures as diverse as Mali and Monaco, Senegal and Switzerland, Tunisia and Togo. The superior level of language achievement that they have attained will serve them well as they use these linguistic and communication skills throughout their personal and professional lives interacting with diverse peoples and cultures around the world and in their own communities

For more information about the National French Contest, please visit: [www.frenchteachers.org/concours](http://www.frenchteachers.org/concours).

Every student who took part in the contest, regardless of score, will receive a printed certificate of participation. Thank you to all and *félicitations*!