

## **DENTON ISD**

### **Three Denton ISD students medal at UIL State Academic Meet**

Three Denton ISD students won medals at the UIL Academic State Meet held at the University of Texas at Austin last month. The district qualified 10 students total for the state meet.

Points were tabulated through the top six places in various academic events, with the top three individuals and first-place teams winning medals. Denton ISD state medalists were:

#### **Denton High School**

Maggie Mae-Ellison, who won a bronze medal, earned third place in headline writing. Rebecca Frey, journalism teacher at Denton High, is her academic sponsor.

#### **Guyer High School**

Tiffany Wang, who won a silver medal, earned second place in persuasive speaking. Bianca Ramirez, earned a silver medal for second place in editorial writing. Larry Turner, journalism teacher at Guyer High, is the UIL academic sponsor.

## **ADKINS ELEMENTARY**

### **Two Adkins students recognized by TASB for state video contest**

Adkins Elementary students Emily Justice and Kaylee Schmidt were recently recognized by the Texas Association of School Boards for their participation in the Texas Public Schools Rock state video contest.

Students were asked to create videos that tell what makes their school exceptional, how their school has earned the support of the community, or what makes Texas public schools the best choice for families.

TASB annually awards more than \$20,000 in prize money to the winning video entries. And while Emily and Kaylee's videos didn't place, they were the only Denton ISD student entries recognized by TASB for the 2014-15 school year.

Their fifth grade teacher is Julie Wenger.