

Results of SciFest@school April 27th 2017

Award	Project title	Student	Form
Overall winner	Effects of caffeine on a person's visual reaction time	Saskia Kirkland	2R
Biology			
1 st (joint)	Best things to help nettle stings	Peter McVeigh, Oisín Molloy, Jamie Healy Gelletlie	2MR
1 st (joint)	Bacteria from water fonts	John Touhy, Nathan Scarlett	2M
3 rd	Left versus right – which is dominant?	David Vincent	2H
Chemistry			
1 st	To compare solanine levels in potatoes which are stored in different ways	Tom O'Gorman	2McL
2 nd	Natural versus chemical mosquito spray	Nicole O'Connell	2R
3 rd	What brand of nail polish dries fastest?	Lauren Dillon, Rachel Walshe	2F
Physics			
1 st	Potential energy, height and speed	Natsuho Hamasumi	2MR
2 nd	How weight affects the lift of a helicopter	Sam Mitchell, Harry Touhy	2R
3 rd	Virtual reality	Elena Gallagher	2MR
Behavioural Science			
1 st	Effects of video gaming on a teenage brain	Conor Carew, Theo Kohlmann, Oscar Given	2F
2 nd	Which is a better motivator – reward or punishment?	Lucy Deacon, Sarah Forbes	2P
Display awards			
1st	Which is a better motivator – reward or punishment?	Lucy Deacon, Sarah Forbes	2P
2nd	Virtual reality	Elena Gallagher	2MR
3rd	Effects of various liquids on plant growth	Dylan Murray, Cian MacCarthy, Joshua McMillan, Kristjan Raidal	
Communicator Awards			
1 st		Astrid O'Toole	2R
2 nd		Ruben O'Mahony	2P
3 rd		Lara Mitchell	2FN
Winning form			2MR

