

Congratulations to Anna Liu Winning Regional Spelling Bee Championship

Every year more than 11 million students started a journey in classrooms across America. They shared one dream: make it to the national spelling bee competition in Washington, D.C. However, each year there are only about 290 top spellers who can turn their dreams into realities.

On March 10, 2018, our Chinese School student, Anna Liu, who is in seventh grade of Hudson Middle School, beat 32 rivals from Summit, Medina, Wayne and Portage counties to win the 2018 Akron Beacon Journal Regional Spelling Bee competition. Anna took top honors and will head on to the National Spelling Bee in Washington, D.C., at the end of May 2018. The event will be broadcasted on national TV.

Anna has been enrolled in Cleveland Contemporary Chinese School since 1st grade initially with Mei Li, and currently in Huanchao Chen's Chinese class of 8th grade. She enjoys learning Chinese, and won Chinese Speech Contests every year. Anna also actively participates community services on behalf of the Chinese School.

Congratulations to Anna Liu for her great achievements, and wish her further success in the national competition.

More information can be found from
<https://www.ohio.com/akron/news/local/hudson-middle-school-girls-take-top-places-in-regional-spelling-bee>

祝贺刘安娜同学获得 2018 年全国拼字比赛地区总冠军

每年在全美各地约有 1100 多万中小學生参与一年一度的英文拼字 (spelling bee) 竞赛。选拔赛开始于班级到年级，校级，直至县级和区级。他们拥有一个共同的梦想：获得在华盛顿特区举行的全国拼字比赛参赛资格。然而，每年只有大约 290 名顶级选手将梦想变为现实。

2018 年 3 月 10 日，我校学生，现就读于哈德逊中学 (Hudson Middle School) 七年级的刘安娜同学击败了来自 Summit, Medina, Wayne 和 Portage 县的 32 位选手，赢得 2018 年阿克伦灯塔报 (Akron Beacon Journal) 地区比赛总冠军。安娜获得了最高荣誉，并将于 2018 年 5 月底前往华盛顿特区参加全国拼字比赛。该活动将在国家电视台播出。

自一年级开始，安娜就在克利夫兰当代中文学校学习汉语。最初在李梅老师班，目前在陈焕朝老师八年级班学习。安娜特别喜欢学习中文，每年都赢下各种形式的中文比赛。安娜还代表中文学校积极参与各项社区服务活动。

我们由衷地祝贺刘安娜同学取得如此好的成绩，并预祝她在全国比赛中取得更大的成功。

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