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Heritage Middle School FBHonors Students Compete in Science Olympiad

Food Brings Hope added a FBHonors afterschool program at Heritage Middle School this year making it their seventh in Volusia County Schools. FBHonors teachers and members have focused their learning using STEM activities and curriculum. Recently, FBHonors participants competed in the Regional Science Olympiad held at Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University. Heritage FBHonors came in 3rd place overall and are on their way to the State Competition at the University of Florida in Gainesville. In addition to attaining 3rd place overall, 9 Heritage teams received 2nd and 3rd place awards.

ATTACHED PHOTO -Heritage Middle Rainbow Dragons

Front row: (Left to right) Ravyn Facello, Kelsey Petersen, Gianna Hall

Middle Row: (Left to right) Cheyanna Allen, Cody Powell, Madison Cerbulis, Isabele Crowley, Katie Grusz.

Back row: (Left to right) Jamie Rachal-Dormand, Cayden Young, Jaden Barton, Deirdra Milord, Eddy Wilkinson, Martin Fanjul Guzman, Colin Carpenter

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