



# News Release

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### **FIVE INDEPENDENCE MIDDLE SCHOOL STUDENTS RECOGNIZED BY JOHNS HOPKINS UNIVERSITY**

Five Independence Middle School students were recognized by the Johns Hopkins University Center for Talented Youth for earning high scores on the SAT Exam, which they took as part of their participation in the CTY program.

Receiving Certificates for High Honors were eighth grader Daniel Snyder and seventh graders Jarrod Cingel, Brandon Hanson, Christian Hokaj and Katherine Yan.

They were among a group of 153 area seventh and eighth graders who were invited to attend a ceremony held at Duquesne University in June.

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#### **MISSION:**

*To lead an educational partnership with the Community, maintaining an environment that challenges all students to reach their potential as lifelong learners and responsible members of society.*