

**JESTER NOMINATIONS**  
**2026**

## OUTSTANDING PRODUCTION

**Bishop Carroll High School-** *Brigadoon*

**Garden City High School-** *Chicago: Teen Edition*

**Goddard High School-** *Seussical*

**Independence High School-** *The Addams Family: School Edition*

**Pittsburg High School-** *Hadestown: Teen Edition*

**Salina Central High School-** *Into the Woods*

**Smoky Valley High School-** *All Shook Up: School Edition*

**Sterling High School-** *Roald Dahl's Matilda The Musical*

**Topeka West High School-** *Between the Lines*

**Wichita Collegiate School-** *Les Misérables School Edition*

## DIRECTION OF A SHOW

**Katrina Jacobsen**

*Disney's The Little Mermaid*

Baldwin High School

**Claire Clifford**

*Oklahoma!*

Halstead High School

**Sarah Kitzke**

*The Addams Family: School Edition*

Hugoton High School

**Tobie Henline**

*Seussical*

Hutchinson High School

**Elizabeth Bennin**

*The Addams Family: School Edition*

Independence High School

**Breana Clark**

*Hadestown: Teen Edition*

Pittsburg High School

**Barbara Hilt**

*Into the Woods*

Salina Central High School

**Eric Lundstrom**

*All Shook Up: School Edition*

Smoky Valley High School

**Amy Shelden Loucks**  
*Curtains: School Edition*

Trinity Academy

**Derrick Gronewold**  
*Once Upon a Mattress*

Wichita High School East

## LEADING PERFORMER

**Malea Olsen (Sandy Cheeks)**  
*The SpongeBob Musical*

Andover High School

**Petra Morris (Ariel)**  
*Disney's The Little Mermaid*

Baldwin High School

**Cecilia Lubbers (Fiona MacLaren)**  
*Brigadoon*

Bishop Carroll High School

**Adan Rodriguez (Tommy Albright)**  
*Brigadoon*

Bishop Carroll High School

**Izzy Todd (Babe O'Day)**  
*Good News!*

El Dorado High School

**Paige Sanders (Roxie Hart)**  
*Chicago: Teen Edition*

Garden City High School

**Audric Mansoor McKedy (Horton the Elephant)**  
*Seussical*

Goddard High School

**Piper Wiebe (Gertrude McFuzz)**  
*Seussical*

Goddard High School

**Marco Amador (Gomez Addams)**  
*The Addams Family: School Edition*

Hugoton High School

**Kaitlin Kelley (Reno Sweeney)**  
*Anything Goes*

Maize South High School

**Charli Weber (Rizzo)**  
*Grease*

Newton High School

**Norlan Aguilar (Orpheus)**  
*Hadestown: Teen Edition*

Pittsburg High School

**Adeline Sullivan (Eurydice)**  
*Hadestown: Teen Edition*

Pittsburg High School

**Madison Berndt (Baker's Wife)**

*Into the Woods*

Salina Central High School

**Parker Gardner (Chad)**

*All Shook Up: School Edition*

Smoky Valley High School

**Cooper Pieplow (Agatha Trunchbull)**

*Roald Dahl's Matilda The Musical*

Sterling High School

**Aaron Lane (Lion)**

*The Wizard of Oz*

Topeka High School

**Raya Potter (Delilah)**

*Between the Lines*

Topeka West High School

**Ben Shackelford (Javert)**

*Les Misérables School Edition*

Wichita Collegiate School

**Natalie Webber (Eponine)**

*Les Misérables School Edition*

Wichita Collegiate School

**SUPPORTING PERFORMER**

**Alexi Thorstenberg (Violet)**

*Roald Dahl's Charlie and the Chocolate Factory*

Andover Central High School

**Martin Epperson (King Sextimus)**

*Once Upon a Mattress*

Augusta High School

**Rylee Webb (Flounder)**

*Disney's The Little Mermaid*

Baldwin High School

**Kaylee Wellman (Charlotte)**

*Rodgers & Hammerstein's Cinderella*

Emporia High School

**Oliver Spencer (Billy Flynn)**

*Chicago: Teen Edition*

Garden City High School

**Adrian Drees (Jojo)**

*Seussical*

Goddard High School

**Avery Castleberry (Ali Hakim)**

*Oklahoma!*

Halstead High School

**Alexis Ryan (Liesl)**

*The Sound of Music*

Hays High School

**Shaunessy Wallace (Crystal)**

*Little Shop of Horrors*

Kapaun Mt. Carmel High School

**Jace Murdock (Adam)**

*Freaky Friday*

Maize High School

**Eddie Darling (Hermes)**

*Hadestown: Teen Edition*

Pittsburg High School

**Townes Sullivan (Hades)**

*Hadestown: Teen Edition*

Pittsburg High School

**Gavin Smith (Squidward)**

*The SpongeBob Musical*

Rock Creek High School

**Mac Sheforgen (Cinderella 's Prince)**

*Into the Woods*

Salina Central High School

**Hunter Koehn (Dennis)**

*All Shook Up: School Edition*

Smoky Valley High School

**Caleb Giorgetti (Mr. Wormwood)**

*Roald Dahl's Matilda The Musical*

Sterling High School

**Sydney Roelfs (Miss Honey)**

*Roald Dahl's Matilda The Musical*

Sterling High School

**Sophia Santo (Fantine)**

*Les Misérables School Edition*

Wichita Collegiate School

**Drake Broadrick (Sir Harry)**

*Once Upon a Mattress*

Wichita High School East

**Denarius Davis (Roger)**

*Grease*

Wichita Northwest High School

**CAMEO PERFORMER**

**Lee Hoang (The Wolf)**

*Into the Woods*

Arkansas City High School

**Aaron Gorges (Bagpiper)**

*Brigadoon*

Bishop Carroll High School

**Trey Bond ( General Gengus Kahn Schmitz)**

*Seussical*

Goddard High School

**Evalyn Axthelm (The Moon)**

*The Addams Family: School Edition*

Independence High School

**Aylin Renteria (Dragon)**

*Shrek The Musical JR.*

Lyons High School

**Mariella Koehn (Tornado)**

*The Wizard of Oz*

Marion High School

**Luke Nystorm (Lead Guitar)**

*Disney's Camp Rock The Musical*

Pratt High School

**Cadence Jacques (Patchy the Pirate)**

*The SpongeBob Musical*

Rock Creek High School

**Beckett Murray (Vince Fontaine)**

*Grease: School Edition*

Southeast of Saline High School

**Jonah Widener (Bishop)**

*Les Misérables School Edition*

Wichita Collegiate School

**PRE-HIGH SCHOOL PERFORMER**

**Michael Prella (Augustus Gloop)**

*Roald Dahl's Charlie and the Chocolate Factory*

Andover Central High School

**Jack Ebert (Jester)**

*Once Upon a Mattress*

Augusta High School

**Brielle Ives (Jojo)**

*Seussical*

Clearwater High School

**Gemma Davidson (Gretl)**

*The Sound of Music*

Hays High School

**Grady Hawks (Charlie Bucket)**

*Roald Dahl's Willy Wonka*

Nickerson High School

**Fortunato Carrazco (Ugly)**

*Honk!*

Sacred Heart High School

**The Munchkins**

*The Wizard of Oz*

Topeka High School

**Ben Dakhil and Waylon Blue (Gavroche)**

*Les Misérables School Edition*

Wichita Collegiate School

**Keira Creasser-Taylor (Young Alice)**

*Alice By Heart*

Wichita Northeast Magnet High School

**SMALL ENSEMBLE**

**The Mersisters**

*Disney's The Little Mermaid*

Baldwin High School

**Wickersham Brothers**

*Seussical*

Goddard High School

**The Vonn Trapp Children**

*The Sound of Music*

Hays High School

**The Ancestor Ensemble**

*The Addams Family: School Edition*

Independence High School

**Crystal, Ronnette, and Chiffon**

*Little Shop of Horrors*

Kapaun Mt. Carmel High School

**Purity, Chastity, Charity, and Virtue**

*Anything Goes*

Maize South High School

**The Fates**

*Hadestown: Teen Edition*

Pittsburg High School

**The Electric Skates**

*The SpongeBob Musical*

Rock Creek High School

**Revolting Children Ensemble**

*Roald Dahl's Matilda The Musical*

Sterling High School

**Elder Care Worker and Nanny**

*Working*

Wichita Southeast High School

**ENSEMBLE/CHORUS**

*The Addams Family: School Edition*

Independence High School

*Chicago: Teen Edition*

Garden City High School

*Hadestown: Teen Edition*

Pittsburg High School

*Disney's Camp Rock The Musical*

Pratt High School

*Into the Woods*

Salina Central High School

*All Shook Up: School Edition*

Smoky Valley High School

*Roald Dahl's Matilda The Musical*

Sterling High School

*Between the Lines*

Topeka West High School

*Curtains: School Edition*

Trinity Academy

*Les Misérables School Edition*

Wichita Collegiate School

## PRODUCTION NUMBER

**The Varsity Drag**

*Good News!*

El Dorado High School

**We Both Reached for the Gun**

*Chicago: Teen Edition*

Garden City High School

**Solla Sollew**

*Seussical*

Goddard High School

**Finale/Oh, The Things You Can Think**

*Seussical*

Hutchinson High School

**Why We Build the Wall**

*Hadestown: Teen Edition*

Pittsburg High School

**No More**

*Into the Woods*

Salina Central High School

**Revolting Children**

*Roald Dahl's Matilda The Musical*

Sterling High School

**Another Chapter**

*Between the Lines*

Topeka West High School

**Thataway**

*Curtains: School Edition*

Trinity Academy

**One Day More**

*Les Misérables School Edition*

Wichita Collegiate School

## ORCHESTRA DIRECTION

**Victoria Griffitt**

*The SpongeBob Musical*

Andover High School

**Daniel Samsel**

*Brigadoon*

Bishop Carroll High School

**Ashley Peery**

*Mamma Mia!*

Eisenhower High School

**Christopher Lovell and Christopher Shaw**

*Seussical*

Goddard High School

**Meredith Hopkins**

*Seussical*

Hutchinson High School

**Riley Day**

*Grease*

Newton High School

**Hannah Sullivan**

*High School Musical*

Ottawa High School

**Lindsay Modin**

*Into the Woods*

Salina Central High School

**Anna Kennedy**

*The Addams Family: School Edition*

Seaman High School

**Steph Nusbaum**

*Grease*

Wichita Northwest High School

## VOCAL MUSIC DIRECTION

**Abigail Martinez**

*Chicago: Teen Edition*

Garden City High School

**Luke Harding**

*The Addams Family: School Edition*

Hugoton High School

**Chandler Dohe**

*Seussical*

Hutchinson High School

**Christopher Kurt**

*The Addams Family: School Edition*

Independence High School

**Susan Laushman**

*Hadestown: Teen Edition*

Pittsburg High School

**Ryan Holmquist**

*Into the Woods*

Salina Central High School

**Clark Comley**

*Roald Dahl's Matilda The Musical*

Sterling High School

**Andrew Huff**

*Between the Lines*

Topeka West High School

**Connor Klaassen**

*Curtains: School Edition*

Trinity Academy

**Matt Webber**

*Les Misérables School Edition*

Wichita Collegiate School

## CHOREOGRAPHY/STAGING

**Addie Gaul, Lucy Iseman, and Nina Sladek**

*Brigadoon*

Bishop Carroll High School

**Katie Banks-Todd**

*Good News!*

El Dorado High School

**Virginia Duncan**

*Chicago: Teen Edition*

Garden City High School

**Keeley Carlton**

*Seussical*

Hutchinson High School

**Holly Grubbs**

*The Addams Family: School Edition*

Hugoton High School

**Evalyn Axthelm**

*The Addams Family: School Edition*

Independence High School

**Angela Dolezal**

*All Shook Up: School Edition*

Smoky Valley High School

**Mija Geering and Ayianna Graham**

*The Wizard of Oz*

Topeka High School

**Lily Brown, Katie Murphy, and Shelby Saunders**

*Between the Lines*

Topeka West High School

**Kara Reida**

*Once Upon a Mattress*

Wichita High School East

## ARTISTIC GUEST

**Jodi Dyer & Jessica Pammenter (Choreography)**

*Godspell*

Andale High School

**Sarah Lamar (Stage Direction)**

*Godspell*

Andale High School

**Ken Gale (Vocal Direction)**

*Roald Dahl's Charlie and the Chocolate Factory*

Andover Central High School

**Cierra Musick Jennings (Choreography)**

*Little Shop of Horrors*

Kapaun Mt. Carmel High School

**Courtney Schoenofer and Brooke Chavez Martinez (Choreography)**

*The Wizard of Oz*

Labette County High School

**Haylee Couey (Choreography)**

*Anything Goes*

Maize South High School

**Maggie Spicer-Brown (Choreography)**

*Into the Woods*

Salina Central High School

**Skye Reid (Choreography)**

*Roald Dahl's Matilda The Musical*

Seaman High School

**Piper Harding (Choreography)**

*Roald Dahl's Matilda The Musical*

Sterling High School

**Rile Reavis (Choreography)**

*Curtains: School Edition*

Trinity Academy

**STAGE CREW**

**Andover High School**

*The SpongeBob Musical*

**Baldwin High School**

*Disney's The Little Mermaid*

**Halstead High School**

*Oklahoma!*

**Hays High School**

*The Sound of Music*

**Hutchinson High School**

*Seussical*

**Independence High School**

*The Addams Family: School Edition*

**Sterling High School**

*Roald Dahl's Matilda The Musical*

**Topeka West High School**

*Between the Lines*

**Wichita Collegiate School**

*Les Misérables School Edition*

**Wichita High School East**

*Once Upon a Mattress*

## TECHNICAL ACHIEVEMENT

**Ali Peterson (Stage Management)**

*Disney's The Little Mermaid*

Baldwin High School

**Liesl Schulze (Lighting Design)**

*Seussical*

Clearwater High School

**Lexie Eubanks (Hair and Makeup Design)**

*Rodgers & Hammerstein's Cinderella*

Emporia High School

**Alana Carlson (Costume Design)**

*Seussical*

Goddard High School

**MJ Ashen (Lighting Design)**

*The Wizard of Oz*

Labette County High School

**Dale Freund (Costume Design)**

*Anything Goes*

Maize South High School

**Charli Weber (Costume Design)**

*Grease*

Newton High School

**Kaden Stoy (Sound Design)**

*Disney's High School Musical*

Ottawa High School

**Anna Ozbun (Technical Direction)**

*Hadestown: Teen Edition*

Pittsburg High School

**Nathan Bortnick (Technical Direction)**

*The SpongeBob Musical*

Rock Creek High School

**Addilyn Jagodzinske (Costume Design)**

*Into the Woods*

Salina Central High School

**Aiden Ramirez (Technical Direction)**

*The Wizard of Oz*

Topeka High School

**Kirvin Staley (Stage Management)**

*Between the Lines*

Topeka West High School

## SCENIC DESIGN

**Ryleigh Brown, Jamie Oettle, Emerson Rhoten, Alanna Smith, and Isabel Zapata**

*Seussical*

Goddard High School

**Shauna Black**

*Oklahoma!*

Halstead High School

**Tobie Henline and Hannah Lounsbury**

*Seussical*

Hutchinson High School

**Cameron Long and Leon Vestering**

*The Addams Family: School Edition*

Independence High School

**Chuck Boyles**

*Hadestown: Teen Edition*

Pittsburg High School

**Alyxandria Aldrich**

*Into the Woods*

Salina Central High School

**Eric Lundstrom**

*All Shook Up: School Edition*

Smoky Valley High School

**Katie Murphy**

*Between the Lines*

Topeka West High School

**Derrick Gronewold**

*Once Upon a Mattress*

Wichita High School East

**Garrett Ferraz, Aiden Kirchmer, and Ezra Palmer**

*Alice by Heart*

Wichita Northeast Magnet High School

## COSTUME DESIGN

**Hadleigh Snyder and Rachel Norton**

*The SpongeBob Musical*

Andover High School

**Tony Rosales**

*Brigadoon*

Bishop Carroll High School

**Alana Carlson, Jamie Oettle, and Piper Wiebe**

*Seussical*

Goddard High School

**Claire Clifford**

*Oklahoma!*

Halstead High School

**Morgan Most**

*Seussical*

Hutchinson High School

**Charlee Barriger, Salem Miller, Eli Treiber, and Lillian Whittet**

*The Addams Family: School Edition*

Independence High School

**Mackenzie Spears**  
*Roald Dahl's Willy Wonka*

Nickerson High School

**Addilyn Jagodzinske**  
*Into the Woods*

Salina Central High School

**Sheila Krohe and Mija Geering**  
*The Wizard of Oz*

Topeka High School

**Sabrina Address, Hannah Cunningham, and Clara Rusco**  
*Once Upon a Mattress*

Wichita High School East

## LIGHTING DESIGN

**Liesl Schulze**  
*Seussical*

Clearwater High School

**Annabelle Wise**  
*Good News!*

El Dorado High School

**Jamie Oettle**  
*Seussical*

Goddard High School

**Abby Inchauriga**  
*Seussical*

Hutchinson High School

**MJ Ashen**  
*The Wizard of Oz*

Labette County High School

**Dylan Fuller**  
*Grease*

Newton High School

**Nathan Bortnick**  
*The SpongeBob Musical*

Rock Creek High School

**Jack Ludlum**  
*The Wizard of Oz*

Topeka High School

**Savannah Hess**  
*Once Upon a Mattress*

Wichita High School East

**Ollie Sanneman**  
*Alice by Heart*

Wichita Northeast Magnet High School

## SOUND DESIGN

**Cora Munn, Katie Sanders, and Lucy Skolaut**  
*Brigadoon*

Bishop Carroll High School

**Bryce Myerhoff**  
*Chicago: Teen Edition*

Garden City High School

**Levi Foreman and Gage Harris**  
*The Addams Family: School Edition*

Hugoton High School

**Jaden Nash**  
*The Wizard of Oz*

Labette County High School

**Matthew Ozburn**  
*Hadestown: Teen Edition*

Pittsburg High School

**Dominic Brosi and Guillermo Rodriguez**  
*Into the Woods*

Salina Central High School

**Elvira High**  
*The Addams Family: School Edition*

Seaman High School

**Echo Clark-Pavlovich**  
*All Shook Up: School Edition*

Smoky Valley High School

**Emma Lockhart and Jake Pieplow**  
*Roald Dahl's Matilda The Musical*

Sterling High School

**Lily Jones and Jeremiah Mills**  
*Once Upon a Mattress*

Wichita High School East

## DESIGN GUEST

**Jocelyn Wilkinson (Scenic Design)**  
*The SpongeBob Musical*

Andover High School

**Sarah Taylor & Angela Dorsey (Costume Design)**  
*Disney's The Little Mermaid*

Baldwin High School

**Sarah Kitzke, Shelby Martin, and Teresa Lewis (Scenic Design)**  
*The Addams Family: School Edition*

Hugoton High School

**Sarah Kitzke, Shelby Martin, and Teresa Lewis (Costume Design)**  
*The Addams Family: School Edition*

Hugoton High School

**Kyle Newby (Lighting Design)**  
*Hadestown: Teen Edition*

Pittsburg High School

**Wendi Foster (Program Design)**  
*The SpongeBob Musical*

Rock Creek High School

**Eric Johnson (Lighting Design)**

*All Shook Up: School Edition*

Smoky Valley High School

**Betsy Dutton and Kristi Wilson (Costume Design)**

*Roald Dahl's Matilda The Musical*

Sterling High School

**Dan Harmon (Lighting Design)**

*Les Misérables School Edition*

Wichita Collegiate School

**Jordan Slusher (Scenic Design)**

*Les Misérables School Edition*

Wichita Collegiate School

**PROGRAM DESIGN**

**Sofia Guzman and Melissa Seiler**

*Brigadoon*

Bishop Carroll High School

**Virginia Duncan**

*Chicago: Teen Edition*

Garden City High School

**Ashley Finnell**

*The Addams Family: School Edition*

Independence High School

**Meena Ghosh and Dante Simmons**

*Anything Goes*

Maize South High School

**Eddie Darling**

*Hadestown: Teen Edition*

Pittsburg High School

**Sarah Day and Barbara Hilt**

*Into the Woods*

Salina Central High School

**Angela Dolezal & Eric Lundstrom**

*All Shook Up: School Edition*

Smoky Valley High School

**Katie Vaughn**

*The Wizard of Oz*

Thomas More Prep-Marian

**Kaylee Drews**

*Between the Lines*

Topeka West High School

**Ellie Beckler**

*Curtains: School Edition*

Trinity Academy

**LOBBY DISPLAY**

**El Dorado High School**

*Good News!*

<b>Hays High School</b>	<i>The Sound of Music</i>
<b>Hugoton High School</b>	<i>The Addams Family: School Edition</i>
<b>Independence High School</b>	<i>The Addams Family: School Edition</i>
<b>Newton High School</b>	<i>Grease</i>
<b>Rock Creek High School</b>	<i>The SpongeBob Musical</i>
<b>Smoky Valley High School</b>	<i>All Shook Up: School Edition</i>
<b>Topeka High School</b>	<i>The Wizard of Oz</i>
<b>Wichita Collegiate School</b>	<i>Les Misérables School Edition</i>
<b>Wichita Northwest High School</b>	<i>Grease</i>