

# 2005

## Biomedical Breakthroughs and My Life

### Middle School Essay and Poster Contest



*Student contest winners and researchers at the "Scientist for a Day" awards program.*

**How does biomedical research benefit your life or the life of someone you know?**

**Become a "Scientist for a Day"! Win Cash Prizes!**

- Open to students in 6th, 7th, and 8th grades in Washington, Oregon, Idaho, and Montana.
- Write a 500-word essay or create a 11" x 17" poster.
- Entries are reviewed by scientists from the research community.
- Special English Language Learner (ELL) Categories!

**Regional Essay and Poster Winners** are selected from Western Washington, Oregon/Southwest Washington, and Inland Northwest (Eastern Washington, Idaho, and Montana). Winners are invited to visit a local research institution for a "Scientist for a Day" awards program and tour.

**Cash awards:** \$150 (First Place), \$100 (Second Place), and \$50 (Third Place) in the following categories: Overall Poster, Overall Essay, ELL Poster, ELL Essay. Regional winners receive \$50 each.

**Entry Deadline March 18, 2005**

**For more information, visit [www.nwabr.org](http://www.nwabr.org) or contact  
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