

Illinois Drafting Educators Association 2010 Competition

This year Lake Forest High School sent six students to the IDEA regional competition held at the College of Lake County. The students competed in two of the six divisions of the competition including 3D CAD Architecture and 3D Solid Modeling. Brittany Sacco, Michael Sullivan and Lauren Johnson represented Lake Forest in the Architecture division, while Connor Titus, Elizabeth Hill, and Ryan Kennedy competed in the 3D Solids division. Connor Titus and Elizabeth Hill advanced onto the State competition by finishing 1st and 2nd.

The State Competition was held at Illinois State University on April 24th. Connor and Elizabeth were required to model 12 challenging problems using Autodesk Inventor software in just 70 minutes. After modeling the problem students had to take two distance measurements and calculate the volume of each part they completed. In the end Connor was able to complete all 12 problems and take second place overall, Elizabeth also finished several problems yet finished just outside of the top 3. Both of these LFHS seniors did an excellent job in competing and representing their school. Congratulations to everyone who competed this year.

