

Thomas Edison EnergySmart Charter School

On Wednesday, Jan. 29, Thomas Edison EnergySmart Charter School (TEECS) will host a panel discussion, "Making the Most of My Charter School".

This free event will provide insight and viewpoints from a diverse panel consisting of New Jersey education leaders, an administrator, a Charter School teacher as well as a parent who are all dedicated to bringing quality education to the students in the state. Held during National School Choice week, the panelists hope to shed light on the idea that parents do have a choice in finding the best possible experience for their students, because each child deserves a challenging education that provides a level of joy and engagement that not only meets that child's individual needs but inspires a life-long learner.

"We are thrilled to offer this event to local parents," said TEECS school lead, Oguz Yildiz. "School choice is one important way parents can play an active role in receiving the best education possible for their children. Now that families can choose what works for them, their students no longer need to struggle in an education system that doesn't quite fit what their child might need."

"All children deserve access to a great public education that best meet their individual needs. High-quality public charter schools are doing just that for 54,000 students across New Jersey," said New Jersey Charter Schools Association (NJCSA) President Harry Lee. "We are excited to discuss and share the facts about how public charter schools are changing lives in the Garden State."

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Also: Many Science Olympiad teams throughout New Jersey recently competed at Camden County College in the Camden County Regionals. One third of the teams qualified to move on to the New Jersey State Finals on Tuesday, March 10. At the NJSO, 14 student teams in top middle school and 22 top high schools and 700 students from New Jersey competed in more than 20 hands-on competitions called "events," which tested skills on a range of subjects from anatomy, machines, crime busters and to different kinds of building projects.



Congratulations to both Thomas Edison EnergySmart Charter School's Middle School Science Olympiad Team for winning First Place and to Montgomery High School's Science Olympiad Team for winning First Place among the high school teams. Students received their medals and trophies on the same day from the President of Camden County College. (Photo: -Courtesy of TEECS)

The TEECS team studying to compete at the upcoming Harvard Invitational Tournament on Sunday, Feb. 2, against top schools from other states.



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