



4th ANNUAL

SPELLING BEE

and INAUGURAL

ORATORY COMPETITION



Saturday, May 4, 2024



11 am to 2 pm CST



Blue Door Neighborhood Center –
Morgan Park, 11840 S. Marshfield Ave.
Chicago, IL 60643

You are cordially invited.



OUTLINE OF EVENT



Check-in



Welcome



Group Photo



Oratory Competition



5-minute break



Spelling Bee: Kindergarten to 2nd Grade



5-minute break



Spelling Bee: 3rd to 5th Grade



5-minute break



Spelling Bee: 6th to 8th Grade



5-minute break



Announcement of Winners



Closing



ABOUT US



Burst Into Books is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit and a certified CPS vendor committed to helping the youth deepen their love of reading by integrating the arts, providing opportunities for them to engage with those connected to the literacy field, and creating a space for them to express themselves. We are invested in supporting the whole family unit in order to establish long-lasting change.

Meet Our Participants

ORATORY COMPETITION

- Akira Slaughter
- Sanaa Payne-Stewart
- Destiny Thomas



K - 2ND GRADE SPELLING BEE

- Lathan Evans
- Mecca Rallins
- Cruz DuPree
- Cory Shields
- Essence Dean
- Brielle Coleman
- Maliya Bradford
- Emery Hopkins
- Ronin Holloway Williams
- Myles Bradford
- Lennox Borek
- Elijah Mighty

3RD - 5TH GRADE SPELLING BEE

- Jori Dyson
- Zara Hughes
- Mackenzie Bradford
- Jai Hughes
- Amira Jones
- Kingsley Hoard III
- Chloe Vasser

6TH - 8TH GRADE SPELLING BEE

- Gavin Douglas
- Josiah Dyson
- Jordyn Rollins
- Ausar Alexander
- Alpha Dority
- Sheridan Darko
- Maximus Jones
- Daniel Dean
- Olivia Alexander



Special Thank You's!



Students

Parents

Volunteers



THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT! EVERY DONATION, BIG OR SMALL, HELPS US TO FURTHER
THE VISION AND CONTINUE POSITIVELY IMPACTING OUR COMMUNITIES.