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Press Release

Various students and teams who train with Midwest Chess Academy performed admirably at the MO and KS state scholastic championships.

On the Kansas side, we had students from Liberty View Elementary, Regency Place Elementary and Brookridge Day School represented with a smattering of players from other schools. This event took place at a private school called The Independent School in Wichita, KS. This event had 568 participants. This event took place on March 9th, 2013

On the Missouri side, The Pembroke Hill School sent fifteen players over 4 sections and came away with [3rd place in the K-5 section](#). As usual, this event took place at the Capitol Plaza Hotel in Jefferson City. There were 431 participants this year. This event took place on March 9th, 2013.

Here is a list of our Kansas students:

K-3

Connor Wiedenmann	3rd place	5/6 points	medal
Veronika Vancsa	7th place	5/6 points	medal

[Official results](#)

K-5

Gavin Kirchmer	2nd place	5.5/6 points	medal
Chinmay Krishna	5th place	5/6 points	medal

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K-8

Bryce Rogers	9th place	5/6 points	medal
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On March 23rd, the Kansas side also ran the Girls Championship event. Our student, **Veronika Vancsa** placed 3rd out of 30 girls. She was the youngest competitor and had good chances to tie for first. Here are the [official results](#).



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On the Missouri side, our students did this:

In the K-8 section, **Nicholas Pallotto** of the Pembroke Hill School finished in [7th place with 5/6 points.](#)

In the K-5 section, **Ben Sheldon** of the Pembroke Hill School finished in 4th place with 5/6 points, and **TJ Anderson** finished in [7th place](#) with the same point total.

In the K-3 section, **Josh Rubel** of the Pembroke Hill School finished in [8th place](#) with 4.5/6 points. All of these players received trophies.





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