



## CWSF 2009 - Winnipeg, Manitoba



## **Jory Smallenberg**

## Do You Know What You're Touching?

Division: Life Sciences / None

Category: Junior

**Region:** Fraser Valley **City:** Abbotsford, BC

School: Chief Dan George Middle

**Abstract:** Bacteria were applied to 7 different sterilized metal surfaces for an equal

period of time. After determining the number and area of the remaining bacterial colonies, the loonie, made from copper, eliminated all bacterial colonies, while there were 136 colonies remaining on the aluminum. Using different metals for doorknobs, railings and other surfaces, will decrease the

spread of the common cold, flu and other diseases.

## **Biography**

Hello! My name is Jory and I'm a grade eight student from British Columbia. I play four instruments (piano, drums, bells and flute) and I'm fluent in both French and English. I enjoy drama/acting, traveling, public speaking, sports and volunteering. I'm very honored and excited to participate in the national science fair again this year!

Awards	Value
The University of Western Ontario Scholarship	\$1 000
Bronze Medallist - \$1000 Entrance Scholarship	
Sponsor: University of Western Ontario	
Bronze Medal - Health Sciences - Junior	\$300
Sponsor: Canadian Institutes of Health Research	
Total	\$1 300



