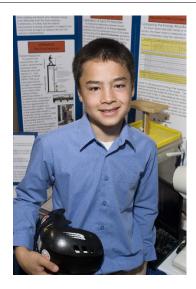




## CWSF 2010 - Peterborough, Ontario



## **Brain Drain**

**Division:** Life Sciences

Category: Junior

Region: City: School:

Abstract: For this experiment, I investigated the mechanics of how a hockey helmet

absorbs an impact force and how it protects the head. Understanding the use of air bags in vehicles, I hypothesized that a 200mL Kool-Aid Jammer representing an air bag would improve the absorption quality. I designed 2 apparatuses, one to impact the media and one to measure the impact force.

Awards	Value
The University of Western Ontario Scholarship	\$4 000
Gold Medallist - \$4000 Entrance Scholarship	
Sponsor: University of Western Ontario	
Gold Medal - Engineering - Junior	\$1 500
Sponsor: Youth Science Canada	
Total	\$5 500



