

CWSF 2012 - Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island



Rashmini Shunmugam

Mind blowing Heart thumping Finger Snapping . . . Gaming!

Challenge: Health

Category: Junior

Region: Western Manitoba

City: Brandon, MB

School: Harrison Middle School

Abstract: 150 participants, ages 8-13. Hypotheses tested: 1)at least 50% of students are moderately addicted to video gaming 2)males are more likely addicted to gaming than females 3)most students' game on the weekend 4)if involved in ECA ,less likely to have an addiction. 81% participants-moderately/severely addicted. Both genders perceive themselves same level of addiction. Confirms if more time on ECA, less hours gaming.

Biography

Rashmini was born in Durban, South Africa on July 3, 1998. She attends a French Immersion school. Rashmini has competed in provincial french and english speech contests. Her hobbies include playing 4 musical instruments, dance, Martial Arts and she is an assistant swimming teacher. Rashmini is in grade 8 piano Royal Conservatory of Music and she has taken dance classes in ballet, flamenco, hip hop and jazz.

Awards

Value

Excellence Award - Junior - Bronze Medal Sponsor: Nuclear Waste Management Organization	\$300
Western University Scholarship Bronze Medallist - \$1000 Entrance Scholarship Sponsor: Western University	\$1 000
Total	\$1 300

