Western New York and North Country
2022 New York Semifinal Competition

Students will recite poems in three rounds of performances. Students are listed in order of appearance, alphabetically by last name, and the poems each student will recite are listed in order, by round.

Featuring:

**Abrielle Monaghan, Jamestown High School**
- Perhaps The World Ends Here by Joy Harjo
- Friendship After Love by Ella Wheeler Wilcox
- Earth, You Have Returned to Me by Elaine Equi

**Glenvelis Perez, Whitesboro High School**
- We Are of a Tribe by Alberto Ríos
- The Current Isolationism by Camille Rankine
- The Tide Rises, the Tide Falls by Henry Wadsworth Longfellow

**Elizabeth Piper, Byron-Bergen Jr/Sr High School**
- Traveling through the Dark by William E. Stafford
- Friendship After Love by Ella Wheeler-Wilcox
- Tamer and Hawk by Thom Gunn

**Lily Schena, Olean High School**
- Early Affection by George Moses Horton
- Happy Ideas by Mary Szybist
- Truth is I would like to escape myself by Nour Al Ghraowi

**McKenna Schneider, Jamestown High School**
- Emily Dickinson at the Poetry Slam by Dan Vera
- The Lake Isle of Innisfree by William Butler Yeats
- Eagle Poem by Joy Harjo

**Alexandria Schuck, Byron Bergen Jr/Sr High School**
- After the Winter by Claude McKay
- First Love by John Clare
- The Kiss by Robert Graves

**Rose Scordo, Olean High School**
- The Albatross by Kate Bass
- Insomnia by Dante Gabriel Rossetti
- Ebb by Edna St. Vincent Millay

**Olivia Wiehenstroer, Whitesboro High School**
- One Hundred Love Sonnets: XVII by Pablo Neruda
- 1969 by Alex Dimitrov
- First Love by John Clare