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Newspaper in Education wins NNAF awards

Three educational publications produced by the [Tampa Bay Times Newspaper in Education program](#) have received awards in the 2026 [National Newspaper Association Foundation Better Newspaper Editorial Contest](#).

[Bearing Witness: An Exploration of the Holocaust through Primary Sources](#), produced in partnership with the [Florida Commissioner's Task Force on Holocaust Education](#), was awarded First Place in the NIE - Educational Support & Civic Literacy category. It was written by Jodi Pushkin, Times staff, and designed by Stacy Rector of [Fluid Graphic Design](#).

[Space4All: Space exploration from the dawn of the space age to today](#), produced in partnership with [NASA](#), was awarded First Place in the NIE - Partnerships category. It was written by Sue Bedry and Jodi Pushkin, Times staff, and designed by Stacy Rector of [Fluid Graphic Design](#).

[Safeguarding Wildlife](#), produced in partnership with [The Florida Aquarium](#), was awarded Second Place in the NIE - Partnerships category. It was written by Jodi Pushkin, Times staff, and designed by Stacy Rector of [Fluid Graphic Design](#).

Winners will be recognized at the awards ceremony held Friday, Sept. 18, 2026, during NNAF's 140th Annual Convention & Trade Show in Detroit, Michigan.

The [National Newspaper Association Foundation](#) (NNAF) is the educational arm and sister organization of the National Newspaper Association. NNAF's mission is to promote news literacy, protect the First Amendment, and enhance the quality, role and capabilities of community newspapers and community journalists.

The [Tampa Bay Times Newspaper in Education program](#) (NIE) serves educators, students, families and community members in the Tampa Bay area by providing classroom access to the Pulitzer Prize-winning Tampa Bay Times, plus award-winning original educational publications, teacher guides, lesson plans, educator professional development resources and much more – all at no cost to schools, teachers or families.

NIE is a member of [Florida Press Educational Services](#) (FPES), a non-profit 501(c)(3) organization of newspaper professionals that promotes literacy, civic engagement and critical thinking, particularly for young people.

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