

- Title: Back to Excellence

- Names of students who participated : Navya

- Team number : 9555C

- Location of team : Apex, North Carolina, USA

This Photograph is after Winning the Excellence Award in our Second Competition!!

Our first competition was on Nov 18th, and we failed inspection 2 times, and fixed the robot, and got in the third time, we were 20 out of 42 teams. It was a big learning experience. Dec 9th was our second competition, we started our day thinking it would be a normal competition day. WRONG! It was not what we had expected at all. On this day we made it to finals since we were top 10! We were 10th place but were still so very excited that we made it. They told us that we would go first with another team. Since the other team and us were both in Elementary school category, we allied together. We were also the only two Elementary school teams in the finals so we had won in the Elementary school category. Since there was only one excellence award they gave the other team the judges award and we ended up getting the Excellence award. We were pretty sure they gave us the Excellence award because we redid our notebooking making the handwriting clean with pen and perfectly labeling the new printed pictures, and gave our best in interview. Our hard work paid off.

