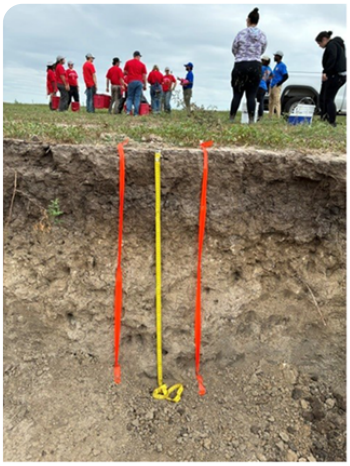
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Results from the 2026 Region 4 Soil Judging Contest

November 16, 2026













The 2026 Region 4 Soil Judging Contest was hosted by Texas A&M University–Kingsville (TAMUK) on October 22 in Ricardo, TX. A total of 50 undergraduate students representing seven institutions throughout the region, including Louisiana State University, Oklahoma State University, Tarleton State University, Texas A&M University, Texas Tech University, University of Arkansas, and West Texas A&M University, participated in this year's contest.

Louisiana State University took first place overall and had the first- and fourth-high individuals, Kaitlyn Giesler, and Taylor Eubanks, respectively. Texas A&M University took second place overall and had the third-high individual, Jared Torres. Texas Tech University took third place overall and had the second-high individual, Syd Beebe. Winners of the team-judged pit contest were University of Arkansas (first place), Louisiana State University (second place), and Texas Tech University (third place).

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