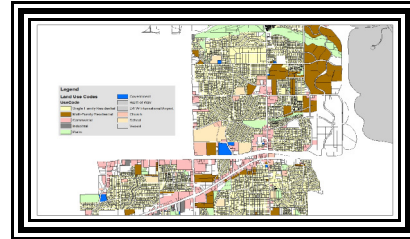


# 2018 Rhode Island Mapping Competition



- ◆ **What:** An online GIS map making contest
- ◆ **Dates:** February 2018 to May 2018
- ◆ **Who is eligible:** Rhode Island public, private, or home-schooled students are eligible to enter the contest. Maps can be submitted individually or as a team of two students. Limit of one entry per student or team. \*

Middle School Division - grades 4 - 8  
Senior High Division - grades 9 - 12

- **Challenge:** Your challenge is to create an original Rhode Island based map on a topic of interest or concern to you. The area mapped can range from the entire state to a smaller area, like a county or city.
- **ArcGIS Online Requirement:** You must use ArcGIS Online organizational account to create your original map. Submissions must include the name of the student or team and students names as well as teacher/school or home school educator. Your final map must be submitted to the rimapcomp website listed below; in one of the following formats:

ArcGIS Online Presentation  
ArcGIS Online Web App  
ArcGIS Online Story Map

**Your final submission will need to be submitted by 12 noon on May 1 2018.**

ArcGIS Online is available to any K-12 school in the United States free of charge from ESRI; see <https://esri.app.box.com/connectedpdf> for access to software and guidance. Your school will need to sign up for a free ArcGIS Online organization account so you can create and submit your final map.

**More Info:** <http://esriurl.com/agoschoolcomp2018>  
or  
<https://sites.google.com/coventryschools.net/rimapcomp>

**Prizes:** The five maps judged the best in each division will be awarded a \$100 prize.

Middle School Division - grades 6 - 8  
Senior High Division - grades 9 - 12

- \* Teams spanning grade levels will be entered in the division of the student at the upper grade.  
Award-winning maps will remain visible to the public for one year.

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