

MAASE 2024 Final Round of Math Jeopardy (March 16, 2024, Univ. of Tennessee, Knoxville)

	Name	Fr/So/Jr/Sr	Major(s)
Union University			
First Place (5800)	Josiah Hayes	Jr	Mathematics
	Georgia Morgan	Jr	Mathematics
	Mikaila Rogers	Jr	Mechanical Engineering
Tennessee			
Second Place (5600)	Nicolette Abate	Jr	Mathematics/Spanish
	Luke Carpenter	Sr	Mathematics/Physics
	Parker Mcoig	Sr	Mathematics
	Smit Patel	Sr	Mathematics
Coastal Carolina			
Third Place (3000)	Keith Bullard	Fr	Mathematics
	Amy Earley	Jr	Mathematics
	Liam Perry	HS Sr	Mathematics
	Andy Xu	Sr	Mathematics
Kennesaw State			
Fourth Place (-900)	Jared Bush	Sr	Mathematics
	Elizabeth Ehme	Sr	Mathematics
	Andrew Karsten	Sr	Mathematics
	Ian Salamone-Lent	Sr	Mathematics

Narrative Summary:

Tennessee built a commanding lead only to be surpassed by Union University and the schools exchanged the lead a few times before the Final Jeopardy (FJ) question. Coastal Carolina was a close third halfway through the contest. Into the FJ question, Union was up by 2000 points over Tennessee and those two schools and Coastal Carolina were the only schools with positive scores in that phase of the contest. Amazingly, all three schools answered the JF correctly and with a strategic wager, Union captured first place with Tennessee in second place (by only 200 points) followed by Coastal Carolina and Kennesaw in third and fourth places, respectively.

