



Your INL Update — Week of Feb. 15, 2010

This is Nicole Stricker with your INL Update.

Local elementary school students will be part of a study with the Mayo Clinic, Idaho National Laboratory and Hope Lutheran School. The student's health and safety study will analyze the influence of vertical workstations vs. traditional classroom desks. The study is looking for changes in kids' activity level, attentiveness and weight.

This week, INL, the Center for Advanced Energy Studies and the Advanced Test Reactor National Scientific User Facility will host a panel discussion on the role of publically funded research. The group will address the challenges of transferring intellectual property from laboratories and universities to the private sector.

Idaho high school students will have an opportunity to take part in INL's Scholastic Tournament, starting this week. Some 800 students from 73 schools across the state will compete for a trip to the Department of Energy's Science Bowl in Washington, D.C. at the end of April.

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