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**SEMIFINALISTS IN THE 2021  
NATIONAL MERIT® SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM  
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**Note to editors: Semifinalists in your state are listed alphabetically by city and high school following this press release.**

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*Caution: Using numbers of Semifinalists to compare high schools, educational systems, or states will result in erroneous conclusions. The National Merit® Scholarship Program honors individual students who show exceptional academic ability and potential for success in rigorous college studies. The program does not measure the quality or effectiveness of education within a school, system, or state. For more information about the competition, please visit NMSC's website at [www.nationalmerit.org](http://www.nationalmerit.org).*

**Semifinalists in the 2021 National Merit® Scholarship Program**

(Evanston, Illinois) Today officials of National Merit Scholarship Corporation (NMSC) announced the names of approximately 16,000 Semifinalists in the 66<sup>th</sup> annual National Merit Scholarship Program. These academically talented high school seniors have an opportunity to continue in the competition for some 7,600 National Merit Scholarships worth more than \$30 million that will be offered next spring. To be considered for a Merit Scholarship® award, Semifinalists must fulfill several requirements to advance to the Finalist level of the competition. Over 90 percent of the Semifinalists are expected to attain Finalist standing, and more than half of the Finalists will win a National Merit Scholarship, earning the Merit Scholar® title.

NMSC, a not-for-profit organization that operates without government assistance, was established in 1955 specifically to conduct the annual National Merit Scholarship Program. Scholarships are underwritten by NMSC with its own funds and by approximately 400 business organizations and higher education institutions that share NMSC's goals of honoring the nation's scholastic champions and encouraging the pursuit of academic excellence.

## **Steps in the 2021 Competition**

Over 1.5 million juniors in about 21,000 high schools entered the 2021 National Merit Scholarship Program by taking the 2019 Preliminary SAT/National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test (PSAT/NMSQT®), which served as an initial screen of program entrants. The nationwide pool of Semifinalists, representing less than one percent of U.S. high school seniors, includes the highest-scoring entrants in each state. The number of Semifinalists in a state is proportional to the state's percentage of the national total of graduating seniors.

To become a Finalist, the Semifinalist and a high school official must submit a detailed scholarship application, in which they provide information about the Semifinalist's academic record, participation in school and community activities, demonstrated leadership abilities, employment, and honors and awards received. A Semifinalist must have an outstanding academic record throughout high school, be endorsed and recommended by a high school official, and write an essay.

From the approximately 16,000 Semifinalists, about 15,000 are expected to advance to the Finalist level, and in February they will be notified of this designation. All National Merit Scholarship winners will be selected from this group of Finalists. Merit Scholar designees are selected on the basis of their skills, accomplishments, and potential for success in rigorous college studies, without regard to gender, race, ethnic origin, or religious preference.

## **National Merit Scholarships**

Three types of National Merit Scholarships will be offered in the spring of 2021. Every Finalist will compete for one of 2,500 National Merit® \$2500 Scholarships that will be awarded on a state-representational basis. About 1,000 corporate-sponsored Merit Scholarship awards will be provided by approximately 220 corporations and business organizations for Finalists who meet their specified criteria, such as children of the grantor's employees or residents of communities where sponsor plants or offices are located. In addition, about 180 colleges and universities are expected to finance some 4,100 college-sponsored Merit Scholarship awards for Finalists who will attend the sponsor institution.

National Merit Scholarship winners of 2021 will be announced in four nationwide news releases beginning in April and concluding in July. These scholarship recipients will join more than 353,000 other distinguished young people who have earned the Merit Scholar title.

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# Semifinalists: 2021 National Merit Scholarship Program

## FLORIDA

### ALACHUA

HOMESCHOOL  
450 Breeden, Andrew C.

### APOPKA

FOREST LAKE ACADEMY  
303 Gonzalez, Edward A.

### AVE MARIA

RHODORA J. DONAHUE ACADEMY  
720 Patterson, Anne M.

### BARTOW

INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE SCHOOL  
162 Chen, Kevin  
204 Landreth, Tess A.  
450 Miranda-Acosta, Angel G.  
600 Mittal, Agastya  
843 Patel, Vraj M.

### BOCA RATON

BOCA RATON COMMUNITY H. S.  
302 Brown, Cameron R.  
209 Carrillo, Scott A.  
451 Fleming, Allison E.  
836 Johnson, Alex O.  
000 Rootes, Thomas R.

FLORIDA ATLANTIC UNIVERSITY H. S.

999 Allen, Molly  
740 Arustamyan, Nickolas  
162 Barrios Escobar, Gabriella  
000 Beluskov, Aleksander  
302 Blanchette, Robert  
945 Copeland, Cayla  
742 Cox, Christopher  
303 Devito, Paulina  
000 Eagles, Lauren  
907 Evrard-Vescio, Michael  
204 Figueroa, Kevin  
200 Golish, Lucy  
907 Gonzalez, Sa'id  
161 Hudspeth, Casey  
161 Imran, Imtisal  
303 Jensen, Alexander  
185 John, Zachariah  
161 Johnson, Cassidy  
999 Karoleski, Katja  
628 Khazem, Maya  
904 Kuipers, Jaxon  
000 Lopez, Matthew  
209 Myers, Jake J.  
742 Nguyen, Neo  
303 Norberto, Michael  
454 Pennell, Marea  
628 Phelps, Hannah  
218 Roberts, Talisa  
185 Smith, Angelina  
456 Thi, Jaclyn  
457 Veit, Cameron  
457 Veit, Connor  
303 Warszycki, James  
459 Willis, Devin

GRANDVIEW PREPARATORY SCHOOL

907 Buckley, Elizabeth B.

KATZ YESHIVA H. S. OF SOUTH FLORIDA

161 Berman, Judah E.  
000 Frohlich, Max S.  
000 Gross, Jonathan S.  
836 Merkina, Benjamin

SPANISH RIVER COMMUNITY H. S.

457 Gaynor, Alex R.  
000 Heller, Katherine F.  
303 Kumar, Aditya  
209 Louis, Pierre A.  
999 Qu, Mingni

ST. ANDREW'S SCHOOL

000 Horowitz, Nicholas K.  
833 Kino, Alexander J.  
843 Nottman, Claire R.  
000 Russo, Matthew C.

ST. JOHN PAUL II ACADEMY

000 Laverde, Daniel A.  
999 Oconnor, Cashel R.

WEST BOCA RATON COMMUNITY H. S.

950 Denny, Braeden  
466 Sanchez, Daniel A.

### BONITA SPRINGS

BONITA SPRINGS H. S.  
522 Carias, Genesis V.

### BRADENTON

IMG ACADEMY  
000 Belagode, Sohun V.

LAKEWOOD RANCH H. S.

467 Jones, Amy M.

SOUTHEAST H. S.

166 Ross, Hayden L.

ST. STEPHEN'S EPISCOPAL SCHOOL

450 Konkol, Matthew W.

STATE COLLEGE OF FLORIDA COLLEGIATE SCHOOL

170 Bonnaire Fils, Prudny A.

### BROOKSVILLE

NATURE COAST TECHNICAL H. S.  
457 Litwin, Zander

### CANTONMENT

J. M. TATE H. S.  
950 Dixon, Michael R.  
185 Semple, John T.

### CELEBRATION

CELEBRATION H. S.  
000 Newman, Oscar E.  
907 Slaten, Thomas R.  
451 Victorelli, Luigi B.

### CLERMONT

EAST RIDGE H. S.  
202 Cheplick, Jackson D.

### COCONUT CREEK

MONARCH H. S.  
000 Pillay, Ursa  
000 Reynolds, Bradley P.

NORTH BROWARD PREPARATORY SCHOOL

000 Baker, Lili J.  
000 Bass, Zachary L.  
000 Bleisch, Kyle  
000 Brown, Tyler A.  
000 Deo, Akash  
000 Fisch, Isabella J.  
000 Goodman, Abigail  
000 Gopal, Jay R.  
000 Stein, Austin D.

### COOPER CITY

COOPER CITY H. S.  
000 Diez, Ander  
000 Geraci, Isabella E.  
000 Lewis, Ryan S.

### CORAL SPRINGS

CORAL SPRINGS H. S.  
200 Stone, Samuel A.

### CUTLER BAY

CUTLER BAY H. S.  
202 Foxworthy, Jackson M.

### DAVIE

COLLEGE ACADEMY AT BROWARD  
000 Aziz, Zakariyya M.  
000 Odza, Emily B.

N. S. U. UNIVERSITY SCHOOL

455 Boudy, William E.  
000 Jurman, Duncan E.  
999 Margolis, Tobi E.  
712 Marshall, Ella M.  
467 Miller, Benjamin D.  
907 Ronkin, Peyton A.  
209 Yohros, Benjamin D.

NOVA H. S.

000 Ramesh, Yamika  
830 Sammartino, Jackson C.

WESTERN H. S.

457 Wood, Ethan L.

WILLIAM T. MC FATTER TECHNICAL H. S.

453 Huang, Menghua M.

### DAYTONA BEACH

FATHER LOPEZ H. S.  
000 Lowe, Marlena E.  
000 Rossen, Michael J.

### DE LAND

DE LAND H. S.  
522 Meckley, Evelyn A.

### DELRAY BEACH

AMERICAN HERITAGE SCHOOL

843 Campbell, Tarik  
999 Dalvi, Harys  
628 Deal, Conor R.  
303 Doischen, Joshua Y.  
870 Feuerman, Mandy B.  
451 Groper, Seth A.  
451 Iyer, Rhea  
167 Kang, Matthew  
600 King, Emily B.  
907 Kulberg, Ashley B.  
907 Mahesan, Vasakan  
742 Mark, Alexander J.  
906 Martinez, Elena Z.  
211 Mittner, Victoria  
999 Patel, Amay  
628 Peacock, Kruze W.  
160 Peterson, Emily L.  
301 Sacco, Frank A.  
712 Serrone, Joseph R.  
209 Sun, Gabriel  
999 Vadlamudi, Anjali C.  
999 Vijaywargiya, Tanishk  
904 Wachsman, Noah M.

ATLANTIC COMMUNITY H. S.

000 Luo, Tony C.  
999 Sharan, Vismay

### DORAL

DORAL ACADEMY CHARTER H. S.

300 Bishop, Diana R.  
303 Cavallin, Sebastian D.  
904 Marquez, Marc

RONALD W. REAGAN - DORAL H. S.

600 Dallas, Natalia A.

### DOVER

STRAWBERRY CREST H. S.

185 Kallarackal, Joel J.  
209 Mitra, Ankush  
301 Parsi, Srikar  
870 Rodriguez, Ayrton M.  
162 Yarlagadda, Sagnik

### ESTERO

ESTERO H. S.  
467 Robinson, Brian J.  
300 Torres-Cobian, Carlos F.

### EUSTIS

EUSTIS H. S.  
303 Lord, Audrey E.  
950 McKenna, Ruarai P.

### FERNANDINA BEACH

FERNANDINA BEACH H. S.  
451 Nedelcu, John-Paul

### FORT LAUDERDALE

CALVARY CHRISTIAN ACADEMY

200 Barnes, Matthew D.  
900 Houston, Ethan S.  
628 Pilote, Joshua K.

CARDINAL GIBBONS H. S.

742 Byrd, Eleanor K.  
553 Kamphaus, Rachel J.

PINE CREST SCHOOL

000 Andreas, Owen  
000 Andreas, Reed  
000 Bauman, Spencer  
000 Berger, Benjamin  
999 Gershman, Sean  
999 Harvey, Benjamin  
000 Jones, Langdon  
000 Kolettis, John  
000 Kronrad, Skylar  
000 Krusch, Ryan  
142 Logan, Alexis  
000 Minielly, Moira  
742 Obrien, Chase  
161 Pusateri, Antonino  
000 Sachdeva, Neil  
000 Stocker, Sierra  
161 Valdes, Jonathan  
000 Weiner, Jack A.  
000 Wexler, Michael C.  
000 Wilentz, Alexander  
000 Williams, Jonathan D.  
000 Wu, Donovan

ST. THOMAS AQUINAS H. S.

200 Carlstedt, Kevin J.  
450 Szymkiewicz, Victoria V.  
185 Zambrano, Aliza M.

### FORT MYERS

CANTERBURY SCHOOL

628 Shute, Austin J.

DUNBAR H. S.

000 Dimaculangan, Kevin M.

FORT MYERS H. S.

000 Cosby, Charles J.  
000 Penn, Thomas A.  
000 Shah, Deven S.

RIVERDALE H. S.

833 Moreland, Jack W.

BISHOP VEROT H. S.

457 Caangay, Xavier R.

### FORT PIERCE

FORT PIERCE CENTRAL H. S.

000 Mangio, Hailey J.

LINCOLN PARK ACADEMY

450 Demko, Nicholas M.

### FORT WALTON BEACH

CHOCTAWHATCHEE H. S.

742 Lindner, Jaden C.  
950 Price, Leah V.

### GAINESVILLE

BUCHHOLZ H. S.

204 Cao, Amy Y.  
833 Caruso, Nicholas J.  
628 Gingrich, Ted F.  
209 Griffin, Jeremy C.  
303 Han, Sean L.  
160 Lee, Olivia M.  
185 Liu, Daniel C.  
000 Privette, Robert M.  
450 Schlafer, Samuel E.  
000 Xing, Amy S.  
000 Zhang, Albert  
000 Zhang, Qingyu

EASTSIDE H. S.

000 Grand, Hari E.  
000 Gupte, Aditya A.  
000 Harnsberger, Betsy G.  
000 Hershfield, Matthew J.  
000 Hershfield, Michael A.  
000 Kalamangalam, Aarti  
000 La Madrid, Sean Raymond S.  
000 Liu, David Y.  
000 Provost, Jillian C.  
000 Savin, Delia K.  
000 Sujil, Sneha  
000 Thomason, Elizabeth M.

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**Florida** (continued)

000 Yuan, Anzhe  
000 Zhao, Bill

GAINESVILLE H. S.  
000 Golde, Griffin  
000 Mulligan, Zachary Q.  
999 Schanuth, Patrick B.  
303 Seay, John

OAK HALL SCHOOL  
999 Aitsahlia, Anya F.  
999 Khuddus, Ayesha A.

ST. FRANCIS CATHOLIC ACADEMY  
943 Pampo, Julian C.

**GENEVA**  
HOMESCHOOL  
619 Lyford, Christine G.

**GULF BREEZE**  
GULF BREEZE H. S.  
161 Decesare, Steven T.  
000 Laird, Tiffany A.  
455 Mackey, Maren A.  
999 Nelson, Landon R.

**HIALEAH GARDENS**  
MATER ACADEMY CHARTER H. S.  
302 Sanchez, Erick

**HOBE SOUND**  
THE PINE SCHOOL  
450 Levine, Samuel B.

**HOLIDAY**  
ANCLOTE H. S.  
451 Flynn, Cody T.

**HOLLYWOOD**  
SOUTH BROWARD H. S.  
742 Garcia, Ricardo  
450 Maglione, Diego B.

**HOMESTEAD**  
CENTER FOR INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION  
450 Lageyre, Robert A.

MEDICAL ACADEMY FOR SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY  
454 Ray, Shreyanshu

SCHOOL FOR ADVANCED STUDIES  
470 Morice, James J.

**JACKSONVILLE**  
DOUGLAS ANDERSON SCHOOL OF THE ARTS  
000 Borbely, Brianna O.  
450 Guiler, Caroline E.

BARTRAM TRAIL H. S.  
870 Jones, Meghan L.  
870 Wiechens, Kayla B.

THE BOLLES SCHOOL  
300 Gupta, Yash S.  
555 Morello, Lara  
454 Patcha, Devi Priya  
451 Sun, Edward  
161 Zeng, Jessica S.

EPISCOPAL SCHOOL  
185 Barksdale, Sarah E.  
999 Fouts, Paul  
459 Gatewood, Jameson D.  
200 Kohla, Donald P.  
843 Witkovich, Braden D.

HOMESCHOOL  
712 Taylor, Caleb C.

BISHOP KENNY H. S.  
169 Knight, Hallie E.

MANDARIN H. S.  
160 Syed, Jaabir A.

PAXON SCHOOL FOR ADVANCED STUDIES  
000 Norton, Marissa A.  
303 Scarborough, Jacob H.

STANTON COLLEGE PREPARATORY SCHOOL  
628 Agnila, Kanna Isabel L.  
000 Alchuri, Saipraneeth R.  
450 Anbarasu, Vireli S.  
000 Caven, John B.  
628 Chatrathi, Aneesh  
742 Dantzer, Aaron G.  
000 Diaz, Ryan A.  
000 Higginbotham, Hayden A.  
302 Kellam, Freeman J.  
000 Menker, Catherine R.  
451 Patel, Vikas A.  
990 Plauche, Audrey C.  
185 Rajaei, Aileen B.  
628 Reddy, Anya  
830 Rezaei, Artin X.  
000 Ruangkanit, Panita  
185 Schnorbus, Taylor N.  
451 Vishwanath, Abhi R.  
740 Wall, Martin J.

**JAY**  
JAY H. S.  
628 Walters, Carson C.

**JUPITER**  
JUPITER COMMUNITY H. S.  
451 Barrette, Ty P.  
628 Dickinson, Hannah M.  
164 Ingram, Julia  
628 Roman, Jacob D.  
710 Wodar, Grace A.

**KEY WEST**  
KEY WEST H. S.  
999 Tong, Christina S.

**LAKE MARY**  
LAKE MARY H. S.  
000 Amirzadeh, Lily S.  
161 Molthrop, Kelly A.  
000 Purutcuoglu, Evan P.  
454 Rigali, David L.

**LAKE WORTH**  
PARK VISTA COMMUNITY H. S.  
628 Vo, Kha

**LAKELAND**  
HARRISON CENTER FOR VISUAL AND PERFORMING ARTS  
946 Verdaguer, Diego A.

**LAND O' LAKES**  
LAND O' LAKES H. S.  
463 El-Rady, Ziad E.  
204 Jiang, Jason  
450 John, Naomi D.  
710 Tuli, Prayuj  
833 Varude, Shreyas S.

**LARGO**  
INDIAN ROCKS CHRISTIAN SCHOOL  
629 Carr, Brandon E.

LARGO H. S.  
000 Muller, Bryn M.  
450 Shah, Neil D.  
999 Tave, Nicolas E.

**LECANTO**  
LECANTO H. S.  
000 Chandrupatla, Sumanth R.  
000 Deven, Anjali S.  
000 Kamat, Saanvi

**LONGWOOD**  
LYMAN H. S.  
451 Gorenflo, Clifton H.  
000 Prifti, Albertina  
451 Robertson, Thomas R.  
999 Shah, Dhruv

**LUTZ**  
GEORGE M. STEINBRENNER H. S.  
710 Cooper, Robert W.  
999 Deluna, Devin C.  
999 Glickman, Samuel D.  
200 Gurivreddygar, Haarika R.

742 Harbour, James H.  
303 Jayanti, Advika D.  
950 Kennedy, Elizabeth R.  
628 Rogers, Emily P.

**LYNN HAVEN**  
A. CRAWFORD MOSLEY H. S.  
000 Miller, Cole Q.  
000 Smith, Keegan R.

**MARATHON**  
MARATHON H. S.  
302 Nikiforova, Katerina A.

**MELBOURNE**  
HOLY TRINITY EPISCOPAL ACADEMY  
628 Choi, Ellen  
628 Valdivia, Dante A.  
450 Weiner, Isabella R.

MELBOURNE CENTRAL CATHOLIC H. S.  
712 Morano, Gabriella

WEST SHORE H. S.  
455 Afflerback, Reilly M.  
301 Cheek, Brayden  
302 Jenkins, Christopher L.  
600 Johnson, Abigail S.  
302 Regan, Sean E.  
160 Wakim, Julien J.

**MERRITT ISLAND**  
EDGEWOOD H. S.  
162 Bumgardner, Jacob R.  
628 Mirfakhraie, Kamyar A.

**MIAMI**  
ARCHIMEDEAN UPPER CONSERVATORY  
450 Anaya, Elys K.  
450 Cabrera, Giuliana P.  
892 Dixit, Rohan  
628 Hoare, Liam A.

BELEN JESUIT PREPARATORY SCHOOL  
160 Alarcon, Nicolas  
628 Arias, Adriano A.  
204 Francia, Eduardo I.  
162 Garmendia, Diego L.  
160 Silveira, Ricardo R.  
160 Torres, Matthew W.

CARROLLTON SACRED HEART SCHOOL  
999 Mestre, Maria C.

CHRISTOPHER COLUMBUS H. S.  
822 De La Viesca, Christopher T.  
303 Victores, Luis J.

CORAL REEF H. S.  
999 Davis, Alan D.  
465 Gonzalez Fernandez, Malena  
302 Muskat, Daniel  
946 Woolley-Larrea, Brennan L.

CRISDA CHRISTIAN ACADEMY  
459 Werner, Jackson P.

DESIGN AND ARCHITECTURE H. S.  
000 Nedeff, Nicole H.

JOHN A. FERGUSON H. S.  
450 Balcarcel, Saul S.  
162 Lian, Josh D.

FLORIDA CHRISTIAN SCHOOL  
459 Fernandez-Andes, Joseph E.

GULLIVER PREPARATORY SCHOOL  
450 Carvalho, Joao M.  
000 Schmidt, Jordan L.  
843 Stein, Jacob I.

DR. MICHAEL M. KROP H. S.  
303 Xiong, Tianyu

MARITIME AND SCIENCE TECHNOLOGY ACADEMY  
000 Griffiths, Connor E.  
451 Luo, David S.  
833 Montoya, Paolo  
451 Taubman, Max A.

MIAMI COUNTRY DAY SCHOOL  
907 Athanassiadis, Michael  
302 McMillan, Alexander M.  
907 Weaver, Andrew J.

MIAMI PALMETTO H. S.  
000 Dang, Jason V.  
000 Ishwaran, Kary  
000 Josefsberg, Ethan  
000 Komanduri, Jaya L.  
000 Meyer, Jack L.  
000 Perez, Daniel G.  
000 Zhou, Mike R.

ALONZO AND TRACY MOURNING H. S.  
742 Trujillo, Renzo A.

OUR LADY OF LOURDES ACADEMY  
870 Calderon, Nicole A.

RANSOM EVERGLADES SCHOOL  
204 Clavijo, Felipe  
000 De Araujo, Liam N.  
000 Dill, Margaret E.  
000 Dray, Alexandre J.  
451 Hatami, Fahrenaz  
907 Hicks, Axel T.  
000 Jackson, Daniel  
303 Jagid, Bruce J.  
162 Medina, Erik A.  
200 Pulido, Gabriel F.  
160 Rosen, Maya S.  
999 Vela, Viviana

SCHECK HILLEL COMMUNITY H. S.  
999 Freiman, Anna S.  
999 Stiberman, Ilana A.

SCHOOL FOR ADVANCED STUDIES - SOUTH  
303 Zhang, Ivy T.

SCHOOL FOR ADVANCED STUDIES - WOLFSON  
999 Frolich, Melanie

ST. BRENDAN H. S.  
450 Escudero, Lauren V.

TERRA ENVIRONMENTAL RESEARCH INSTITUTE  
303 Maingot, Jason C.  
459 Valdes, Sebastian  
450 Vallejo-Lozano, David

**MIAMI BEACH**  
HEBREW ACADEMY  
000 Fruhman, Yosef

MIAMI BEACH H. S.  
999 Kleidermacher, Justin D.

**MONTVERDE**  
MONTVERDE ACADEMY  
999 Cardwell, Kendyl E.  
999 Gadiparthi, Jathin  
000 Morrison, Avery J.

**NAPLES**  
BARRON COLLIER H. S.  
943 Ciabaton, Abby R.  
161 Heyn, Joshua T.  
843 Kyrychenko, Dennis

COMMUNITY SCHOOL  
459 Dedio, Samuel C.

GULF COAST H. S.  
999 Bracci, Adam L.  
301 Cahill, Aiden G.  
908 Dabees, Mai  
303 Ginsberg, Mia A.  
162 Holloway, Joshua A.  
600 Kwa, Mickey N.  
451 Muesing, Grace C.

LELY H. S.  
160 Holloway, Corazon K.

NAPLES H. S.  
467 Clubley, James T.  
000 Coleman, Maya J.

**NEW PORT RICHEY**  
GULF H. S.  
903 Bernardo, Theresa D.

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**Florida** (continued)

**NICEVILLE**

COLLEGIATE H. S. AT NORTHWEST  
FLORIDA STATE COLLEGE  
455 Raval, Braeden L.

**NICEVILLE H. S.**

300 Dye, David W.  
843 Marlin, Elizabeth A.  
450 Nguyen, Evan K.

**OCALA**

VANGUARD H. S.  
185 Miriyala, Mahan R.  
836 Shar, Andy

**ODESSA**

ODESSA CHRISTIAN SCHOOL  
000 Mazza, Yanni

**ORANGE PARK**

FLEMING ISLAND H. S.  
200 Heck, Maren J.  
000 Jordan, Elliot F.  
836 Leone, Isabella G.

**OAKLEAF H. S.**

000 Henderson, Caden J.

**ORLANDO**

BISHOP MOORE CATHOLIC H. S.  
450 Bradford, William S.  
628 Brasko, Brianna K.  
999 Bruscato, Enzo G.  
218 Hernandez-Davila, Sofia  
204 Lovely, Jack M.  
467 Rosmarin, Nathan J.  
000 Torres, Jason

**WILLIAM R. BOONE H. S.**

303 Slauter, John A.  
162 Stelmashenko, Abigail

**COLONIAL H. S.**

000 Moraes, Daniel B.

**CORNERSTONE CHARTER**

ACADEMY  
606 Fischer, Morgan L.

**FIRST ACADEMY**

000 Spalding, Lauren A.

**LAKE HIGHLAND**

**PREPARATORY SCHOOL**

999 Ansari, Ahad H.  
166 Chang, Ayei E.  
209 Chen, Alan B.  
628 Demartino, Robert Marius  
000 Hipp, Pierce T.  
455 JeBailey, Khalil M.  
999 Lightman, David R.  
000 Lightman, Isaac R.  
999 Makkena, Taneesh  
450 Mariash, Samuel J.  
160 Phillips, Kheli B.  
201 Rathbun, Matthew C.  
906 Schaked, Max D.  
630 Steadman, Sarah E.  
000 Ward, Nicole E.  
000 Zhou, Jeffrey Y.

**LAKE NONA H. S.**

454 Kwun, Haejean B.  
456 McInerney, Kieran  
450 Ventura, Gabriel

**OAK RIDGE H. S.**

000 Torres, Anthony C.

**OLYMPIA H. S.**

450 Elliott, Lleyton S.  
185 Ouyang, Hui  
160 Patel, Ishaan  
000 Sheldon, Jacob N.  
000 Thomas, Ethan G.

**ORLANDO SCIENCE SCHOOLS**

160 Anthireddy, Nishi  
000 Kesineni, Harvik  
450 Le, Anthony N.  
450 Le, Minh Q.  
185 Lowe, Noah W.  
160 Mishra, Siyona

628 Modi, Bansari N.

169 Oconnor, Liam P.

**DR. PHILLIPS H. S.**

000 Belal, Sara M.  
833 Ghulldu, Simran S.  
000 Vazquez-Arroyo, Melanie

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