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More than 200 U-46 Seniors Named Illinois State Scholars

Students honored for their academic achievement

ELGIN - In recognition of their academic performance, more than 200 seniors at School District U-46's five comprehensive high schools received the designation of Illinois State Scholars. The award reflects approximately the top 10 percent of academic achievers among the Class of 2023 in Illinois.

A total of 214 students at Elgin, Bartlett, Larkin, South Elgin, and Streamwood high schools recently received notification of the honor from the Illinois Student Assistance Commission, the state program that administers the scholar program and works to make college more affordable through financial aid planning.

"We are extremely proud of our students for demonstrating dedication and discipline in achieving academic excellence," said Lela Majstorovic, Assistant Superintendent of Schools. "We also recognize our teachers, counselors, mentors, and family members who supported our students as they worked to meet their goals."

The U-46 honorees were among approximately 16,700 students from across the state who earned the designation, which was first introduced in 1958. The scholars are selected based on a formula that includes a combination of ACT/SAT test scores, class rank (if the school ranks) or the unweighted GPA (if the school does not rank), and class size.

The Illinois State Scholar designation is a non-monetary award. State Scholars receive a congratulatory letter and a certificate of achievement. They also receive a digital "badge" noting their award that can be displayed

on social media platforms or shared through online profiles with friends and family as well as prospective colleges or employers.

The 2023 State Scholars from School District U-46 are listed below by high school:

Bartlett High School

Jazib Ahmed	Emily Gillmore	Garv Patel
Aaron David Amawan	Hannah Guerra	Khushi Patel
Hadi Ata	Amber Guintu	Krish Patel
Nathaniel Bauman	Jamie Herena	Kush Patel
Vishwa Bhatt	Cameron Humphreys	Niyati Patel
Samantha Blanchard	Monica Jaeger	Om Patel
Ryan Bodhanwala	Aylin Jaimes	Preet Patel
Michael Bolanowski	Di Lan Johnson	Viraj Patel
Mauricio Bortolussi Rangel	Joshua Klapperich	Yuva Patel
Jillian Burkhart	Adam Koniecko	Ezra Raj
Troy Cai	Addison Koth	Matt Ratanapitaksuk
Ian Xavier Caoili	Arissa Kramer	Pujaba Rathod
Tej Chaudhari	Daniel Krulak	Samantha Salvato
Jainil Chauhan	Maksym Lavriy	Lucas Sanson
Vidhi Chavda	Matthew Luczak	Rainielle Seriosa
Farhan Chowdhury	Anna Maziarka	Nitya Shah
Christian Corona	Spencer Medendorp	Ronin Shah
Melanie Croix	Amina Mohammed	Mann Sheth
Ethan Curran	Lauren Neidlinger	Arjun Sivasankaran



Lindsay Debuhr	Alexa Nelson	Lorelai Thompson
Sophia Desarden	Evelyn Nguyen	Emmanuel Tranquilino
Jesse Dinh	William O'Brien	Gavin Trongnetpanya
Joshua Dinh	Karolina Olechna	Chloe Weeks
Justin Dyser	Mishka Parashar	Matthew Wojcik
Nathan Emro	Anissa Patel	Ravinia Zillmer
Faizan Faisal	Asmita Patel	
Eric Fox	Deeya Patel	

Elgin High School

Sadira Ali	Micah Giovenco	Diya Patel
Jack Allen	Natalia Gomez	Kishan Patel
Katherine Altergott	Sabrina Gomez	Mahi Patel
Ishita Amin	Caleb Greenberg	Mouna Penumarthy
Ian Edgar Arceo	Meredith Henry	Kathleen Polli
Maahi Bhavsar	Muhammad Hussain	Sahaar Rahman
Ava Blalark	Naomi Johnson	Nayely Sandoval
Nicholas Bond	Christa Kim	Giulia Scimonelli
Jude Bryan	Jonathan Miranda	Emma Sherman
Madeline Conter	Owen Musser	Stephanie Skrabacz
Adam Culver	Jacob Niemisto	Jiya Soni
Manbir Dhanoa	Daisy Nieto Sifuentes	Shreeya Thakur
Francisco Dominguez Buenrostro	Katelyn Ohnemus	Jocelyn Thammavongsa



Elijah Eggers

Fatima Pantoja Lara

Cole Weiler

Juan Garcia

Aadi Patel

Jessica Wong

Larkin High School

Anthony Clark

Matthew Kelly

Kelly Stoffle

Madelyn Dobbeck

Juanita Olivo

Emily Talavera

Hannah Durrant

Brooke Pallan

Brianna Trejo

Mateo Estanislao

South Elgin High School

Mary Abraham

Megan Fitzpatrick

Kishan Patel

Eli Arnold

Gabrielle Flynn

Angel Perez

Ryan Becker

Tyler Giczkowski

Taylor Picha

Trevor Boston

Kathleen Gillespie

Jayden Li Pineda

Kylie Broderick

Shaun Gillespie

Kale Rodgers

Piotr Brozek

Patrick Gryzik

Andrew Rossini

Thomas Cabrera

Angelica Harris

Sara Rygula

Jacob Cavallini

Preston Harris

John Skwirblies

Genevieve Cavallo

Sean Harvey

Lily Slowinski

Daniel Cerone

Justin Hoffman

Emma Smith

Nolan Chansophy

Lauren Howe

Srisakthi Srinivasan

Kabir Chaudhry

Charlotte Jahnke

Kyle Steinhofer

Kallie Christopherson

Riya Kadapla

Andrew Strama



Katelyn Cole	Riley Kline	Colton Tredup
Ayra Davuluri	Joseph Maish	Brooke Vo
Janelle Defensor	Jaider Moreno	Dixon Wagner
Vito Di Vietro	Matthew Murphy	Cullen Watt
Erica Domingo	Morgan Nash	Jaelan Williby
Ellie Draus	James Park	Alyssa Worden
Genevieve Edwards	Abhi Patel	Kaile Yang
Isabella Edwards	Kian Patel	

Streamwood High School

Anthony Abrilla	Juan Garcia	Daniel Nevarez
Hanna Alakkatt	Cristian Gonzalez	Victor Perez Garcia
Gregory Baraks	Sidney Johnson	Natalie Perez
Stacy Boschan	Karina Landeros	Jessica Rosales
Madeline Cruz	Gabrielle Malpartida	Kate Tukiendorf
Lily Ende	Casandra Medina	Nicolas Veltkamp

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School District U-46 serves families in 11 communities: Bartlett, Elgin, Hanover Park, South Elgin, Streamwood and Wayne, as well as portions of Carol Stream, Hoffman Estates, St. Charles, Schaumburg, and West Chicago. In total, the District encompasses 90 square miles within the Fox River Valley, approximately 45 minutes west of downtown Chicago, and includes communities within Cook, DuPage and Kane counties. More than 35,000 preschoolers through 12th graders attend the 57 District schools and



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