

2018 U.S. Presidential Scholars

[*] An asterisk indicates a Presidential Scholar in the Arts

[**] Two asterisks indicate a Presidential Scholar in Career and Technical Education

Alabama

AL - Dylan E. Campbell, Mobile - McGill-Toolen Catholic High School

[**] AL - Zackery C. Love, Talladega - Talladega High School

AL - Sarah Zhao, Birmingham - Vestavia Hills High School

Alaska

AK - Birch J. Boyer, Anchorage - Polaris K-12 School

AK - Ana Stringer, Barrow - Barrow High School

American Abroad

AA - Ayden J. Kemp, APO - Ramstein American High School

AA - Mansi Totwani, St. Thomas - Antilles School

Arizona

AZ - Seoyoon Kim, Phoenix - BASIS Peoria

[**] AZ - Lana H. Mohamed, Peoria - Centennial High School

AZ - Aditya Sivakumar, Phoenix - BASIS PHOENIX

Arkansas

AR - Jon C. Boekhout, Hot Springs - Hot Springs World Class High School

AR - Anika Mittal, Blytheville - KIPP Blytheville Collegiate High School

[**] AR - Ashley Turner, Maumelle - Maumelle High School

California

CA - Maggie S. Chen, San Diego - Canyon Crest Academy

[*] CA - Jacqueline He, San Jose - Harker School

CA - Jake Kim, Newbury Park - Westlake High School

[*] CA - Sanna Legan, Los Angeles - New Roads School

[*] CA - Anilee List, Los Angeles - Los Angeles County High School for the Arts

CA - Advait Patil, San Jose - Lynbrook High School

Colorado

CO - Siddharth M. Mane, Greenwood Village - Cherry Creek High School

CO - Isani Singh, Aurora - Cherry Creek High School

CO - Chelsea Wang, Fort Collins - Fossil Ridge High School

Connecticut

CT - Cole Marcuccio, Canton - Canton Jr-Sr High School

CT - Michelle Woo, Riverside - Greenwich High School

Delaware

DE - Michael Z. Chen, Newark - Newark Charter Junior/Senior High School

DE - Grace Gong, Newark - Charter School of Wilmington

District of Columbia

DC - Michael Adeyi, Washington - Sidwell Friends School

DC - Samantha C. O'Sullivan, Washington - School Without Walls

Florida

FL - Sidhika Balachandar, Gainesville - Buchholz High School

[*] FL - James Balo, Miami - Design & Architecture Senior High School

[*] FL - Elena Gonzalez, Cutler Bay - New World School of the Arts

[*] FL - Ishmael Gonzalez, Hialeah - New World School of the Arts

[**] FL - Caroline Hanson, Youngstown - Deane Bozeman School

FL - Tamim Kawakibi, Pensacola - Pensacola High School

FL - Grant J. LoPresti, Lutz - George M. Steinbrenner High School

Georgia

GA - Keaton P. Coletti, Bogart - North Oconee High School

GA - Paul M. Matesevac, Lawrenceville - Collins Hill High School

GA - Minjung Yu, Watkinsville - Oconee County High School

Hawaii

HI - Mylia H. Briggs, Kapolei - Kapolei High School

HI - Davey Huang, Honolulu - Iolani School

HI - Isabelle J. Rhee, Honolulu - Punahou School

Idaho

ID - Jack A. Lauer, Boise - Boise High School

ID - Tia T. Vierling, Moscow - Moscow High School

Illinois

[**] IL - Connor K. Erbsen, Lanark - Eastland High District 308

[*] IL - David Hou, Hawthorn Woods - Adlai E. Stevenson High School

IL - Ibraheem Khan, Chicago - Northside College Preparatory High School

IL - Audrey Pettigrew, Chicago - Walter Payton College Preparatory School

Indiana

IN - Susan Chen, Fort Wayne - Homestead High School

[**] IN - Lane Hilgenhold, Tell City - Perry Central Community School

IN - Harrison Knable, New Albany - New Albany High School

Iowa

[**] IA - Hermela Gebremariam, Fairfield - Fairfield Community High School

IA - Caleb L. Lines, Nashua - Nashua Plainfield High School

IA - Sophia Xiao, Bettendorf - Pleasant Valley High School

Kansas

KS - Gabriel J. Gress, Overland Park - Blue Valley High School

KS - Neeharika Kothapalli, Overland Park - Blue Valley West High School

Kentucky

[*] KY - Aaron Choate, Lexington - Lafayette Senior High School

KY - Kasey C. Fields, Lexington - Lafayette Senior High School

KY - Zsombor T. Gal, Lexington - Paul Laurence Dunbar High School

KY - David W. Ma, Lexington - Paul Laurence Dunbar High School

Louisiana

LA - Erina M. Buchholz, Baton Rouge - Baton Rouge Magnet High School

LA - Dakota W. Simpson, Shreveport - Caddo Parish Magnet High School

Maine

ME - Gregory A. Pershing, Cumberland - Greely High School

ME - Grace E. Roberts, South Portland - Cape Elizabeth High School

Maryland

MD - Sreya Vangara, Germantown - Poolesville Senior High School

MD - Michael Yin, Rockville - Montgomery Blair High School

Massachusetts

MA - Samantha C. Alves, Mansfield - Noble and Greenough School

MA - Moriah G. Lim, North Attleboro - North Attleboro High School

Michigan

MI - Tanner L. Bonner, Dearborn Heights - Annapolis High School

[*] MI - Nathan Ginter, Kalamazoo - Interlochen Arts Academy

[**] MI - Mikal Goodman, Pontiac - Arts and Technology of Pontiac

[**] MI - Caitlin Henne, Eaton Rapids - Springport High School

MI - Neha Seshadri, Ann Arbor - Skyline High School

[**] MI - Veena Thamilselvan, Farmington Hills - Harrison High School

Minnesota

MN - Julia B. Luehr, Chanhassen - Minnetonka High School

MN - Hyun Soo Song, Edina - Breck School

Mississippi

MS - Tyler A. Jackson, Gulfport - Saint Patrick Catholic High School

MS - Wei Li, Vancleave - Vancleave High School

Missouri

MO - Alexander W. Donovan, Chesterfield - Mary Institute and St. Louis Country Day School

MO - Michelle Li, Ballwin - Marquette High School

Montana

[**] MT - Tyler Noyes, Toston - Broadwater High School
MT - Devin J. Seyler, Clancy - Helena High School
MT - Emma G. Sihler, Helena - Helena High School

Nebraska

[**] NE - Hunter Guru, Lincoln - Lincoln East High School
NE - Jae Hyun Lim, Lincoln - Lincoln Southwest High School
NE - Jenna Y. Mu, Omaha - Brownell-Talbot School

Nevada

NV - Andrew T. Wang, Henderson - Clark High School
[*] NV - Alisha M. Yi, Las Vegas - Clark High School
NV - Leah Yim, Las Vegas - West Career and Technical Academy

New Hampshire

NH - Vinjai S. Vale, Exeter - Phillips Exeter Academy
NH - Tiffany White, Barnstead - Prospect Mountain High School

New Jersey

NJ - Katherine Dai, Glen Rock - Academy for Medical Science Technology
NJ - Isaac Hart, Glen Rock - Glen Rock High School
[*] NJ - Noah Lee, Oakland - Don Bosco Preparatory High School
[**] NJ - Alexandra Poret, Sparta - Sparta High School
[**] NJ - Deven Singh, Manalapan - Monmouth Academy of Allied Health & Sciences

New Mexico

NM - Alexandra K. Mauritsen, Artesia - Artesia High School
NM - Jorrell Mirabal, Magdalena - Magdalena High School

New York

NY - Jade Carvalho, Smithtown - Hauppauge High School
NY - Charles T. Curnin, Rye - Rye Country Day School Upper School

North Carolina

NC - Nithya S. Adusumilli, Cary - Raleigh Charter High School
NC - Ronak Bhagia, Charlotte - Providence Day School
NC - Jack M. Swanson, Morganton - Freedom High School
[*] NC - Jace A. Weyant, Clemmons - North Carolina School of the Arts

North Dakota

ND - Marissa R. Diggs, Oakes - Oakes High School
[**] ND - Brianna D. Maddock, Davenport - Kindred High School
ND - Nidhi T. Mahale, Fargo - Davies High School
ND - Isaac S. Spanjer, Fargo - North High School

Ohio

OH - Nathaniel J. Boerner, Cincinnati - Boerner Home School
[*] OH - Natalie Choo, Cincinnati - Seven Hills Upper School
OH - Emily G. Dietz, Zanesville - Maysville High School
OH - Nicholas D. Maxwell, Granville - Granville High School
[*] OH - Shreyah Mohanselman, New Albany - Columbus Academy

Oklahoma

OK - Michael P. Gehr, Edmond - Heritage Hall Upper School
OK - Michael Mandanas, Edmond - Heritage Hall Upper School
OK - Jamie E. Marrara, Claremore - Oologah High School

Oregon

OR - Brian Josephson, Medford - South Medford High School
[*] OR - Ameya Okamoto, Portland - The Catlin Gabel School
OR - Raley Schweinfurth, Portland - Oregon Episcopal School

Pennsylvania

PA - Aryaman Khandelwal, Breinigsville - Parkland High School
[*] PA - William McGregor, Malvern - PA Leadership Charter School
PA - Pranshu Suri, Bryn Mawr - The Baldwin School

Puerto Rico

PR - Diego F. Gonzalez-Lizardi, San Juan - St. John's School
PR - Cristina M. Trapaga, Dorado - Tasis School in Dorado

Rhode Island

RI - Portia T. Gaitskell, Barrington - Lincoln School
[**] RI - Sherenté M. Harris, Charlestown - Metro Regional Career & Tech Center
RI - Jordan C. Kimia, Providence - Classical High School

South Carolina

[*] SC - Aidan Forster, Taylors - South Carolina Governor's School for Arts & Humanities
SC - Robert D. Rush, Conway - Conway High School
SC - Jenny J. Yao, Mount Pleasant - Academic Magnet High School

South Dakota

[**] SD - Bridger J. Gordon, Whitewood - Sturgis High School
SD - Oscar Kavanagh, Brookings - Brookings High School
SD - Ruhama Tereda, Sioux Falls - Washington High School

Tennessee

TN - Rachel M. Fan, Memphis - White Station High School
TN - Chapman D. Finn, Franklin - Battle Ground Academy

Texas

TX - Micheal Brown, Houston - Mirabeau B Lamar Senior High School
TX - Katherine Lei, Plano Senior High School - Plano Senior High School
TX - Sonesh Patel, Austin - Vandegrift High School
TX - Syamantak Payra, Friendswood - Clear Brook High School
[*] TX - Emir Price, Dallas - Booker T. Washington High School for the Performing & Visual Arts
TX - Mikayla C. Slaydon, San Augustine - San Augustine High School

Utah

[**] UT - Kael Berkley, Heber City - Wasatch High School
[**] UT - Lydia Day, Orem - Timpanogos High School
UT - Annelisa Kingsbury-Lee, Salt Lake City - West High School
UT - Riley J. Lewis, Payson - Salem Hills High School
[**] UT - Kanishka Ragula, Salt Lake City - Skyline High School

Vermont

VT - Mary C. Markley, Burlington - Burlington High School
VT - Walker C. Randall, Waitsfield - Harwood Union High School

Virginia

VA - Kavya Kopparapu, Herndon - Thomas Jefferson High School for Science & Technology
VA - Mihir Patel, Great Falls - Thomas Jefferson High School for Science & Technology
VA - Marissa Sumathipala, Ashburn - Broad Run High School

Washington

WA - Dana Berejka, Mercer Island - Mercer Island High School
WA - Grant Hugh, Shoreline - Lakeside School

West Virginia

WV - Brady D. Hanshaw, Charleston - Sissonville High School
WV - Vinitha Joseph, Morgantown - Morgantown High School

Wisconsin

WI - Charles X. Hua, Middleton - West High School
[*] WI - Xavier Lightfoot, Milwaukee - Pius XI Catholic High School
WI - Nabeel J. Quryshi, Mequon - University School of Milwaukee
[*] WI - Julian Rhee, Brookfield - Brookfield East High School
WI - Sophia F. Sun, Brookfield - Brookfield Central High School

Wyoming

WY - Harriet W. Pimentel, Powell - Powell High School
WY - Rhett Pimentel, Powell - Powell High School