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MCC awards 157 scholarships to high school seniors

OMAHA, Neb. — Metropolitan Community College's Board of Governors awarded 157 scholarships to outstanding high school seniors in MCC's four-county area yesterday at a reception held at the South Omaha Campus. This year marks the largest number of Board of Governors scholarships given in the over 40-year history of the College.

Students in Dodge, Douglas, Sarpy and Washington counties were selected to receive the scholarship based on academic excellence. Recipients displayed academic success in cumulative GPA or by high class rank. This MCC award covers tuition charges for two years (eight consecutive quarters) for up to 18 credits per quarter.

Accelere Program

Keshanin Pagobo

Bellevue East High School

Summer Baker, Sydney Baker, Quinnton May

Bellevue West High School

Alexander Benz, Mystie Bracken, Nina Fisher, Kimberly Gau, Rachel Giles, Andrea Labenz, Julia Miller, Karina Mora, Chad Proksel, William Secrist, April Thomas

Benson High School

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Blair High School

Derek Acker, Warren Austin, Anna Camden, Kaitlyn Coon, Samantha Creamer, Jessica Fredericksen, Jackson Radloff, Carmela Smith, Aubrey Street, Molly Walsh, Adam Warne, Joshua Warne

Boys Town High School

Jaleel Edmunds, Amy Hernandez-Loarca, Nicholas Scarpino Vestal

Bryan High School

Hanna Chantry, Jessica Cipriano-Ponce, Bryanna Copenharve, Donald Nekola, Shelby Peterson, Diana Ramirez, Luis Romero Hernandez

Burke High School

Mario Cervantes-Mendoza, Courtney Cresto, Julissa Hernandez, Hannah Holcomb, Chasity Kracht, Bailey Pope, Daniel Roman-Salgado, Jordan Warren, Gabriella Yabut

Central High School

Isabel Chavez, Brianna Conyers-Lester, Jonathan Giron, Christopher Guhde

Daniel J. Gross Catholic High School

Benjamin White

Douglas County West High School

David Van Vleet

Elkhorn High School

Amelia Abel, Shiloh Schmid

Elkhorn South High School

Hannah Birdwell, Jackson Eisenbrown, Sienna Smith

Fort Calhoun High School

Samatha Garcia, Emilie Halford, Heather Remm, Sarah Rife

Fremont High School

Morgan Giesick, Sedona Kadavy, Amy Law, Sarah Leeper, Mariah McNulty, Petra Nolan, Samatha Stieren

Gretna High School

Samuel Aldrich, Salvatore Campisi, Joy Cotton, Kathleen Giebler, Eric Ham, Evan Ham, Doria Linhardt, Corey Mayer, Jayden Mowinkel, Trev Paulsen, Ben Pearson, Zachary Wiese

Homeschool

Benjamin Barton, Jessica Batchelor, Rachel Grady, Riley Huff, Andrew Lawson, Stephen Lawson, Nathan Moench, Nathan Pruitt, Tobin Pruitt, Emily Schwager, Eric Werther Jr., Meghan Will

Logan View High School

Victor Jimenez

Marian High School

Mary Hilton

Millard North High School

Justin McMahon, Luke Watne

Millard South High School

Andrea Burke, Keelee Case, Ashley Hopkins, Marissa Melhorn, Nathan Mersch, Joseph Prochaska, Alexis Ritonya, Felipe Rodriguez, Taylor Tylkowski, Erica Urbach

Millard West High School

Owen Azevedo, Jordan Biniamow, Erin Hillabrand, Emma Koehly, Mariah Koehly, Krista Pedersen, Kyle Reeves, Brandon Rogers, Desiree Zimmerman

Mount Michael Benedictine High School

Andrew Whitaker

North High Magnet School

Ryan Brown, Brandee Fisher, Daniel Griswold, Skyler McClusky, Rahja Porter

Northwest High Magnet School

Alicia Blackwell, Messan Kluse, Aja St. John

Papillion La Vista High School

McKenzie Adams, Emily Emodi, Rachael Harris, Skylar Marode, Madeline Miller, Rachel Sherlock, Mason White

Papillion La Vista South High School

Emily Dornbusch, Samuel Downey, Kaitlynn Kraft, Joshua Kurlmel, Mariah Otten, Jonathan Rothe, Adam Smith, Evelyn Villalobos

Platteview High School

Breanna Armstrong, Delaney Bauer, Sarah Grubb, Devin Norris

Ralston High School

Jennifer Abrego, Annika Ellefson, Aginte Houndjoe, Andrea Young

Skutt Catholic High School

Amanda Sloup

South High Magnet School

Alisha Allen, Ramon Angeles-Rivera, Gage Hansen, Teresita Perez Cantero, Kasady Valadez, Malia White

Westside High School

Ean Baumgartner, Andrea Faucher

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Metropolitan Community College, accredited by the Higher Learning Commission, is a comprehensive, public community college that offers affordable, quality education to all residents of Dodge, Douglas, Sarpy and Washington counties. Founded in 1974, MCC has the largest enrollment out of six community colleges in Nebraska and is the second largest postsecondary institution in the state. MCC serves more than 40,000 unique credit and noncredit students.