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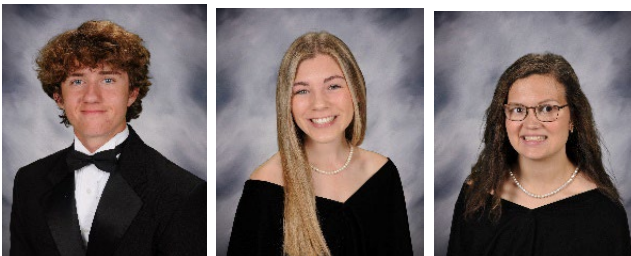
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HAEOP Announces Scholarship Winners

HOUSTON COUNTY, GA – The Houston Association of Educational Office Professionals (HAEOP) awarded 34 scholarships this year totaling \$34,000. The HAEOP selection committee chose the recipients based on grade point average, application responses and recommendation letters from teachers.

Congratulations to the following Class of 2022 graduates who received the scholarship.

Houston County High School (pictured from left)



- **Hannah Brewton** ~ She will be attending Valdosta State University and plans to major in Communication Disorders. After that, she plans to receive a Masters in Speech Pathology and work with children that have issues with speech and language.

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- **Brianna Bruner** ~ Brianna will attend Mercer University. She plans to pursue bachelor's in nursing. She would like to get her masters and Doctorate in Nursing in hopes to become a Pediatric Nurse Practitioner.
- **Carleigh Chastain** ~ She will be attending Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College and plans to pursue a bachelor's degree in Early Childhood Education.
- **Melissa Do** ~ Melissa will attend Georgia Tech and major in Biomedical Engineering. She would like to attend medical school and give back to her local community.
- **Kate Fitzgerald** ~ She will be attending Feed-Hardeman University to pursue a degree in Genetic Counseling or Physical Therapy. She would like to work in healthcare.
- **Bailey Jackson** ~ Bailey will be attending Berry College. She plans to pursue a doctorate in Animal Science and would like to work as a dairy geneticist doing both breeding and analyzing genetic mutants.
- **Padraig Littlefield** ~ He will attend Georgia Tech and pursue a degree in Electrical Engineering.
- **Emily Trent** ~ Emily will be attending Georgia Southern University. She plans to pursue a degree in Occupational Therapy.
- **Langley Yoh** ~ She will attend Georgia Southern University with plans to major in Exercise Science. She would like to become a Physical Therapist with a concentration in Allied Health.

Northside High School



- **Sheila Beas** ~ She will attend Kennesaw State University and plans to pursue a degree in Nursing. While pursuing her degree, she plans on working part-time in AQ-IQ compliance doing medical coding and auditing.
- **Ashlyn Cole** ~ Ashlyn will attend Georgia Military College and plans to major in Psychology.
- **Lexandria Richardson** ~ She will be attending the University of South Carolina and plans to double major in Finance and Musical Theatre. Her ultimate goal is to work in either in performing or business finance in a city such as New York.
- **Nicholas Sapp** ~ Nicholas will attend Kennesaw State University to pursue a degree in Nursing. Once he has received his nursing license, he plans on becoming a traveling nurse.
- **Aleanna Shealey** ~ She will attend Columbus State University and plans to pursue a bachelor's degree in Computer Science to become a game developer.
- **Micah Thurman** ~ Micah will attend West Georgia College and plans to pursue a degree in Physical Education. He would like to become a coach.

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Perry High School



- **Chelsea Billings** ~ She will be attending Augusta University and plans to pursue a bachelor's degree in Radiological Sciences with a concentration in Radiation Therapy.
- **Cadence Hall** ~ Cadence will attend Kennesaw State University and pursue a degree in Psychology. She is very eager to study the mind, how it works, and how it affects behavior.
- **Reagan Hughes** ~ She will be attending South Georgia State for two years and transfer to pursue a specialist degree in education.
- **Blythe Jones** ~ Blythe will attend the University of Georgia with plans to become a pharmacist. She would like to become a clinical pharmacist while keeping up with her musical hobbies.
- **Margaret Knapek** ~ She will be attending the University of Georgia and major in Regenerative Bioscience with a minor in Animal Science. She then plans to attend veterinary school and would like to establish an In Vitro Fertilization office alongside a mobile veterinary practice.
- **Brenna Mizell** ~ Brenna will be attending Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College to pursue a bachelor's degree and transfer to focus on a veterinary degree.
- **Preston Prater** ~ He will attend Auburn University and plans to pursue a bachelor's degree in mechanical engineering. He hopes to one day open an engineering firm and continue his entrepreneurial endeavors while serving and giving back to his community.
- **Avery Siegelman** ~ Avery will be attending Georgia Southern University to pursue a master's degree in Physical Therapy. After completion, she would like to move to Florida to work with college sports.

Veterans High School



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- **Shelby Hawthorne** ~ She will be attending the University of Georgia and will pursue her undergraduate degree in Pre-Dentistry. Upon completion of the pre-dentistry program, she hopes to attend Augusta University to join their dental program and eventually become an orthodontist.
- **Abigail Shepherd** ~ Abigail will attend Columbus State University and plans to pursue a degree in education to become a middle grades teacher. In the future, she hopes to become a high school counselor. She has a passion for helping young students reach their potential.
- **Avery Smith** ~ She will attend the University of North Georgia and plans to major in nursing. She would like to go on a mission trip in college and become a traveling nurse after college graduation.
- **Ryan Wilcox** ~ Ryan will be attending Kennesaw State University and would like eventually to have a career in the biology field.

Warner Robins High School



- **Johnathan Allen** ~ He will be attending Fort Valley State University and plans to pursue a bachelor's degree in Agricultural Engineering Technology.
- **Anna Bish** ~ Anna will attend Middle Georgia State University and is undecided on her major.
- **Nyran Dixon** ~ He will attend the University of Georgia to pursue a degree in Electrical Engineering and would like to own an engineering company in the future.
- **Natalia Galan** ~ Natalia will be attending Middle Georgia State University to complete her core classes majoring in Mathematics. She will pursue her secondary education degree at the University of Georgia.
- **Rianne Grosvenor** ~ She will attend the University of Augusta and plans to become a Physical Therapist or Orthopedic Surgeon.
- **Corey Petty** ~ Corey will be attending Tuskegee Institute of Technology. He plans to become a wide receiver and after retirement, would like to pursue a degree as an ophthalmologist.
- **Cameron Thrift** ~ He will attend the University of North Georgia and plans to pursue a degree in animal science to hopefully become a veterinarian.

The HAEOP is comprised of clerical staff across the school district. The scholarship funds are raised through fundraisers held throughout the year. For more information about this scholarship, please contact Brenda Arnett at (478) 929-7805.

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