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Educational Talent Search Atlanta - Newsletter





CONGRATULATIONS: A SALUTE TO THE CLASS OF 2020!

by President Obama

Yours comes as the world is turned upside down by a pandemic, and by a country that has been swept up by protest.

I can barely imagine how head-spinning these last few months have been for you. Just as winter was thawing and you were thinking about spring break, those of you who were away at college were either whisked home or stayed behind on a shuttered campus. Most of you had to finish semesters online — which had its ups and downs. You didn't have to worry about what you wore to class, but watching your teachers and professors try to work Zoom wasn't always pretty either. Either way, none of this is how any of you imagined finishing your final spring at school.

Even if we can't all gather in person, I want you to remember that a graduation ceremony doesn't celebrate just a moment in time. It's the culmination of all your years of learning — about the world and about yourself. The friends and family who supported you every step of the way — they aren't celebrating a piece of paper. They're celebrating you: how you've grown, the challenges you've overcome and the experiences you've shared. You can see that love in all the amazing ways that families have come up with their own at-home graduations, from drive-by parades to handmade yard signs.

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2020 GRADUATES

Therrel High School

Dacorian Bass Odom Dingle Samya Houessou **Asiah Hunte** Jamonte Jean **Destini Little Craig Mckenzie** Maya McQueen Sylas Mijarez Ciarra Moody **Leah Ray** Janletha Robinson **Dimya Smith** Jiteanna Smith **Wendy Teadoro Shawndell Turner** Malaika Walker **Kevin Williamson**



2020 GRADUATES!

Newnan High School

Sharon Anderson Kierra Andrews Shakayla Arnold Jesse Awaah **Quinterrius Bowles** Jameela Britt Jordan Chunn **Jayla Colton** Nicholas Grier De'Srial Henderson Tyashia Jimpson Keniah Lear **Kaylan Lewis Taylor McGinty** Deyja Melson **Nya Newson** Jasmine Stevenson **Precious Walker Zykerria Walker Ashley Williams** Calyria Williams Ta'Nyah Wright

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Osborne High School

Hannah Bland **Hannah Colebourn Dafne Degollado** Naomi Degollado **Brianna Delva** Makayla DeMund **Destiny Graham Faith Harper Micah Harris Kyron Lewis TaKia Martin Bianca Michel Thomas Miles Juan Montoya Abdul Rahman Brittany Richards Deija Suggs Litzy Torres Mercedes Torres Trinity Woods Quenesiah Youson**



2020 GRADUATES

South Cobb High School

Adebanji Bamidele Rosalinda Barragan **Aalejah Basile** Milton Castillo Jessica Hairston Skyla Heard **Nia Hicks Robert Hood** Deontae Jackson Jahdah Johnson **Zaria King Deondre Leftwitch Michael** Manzanares Semline Orelien Kayla Osborne Romer **Charles Purry Iclyn Smith Arely Solano Bryanna Woods**

APPLY FOR ETS TODAY!

As we continue to provide exceptional resources and aid to our TRiO students and partners, we would like to share a few ways you can help us stay on top. We are actively recruiting new students to join our program. Who better to serve as an ambassador for ETS than YOU!? Our application is now ONLINE and you can send it to a friend or a family member with the click of a button. We look forward to expanding our reach into our target schools and their surrounding communities!

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Target Schools

Bunche Middle School Evans Middle School Smokey Road Middle School Newnan High School
Osborne High School
South Cobb High School
Therrell High School



Help prevent the spread of respiratory diseases like COVID-19



Cover your cough or sneeze with a tissue, then throw the tissue in the trash.









HIGH SCHOOL CHECKLIST

Freshmen

- Enroll in college preparatory classes.
- Get involved in extracurricular activities.
- Volunteer in your community.
- Study, study, study. Every grade counts toward college acceptance and will be on your permanent record.
- Explore your career options.
- Start talking with your high school counselor about college, scholarships, career exploration, etc....
- Start attending events at local colleges (plays, sports, concerts, and activities of interest to

Sophomore

- Take the PLAN Test and the PSAT (as practice).
- Use the internet to explore college and career options.
- Attend college and career fairs.
- Get a job and start saving for college.
- Job shadow someone who has a career you're interested in.
- Stay involved in extracurricular activities and community service.
- Continue to study hard.
- Continue talking with your counselor about college, careers and your goals.

Junior

- This year is very important for your academic
- record. If you have fallen behind, this is the year to catch up. If you are doing well, keep at it.
- Help a senior search for scholarship information knowing that when you're done you'll get all their information when they are done.
- Take the PSAT in October.
- Attend ACT/SAT preparation workshops and get practice books, software, etc.
- Take the ACT
- Research and visit colleges (take campus tours and meet with advisors and faculty).
- Take elective courses geared toward college preparation (foreign language, extra math and science, and social sciences).
- Stay involved in extracurricular activities and community service.
- Take on leadership positions in organizations you

Senio

- Continue challenging yourself by taking solid elective courses (don't take blow-off classes, fight senioritis).
- Attend fairs and events at colleges you are interested in.
- Ask the opinions of adults you trust about careers, college, and success.
- Apply to universities as early as possible. The earlier you apply, the better your chances of getting accepted.
- Ask individuals to write letters of recommendation. Give them plenty of time and provide them with all a list of your accomplishments and activities.
- Apply for every scholarship you can. Ask your counselor for suggestions and research your options online.
- ♦ Take the ACT in Sept/Oct.
- Attend a financial aid workshop with your parents.

UNIVERSITY SYSTEM OF GEORGIA

The University System of Georgia (USG) will waive test score requirements for Spring, Summer and Fall 2021 admission due to uncertainty about the scheduling of SAT/ACT testing during the COVID-19 pandemic. USG made the decision after monitoring testing availability during the spring and summer, when multiple test date cancellations caused limited testing availability and negatively impacted students. This temporary adjustment will allow students to apply for Spring, Summer and Fall 2021 admission without submitting ACT or SAT scores. Students must still meet all other admission requirements, and must meet adjusted minimum grade point average eligibility thresholds for admission to each USG sector. Students who have SAT/ACT scores may still submit them.

For More Information visit https://www.usg.edu/coronavirus/usg_waives_tes t_score_requirement_for_spring_summer_fall_21



October 10, 2020**	ACT	September 17, 2020	September 25, 2020	October 23- December 4, 2020
October 17, 2020**	ACT	September 17, 2020	September 25, 2020	October 30- December 11, 2020
October 24, 2020	ACT	September 17, 2020	September 25, 2020	November 6- December 18, 2020
October 25, 2020**	ACT	September 17, 2020	September 25, 2020	November 6- December 18, 2020
November 7, 2020	SAT & Subject Tests	October 7, 2020	October 27, 2020	November 20, 2020
December 5, 2020	SAT & Subject Tests	November 5, 2020	November 24, 2020	December 18, 2020
December 12, 2020	ACT	November 6, 2020	November 20, 2020	December 25, 2020- February 5, Issu

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FREE MONEY

SEPTEMBER SCHOLARSHIPS

DEADLINES COMING SOON!

Scholarship Title	Amount	Due Date
AACP Express Scripts Scholarship	\$10,000	09/30/2020
Allegheny County Medical Society Medical Student Scholarship	\$4,000	09/30/2020
BBB Student of Integrity Scholarship - Minnesota & North Dakota	\$5,000	09/21/2020
Belli Memorial Endowment Scholarship	\$10,000	09/21/2020
Chick Evans Scholarship for Caddies	Varies	09/30/2020
College Photographer of the Year Award	\$1,000	09/22/2020
CollegeXpress \$1,000 Back to School Scholarship Contest	\$1,000	09/30/2020
Constituting America We The Future Contest	\$2,000	09/17/2020
Districts Make the Difference Video Contest	\$2,000	09/30/2020
Endowment for South Asian Students of Indian Descent Scholarship Fund	\$3,000	09/30/2020
Eric J. Gennuso and LeRoy D. (Bud) Loy Scholarship	\$2,500	09/27/2020
FSF Case Study Scholarship	\$5,000	09/30/2020
Golden Door Scholars	\$30,000	09/30/2020
<u>Lehigh County Medical Auxiliary's Scholarship and</u> <u>Education (LeCoMASE) Fund Scholarship</u>	\$2,500	09/30/2020
Lemelson-MIT Student Prize	\$15,000	09/25/2020
Lycoming County Medical Society Scholarship Fund	\$3,000	09/30/2020
Mac Hyde Brownfield Scholarship Program	\$2,000	09/30/2020
Michael F. O'Donnell Scholarship	\$5,000	09/30/2020
Michael Steinberg Fellowship for Creative Nonfiction	\$1,000	09/19/2020
Mitchell Scholarship	Varies	09/25/2020
Montgomery County Medical Society (MCMS) Scholarship	\$2,000	09/30/2020
Myrtle Siegfried, MD and Michael Vigilante, MD Scholarship Fund	\$2,000	09/30/2020
National Association of Women in Construction-Quad City, IL #50	Varies	09/30/2020
Niche \$1.000 September Scholarship	\$1.000	09/20/2020

Visit Site Below To See Full List

https://www.scholarships.com/financial-aid/collegescholarships/scholarshipdirectory/deadline/deadline-in-july

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