



2026 \$2,500 Merit Scholarship Winners

(Winners were randomly drawn at the June 28, 2026 Executive Board Meeting)

Gracie Airola
Oakdale, CA
District 30
Parent: Steven Airola

Kheysten Akana
Kapolei, HI
District 17
Parent: Louis Akana III

Sophia Alvarez
Ceres, CA
District 30
Parent: Jorge Alvarez

Gabriella Brazil
Livermore, CA
District 20
Parent: Gregory Brazil Jr.

Marc Raphael Dela Cruz
Waipahu, HI
District 17
Parent: Harold Hope L. Dela Cruz

Maria Jacquelyn De Haro
American Canyon, CA
District 04
Parent: Aaron De Haro

Haylee Green
Foresthill, CA
District 80
Parent: Michael Selvester

Myrsadies Hufford
McKinleyville, CA
District 40
Parent: Gregory Hufford

Lucas Huang
San Jose, CA
District 90
Parent: Ching-I Chou

Kailyn McCarthy
Brentwood, CA
District 20
Parent: Michael McCarthy

Indy Lau
Grass Valley, CA
District 80
Parent: Wayne Lau

Perla Lopez
San Lorenzo, CA
District 20
Parent: Heriberto Lopez

Gianna Lovell
Windsor, CA
District 10
Parent: Louis Lovell

Kayla Martin
Tracy, CA
District 30
Parent: Daniel Martin

Emma Murphy
South San Francisco, CA
District 01
Parent: Gavin Murphy

Eli Myrick
Elko, NV
District 11
Parent: Eli Myrick

Adah Nunez
San Pablo, CA
District 20
Parent: Hector Nunez

Ivan Orozco Castaneda
Newark, CA
District 20
Parent: Carlos Orozco Monroy

Jenkins Owen
Redwood City, CA
District 01
Parent: Noel K. Owen

James Reynolds
Middletown, CA
District 10
Parent: Charise Reynolds

Cash Rojo
Alameda, CA
District 20
Parent: Jason Rojo

Ava Ruiz
Patterson, CA
District 30
Parent: Abelino Ruiz

Kennedy Schmidli
Manteca, CA
District 30
Parent: Gregory Martz

William Stone
Crescent City, CA
District 40
Parent: Wayne Stone

Kahlia Vines
Gustine, CA
District 50
Parent: Ian Vines Jr.