

**NEWS
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Dripping Springs

INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT



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STUDENTS RECOGNIZED AS COMMENDED IN NATIONAL MERIT PROGRAM

DRIPPING SPRINGS, Texas—Dripping Springs High School Principal Joe Burns announced that 18 students have been recognized as “Commended” in the 2018 National Merit Program. In addition, three were selected as National Merit Semifinalists, as announced recently.

To be chosen as Commended Scholar, students must have placed among the top five percent of more than 1.5 million students nationally who took the PSAT/NMSQT. Approximately 34,000 Commended Scholars are being recognized nationwide.

Commended students from Dripping Springs High School are:

Meredith Anderson
Emily Barefield
Nikhil Clayton
Emily Curran
Logan Dundon
Ravelle Dundon
Aili Edwards
Ashley Fitzpatrick
David Garcia
Gracie Griffin
Abigail Martin
Eli McIntire-Gavlick
Mathew McKiddie
William Nix
Sean O'Connor
Christopher Schaefer
Hannah Tomashek
Mark Tressler
Cameron Wilson

These students will be honored at the Oct. 23 DSISD Board of Trustees meeting.

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