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Fresno Unified Scholarship Recipients Honored at Banquet

What: Fresno Unified Scholarship recipients will be honored at a banquet in front of family and friends

When: Tuesday, May 8, 2018
6 – 8 p.m.

Where: Golden Palace Banquet Hall
2625 W. Vassar Ave. (93705)

Fresno Unified is thrilled to honor 46 Fresno Unified Scholarship recipients at a special awards banquet. The district will award $61,000 in scholarships -- ranging from $1,000 to $2,500 -- from a fund established in 2009. The scholarships are made possible by generous donations from the community and district employees, with the State of Education luncheon in the fall the largest single fundraiser for the scholarships. The students who are receiving scholarships have overcome numerous roadblocks during their education journey, including family tragedies, extreme poverty and language barriers.

“It is an honor and a privilege to be able to reward these outstanding students with a Fresno Unified Scholarship. We hope these scholarships will ease their burden a bit and support the next step in their educational journey,” said Superintendent Bob Nelson.

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