

MARIE MAXEY FOUNDATION



Bryant High School Awards Ceremony – Michael Maxey w/
Scholarship Recipients – June 3, 2022



Donors for Scholarship Program: Tom & Eleanor Geiger, David
Bathrick, Bob St. Thomas with Dr. Christopher Larrick, Principal &
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Jennifer Cisneros – Elena Bathrick Memorial Scholarship

Jennifer plans to continue her studies in psychology at NOVA and transfer to George Mason. Her goal is to become a bilingual psychologist and open her own practice. She wants to be role model for her siblings and show her patients it is possible to follow their dreams. Jennifer is active at Bryant, participating in the Student Leadership Club, playing in the basketball tournament, and volunteering as a translator at the Career Fair this year. She maintains a 4.0 GPA and earned platinum academic awards. In addition, Jennifer works 20-25 hours per week. Jennifer’s teachers say that she is “dedicated to continuing her learning,” and “she never shies away from a challenge and takes pride in setting an example of academic and school leadership.” Jennifer maintains a busy work/family life to prepare for an opportunity for success at NOVA.

Katherine Alcantara - Dilian Deal Memorial Scholarship

Katherine has always wanted to be part of the healthcare industry and has decided to pursue her dream of becoming a nurse. She is a member of the Student Leadership Club and has helped as an interpreter at the career fair this year. Katherine has received platinum and gold academic awards and has been recognized for her attendance. In addition, she works 25 hours per week. Katherine is a hard-working student and advocates for herself. A teacher says, “I am certain that Katherine will serve her community in a capacity that reflects her caring nature and her willingness to be helpful where she is needed.”

Thameli Bustamante - Kraig Baier Memorial Scholarship

Thameli Bustamante plans to become a medical assistant and continue her education to pursue a degree in nursing at NOVA. Thameli loves helping people and wants to become a nurse to serve her community. Thameli participates in the Student Leadership Club and enjoys volunteering in her community. Her teachers describe her as kind, hardworking, focused, creative, and actively engaged in learning.

Carlos Galicia Lucero – Chris Goughnour Scholarship

Carlos was born in Horcones, Guatemala on December 3, 2003. He initially attended elementary school in Guatemala. In October 2010, Carlos came to the United States at the age of 11. He immediately enrolled in Bailey’s Elementary School in Falls Church where he started learning English. He went on to attend Glasgow Middle School, Justice High School, and graduated early from Bryant High School in February 2022. Carlos is a resilient, hardworking young man who longs to own his own HVAC company. He will be enrolling in the HVAC certification program in the fall.