

Gary Educational Development Foundation, Inc.

Press Release: 2023 GEDF Scholarship Awards

About the Foundation

The Gary Educational Development Foundation, Inc. has been awarding Scholarships to deserving Gary Community School Corporation students since 1975. Thanks to the vision and dedicated support of Fred Ford, Gordon McAndrew, YJean Chambers, Joe Torres, Montague Oliver, Haron J. and Ruth Battle, Richard Bass, Fred Eichorn, Sandra Irons, Sam Bianco, Paul Stephens, Nellie Moore and Barbara Cope the Foundation continues to thrive. We are grateful to our Board of Directors, Guidance Counselors and Scholarship Review Committee for their gracious volunteer service. We would not be where we are today without our faithful donors - private citizens, local businesses, educators, GCSC Staff, Alumni Clubs and Bequests. Our total Scholarship awards exceed \$100,000 in new and renewing Scholarship funds. Additionally, we granted nearly \$10,000 to Gary Community School Corporation teachers and students for enrichment programs and activities. We congratulate our 2023 graduates and wish them continued success!

	son, Executive Director	
Recipient	College/Univ.	Scholarship
Nala Bell	Purdure FT Wayne	Gary Rotary-Ban Yarrington Scholarship 1-Year
		Ritchard A. & Susan Watkins Scholarship 1-Year
		Frankie Woods McCullough Foreign Language Scholarship 1-Year
Jerrina Bernard	Kentucky State Univ.	SODEXO Culinary Arts Scholarship 2-Year
TyLeah Boyd	IUN	The Academic Promise Scholarship 1-Year
		Herschel B. Davis Scholarship 1-Year
		Warren M. Anderson SS Scholarship for Roosevelt 1-Year
Buckhana Jr., Fred	Purdue Northwest	Omega Psi Phi Fraternity Scholarship 1-Year
Lebarron Burton	Wiberforce Univ.	NAACP Life Membership Scholarship 4-Year
Halle Bradley	Full Sail Univ.	Dr. Haron J. Battle 4-Year Scholarship
	run san Univ.	Leolean Powers 4-Year Scholarship
		Herbert A., Maudie C. Dixon & Jacqueline Ross Scholarship for Roosevelt
Caleb Cheatham	Indiana State Univ.	Marcus Dinkins Scholarship 1-Year
Carco Cheathain	mdiana State Oniv.	Archie Williams & Arnold Williams Scholarship 1-Year
Chenyze DeBerry	Northern Illinois Univ.	Edgar A. Harrison Sr. Scholarship - 1-Year
Chenyze Deberry	Northern minors only.	Roy L. Parham Technology Education Scholarship 1-Year
		AKA Twenty Pearls Scholarship 1-Year
Milton Green	IUPUI	Gary Education and Leadership Alliance (GELA) 2-Year Scholarship
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		KIWANIS Eskilson/Tuchek/Tyler Scholarship 1-Year Roosevelt Alumni Associate Scholarship 1-Year
Israel Hines	Ball State Univ.	
Rayna Houston	Ball State Univ.	Ruth L. Battle Scholarship 1-Year
	I. I' Otata II.i.	Rev. Julius James Scholarship 1-Year
	Indiana State Univ.	GHA Commissioner's One Year Scholarship
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Amiya Kimble	Clark Atlanta Univ.	Charles M. "Cricket" Haney, Sr. 2- Year Scholarship
Jasmine King	IU Bloomington	Evette Lyles Pharm.D. Scholarship 1-Year
		Bernice T. Bozeman Scholarship 1-Year
		Eva Gray's Promise SS Scholarship for Roosevelt 1-Year
		William A. Wirt Citywide Scholarship for Roosevelt 1-Year
		Superintendent's Citywide Scholarship for West Side 1-Year
Danielle Kuykendall	Indiana State Univ.	MaeDella Parham Scholarship 1-Year
		Dr. Carrie B. Dawson Scholarship 1-Year
		Charles O. & Mary Smith Scholarship 1-Year
		Watkins' Family New Mt. Moriah MB Church Scholarship 1-Year
JaQuila Love	Atlanta Univ.	Dr. Montague Oliver Scholarship 1-Year
Dorleasha Manyfield	Purdue Univ.	John Lee Howard Scholarship 1-Year
		Gary 75th Anniversary Scholarship 1-Year
		Barbara Leek Wesson SS Scholarship for Roosevelt 1-Year
Kayla Martin	Purdue Northwest	GHA Al Thomas Scholarship 1-Year
		GHA Resident's Initiative 1-Year
De'Eric Mister	Univ. of Minnesota	Laidlaw/Vancom Bus Scholarship 1-Year
		Delta Sigma Theta Sorority Scholarship 1-Year
		Robert E. Jones SS Scholarship for Roosevelt 1-Year
LaMiya Newell	IU Bloomington	John & Celeste Betjamann Schoarship 2-Year
	J	Justice Thurgood Marshall Scholarship 1-Year
		The Butcher Scholarship 1-Year
		H. Theo Tatum SS Scholarship for Roosevelt
Гапiya Noel	Unknown	Jesse O. Harris, Jr. Scholarship 1-Year
Javarla Sanders	Purdue FT Wayne	Sharon Kaplan Scholarship 1-Year
		Patricia "Penny" Williams Scholarship 1-Year
DeVonte Smith	Trine Univ.	Great Lakes Broadcasting Scholarship 1-Year
		Dr. Rev. Robert Lowery Scholarship 1-Year
		Powers & Sons Construction Co. Scholarship 4-Year
Γa'Liya Smith	IUN	Gary Board of Realtors Scholarship - 1-Year
Mariah Swain	Alabama State Univ.	Urban Ventures Scholarship 4-Year
Ronald Thompson	Unknown	KAPPA ALPHA PSI Fraternity, Inc. 1-Year
Kinaya Upshaw	Tennessee State Univ.	Tennessee State Univ. Scholarship -1-Year
	Tomicosco State Only.	Friends of Thomas Crump Scholarship 2-Year
		Superintendent's Citywide Scholarship for Roosevelt 1-Year
		Anner H.& Johnnie Barnes 1-Year for West Side
		Julius A. Stratton Scholarship for West Side 1-Year
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Quynci Williams	Dan State Univ.	Clifford & Alma Minton Scholarship 2-Year William A. Wirt Citywide Scholarship for West Side 1 Year
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