



YORKTOWN CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

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News Release

Yorktown Schools Students Receive College Board Advanced Placement Recognition.

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Fifty seven Yorktown students have earned the designation of AP scholars by the College Board in recognition of their exceptional achievement on the college level Advanced Placement Program (AP) exams.

Students took the AP exams in May of 2007 after completing challenging college level courses in Yorktown High School.

One Yorktown student, Joseph Crivelli, qualified for the prestigious award of National Scholar. This is the highest award given to students who receive an average grade of at least 4 in all AP exams taken, and grades of 4 or higher on eight or more of these exams.

Twenty two students received "Scholar with Distinction" awards by scoring an average grade of at least 3.5 on all AP exams taken and grades of 3 or higher on five or more of these exams. The Students are: Kevin Becker, Gregory Boutross, Tiffany Chen, Zachary Crawford, Joseph Crivelli, Kathleen Curran, Marisa Davis, Philip Fraietta, Dana Giannattasio, Kristin Hornick, Catherine Johnsmeyer, Janis Kopans, Pranav Kumar, Evan Kwiatkowski, Claudia Mei, Alexander Mendels, Jamie Meyerson, Michael Miniaci, Nikolai Rakhilin, Melissa Vergo, Luccie Wo, and Wudan Yan.

Sixteen students qualified for "Scholar with Honor" awards by receiving an average grade of at least 3.25 on all AP exams taken, and grades of 3 or higher on four or more of the exams. The students are: Amy Beresheim, Jesse Cantor, Travis Eaione, Nora Graham, Kelly Humphrey, Herman Kalsi, Michael Katz, Kathryn Luceno, Martin Mata, David Norinsky, Thomas Rinaldi, Jeffrey Steiner, Andrew Z. Steinmet, Laura Treanor, Andrew Wu, and Alison Zaid.

Eighteen students received “Scholar” awards scoring a 3 or higher on three or more exams. The students are: Daniel Camporese, Joseph Crawford, Katherine Fletcher, Joseph Galella, Gabrielle Gonin, Cara Greal, Megan Keane, Brianna, Kincart, Sarah Kuras, Thomas Lipscomb, Kevin Miao, Bartholomew Moore, Rayna Moy, Michael Phillips, Michael Saitta, Elvira Shvaiko, Molly Testwuide, and Frank Xiao.

Yorktown Central School District is proud of all its students and would like to commend those who have achieved academic excellence on the AP exams. Congratulations.