



The Challenge

December 11, 2020



STUDENT ACHIEVEMENTS

Congratulations to our UIL team who competed in a virtual invitational last Saturday. The winners are as follow:

Ready Writing:

1st Place: Kendall

Terrando

2nd Place: Riley Pappas

4th Place: Casandra

Martinez

Current Events:

2nd Place: Diana

Canales

4th Place: Sage

Goldman

Spelling and Vocabulary:

1st Place: Adanna Onyeka

2nd Place: Pranav Brahmhatt

3rd Place: Sofia Estrada-

Ferrufino

"Congratulations to Casandra Martinez and Yarselyn Flores on their full-ride Questbridge scholarships to Columbia and the University of Chicago!"

We are so proud of you!

-Love, Ms. Miller



Lincoln Douglas Debate:

1st Place: Joshua Adegoke

2nd Place: Laila McGowan

Literary Criticism:

3rd Place: Ceyda Koskoy

6th Place: Hillary Villaderes

TSI TESTING

If you have not already received an email about this month's Saturday TSIA (Texas Student Initiative Assessment), then you will be scheduled to take it on a Saturday in January. You must take this test in order to attend college courses. Keep checking your HISD emails!

SHOUT OUTS!

Shout out to Mr. Husain and our Advo!

-Facilitator

Shout out to Dr. Mironitchev and the Engineering Club Scouts, Kaleb Thomas, Juan Trejo, and Daniel for setting up my bulletin board and assembling my office chair.

-Mr. Johnson

OUTSIDE OPPORTUNITIES

USC Bovard Scholars Program: Juniors, apply by **January 15th** to be considered for free college counseling and a summer trip to the University of Southern California!

British American Foundation of Texas Junior Achiever Award: Apply to the BAFTX Junior Achievers award by **January 31st** for an all-expenses-paid trip to the UK to visit sites of historical, cultural, and artistic importance.



Important Dates

December 19: First day of Winter Break

January 4: Return to school

January 18: Martin Luther King Day