

HISD MEDIA ADVISORY

Marvy Finger Family Foundation awards scholarships to HISD students pursuing career or technical fields

WHAT: Houston Independent School District students pursuing career or technical fields are set to receive full scholarships during the Marvy Finger Family Foundation Scholarship Awards Dinner on Wednesday evening. The scholarships will cover the cost of a two-year degree or certification programs in high-demand fields for 112 students.

The scholarship recipients have shown an inclination towards pursuing careers in multiple domains such as maritime transportation, plumbing, public safety, HVAC, cyber security, pharmacy technician, construction, culinary, and cosmetology, are the ones eligible for the scholarship.

The Marvy Finger Family Foundation has generously sponsored these scholarships, which includes covering all the expenses related to the programs, such as tuition fees, tools, equipment, and supplies. The Foundation aims to provide opportunities for vocational and technical education to students belonging to low-socioeconomic backgrounds studying in HISD.

Scholarship awards are based on several factors, including a student's grades (minimum 2.0 GPA or 3.0 for Health Science programs), their involvement in school activities, and financial need. This year's recipients have shown outstanding dedication and potential in their chosen fields, and we look forward to celebrating their achievements during the Awards Dinner.




Media wishing to attend the award ceremony or interview a graduate of the scholarship program should contact the Press Office at pressoffice@houstonisd.org or call 713-556-6393.

WHO: HISD Board of Education Trustees; HISD Superintendent **Millard House II**, HISD Career and Technical Education students, their families, and teachers

WHEN: Wednesday, Apr. 26
5:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

WHERE: Delmar Fieldhouse, 2020 Mangum Rd, 77092

The Houston Independent School District is the largest school district in Texas and the eighth-largest in the United States, with 276 schools and nearly 190,000 students. The 333-square-mile district is one of the largest employers in the Houston metropolitan area, with more than 27,000 employees.

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