

Class of 2023
Graduation



**COLLEGE PREPARATORY
SCHOOL**

MAY 27, 2023

C l a s s o f 2 0 2 3
G r a d u a t i o n

Processional

Pledge of Allegiance

Isabella Barajas, *Graduate*

Welcome

Daniella Ogundare, *Director of Student Services*

Salutatorian Address

Faye Shrader, *Graduate*

Valedictorian Address

Sidnee Bell, *Graduate*

Head of School Address

Donna LeJeune, *Head of School*

Certification and Acceptance of Diplomas

Carla Silber, *Superintendent*

Conferring of Diplomas

Suzie Neuenschwander, *Head of High School*

Farewell Address & Presentation of Graduates

Donna LeJeune, *Head of School*

Recessional

We ask that you be courteous to others by turning off all cell phones and electronic devices. We ask that all attendees remain seated during the ceremony until all graduates have recessed. While it is appropriate to rejoice at this festive moment, using air-horns or other disruptive devices are not permitted.

2023 GRADUATES

Richard Paul Alcantar II
Lucas William Alexander
Daniel Alessandro Arreola
Tyler Dean Atkinson
Abigail Summer Bailey
Victoria Alexis Baladez*
Isabella Ardena Barajas*
McKenna Rachel Barnes
Jaina Barry
Sidnee Aissa Bell*
Matthew Hamilton Bidwell*
Rylie Lynne Boggs*
Giavonna Danielle Bradfield Mitchener
Blake Keaton Brinkmeyer*
Aleena Camargo
Kaonu Kaisan Casarona
Elise Bernadette Cauley*
Connor Grayson Chancellor
Ella Grace Chaney
Charles Andrew Chaudoir
Kayden Jesus Chavana
Joshua Thomas Ciroto
Kassidy Ophelia Coronado
Michael Antwran Davis, Jr.*
Layla Suzanne De Silva
Carly Pham Do
Asher Lee Eddins
Isabel Grace Filer
Micah Anh Grimes

Michael Cody Guedea
Jose Alfredo Guerrero, Jr.
Alexander Patrick Hartline
Westin Robert Johnston Hartness
Riley Angela Henninger
Alicia Ann Hernandez
Madeleine Grace Hicks
Landon Nguyen Ho*
Magnusson Francis Hurricane Hudak*
Joseph Hurt
Micah Yoshiyuki Huysmans
Benjamin Ryan Janda*
Dominic Visaya Jaramilla
Imani Leigh Jenkins
Kade Gavin Jeter
Dua Rizwan Khan
Natalie Joy Lamas
Honor Elizabeth Layne*
Elliot Gael Litton
Ty Eugene Wayne Makovy
Sahil Malik
Caston Diego Martino
Mark Joseph Mazza
Virginia Mackenzie McMillan
Alejandra Nicole Mejia Alvarado
Patrick Thomas Milligan
Romulo Fabian Miranda
Sicilia Dea Morreale
Debra Elizabeth Mullen

* NHS Honor Graduate

2023 GRADUATES

Gavin Alexander-Blaise Ndubisi
Kristen Joyce Nettles
Keene Lam Nguyen
Lola Skye Nolasco
Joe Scott Norris
Rylan Caleb Partlow
Ava Grant Reynolds*
Zoe Alexandra Rhoads
Demetrius Ramon Robinson, Jr.*
Hannah Lela Gerard Rogers
Carson Ray Roller
Mackenzie Katherine Rush
Luis Salcido-Romero
Hayden Michelle Sanders
Richard Andrew Elias Sellers

Faye Elizabeth Shrader*
Seth Elijah Silber*
Jordan Andrew Smithwick
George Henry Thornton
Reagan Lee Vandegrift
Gabriel Jacob VandenEinde
Kaleb Frank Vanderwerf
Kameron Kaimana Like Vianzos
Presley Madison Walters
Parker Duncan Ward
Simran Waseem
Finnley Ryan Willms*
Hailee Isabella Yang
Brianna Faith Mary Yoakum

HONOR CORDS

Graduates who have completed at least 100 hours of community service wear a silver cord. White cords are worn by students in the top 10% of the graduating class. "Start Here, Finish Here" green and orange cords are awarded to Gateway originals who have been enrolled since the 2011-2012 school year. Graduates who completed 12+ dual credit hours through Austin Community College (ACC) wear a Riverbat Purple Academic Cord, and dual credit students who earned more than 36 hours at ACC, including an associates degree, wear a stole. AVID stoles are worn by students who completed AVID 1-4, and blue/gold cords are worn for completing two or more years of AVID. National Honor Society members wear stoles, National Art Honor Society members wears rainbows cords, student council members wear blue cords, and varsity choir members wears pink cords.

THE SCHOOL

Gateway College Preparatory School is an open-enrollment public charter school offering grades K - 12 on one 40 acre campus to students in central Texas. The mission of the school is to prepare our students for admission and success at a college or university that is the best fit for them, while nurturing a spirit of generosity, promoting America's founding principles, and imparting 21st century skills for living well in an interconnected world. Conceived around the ideal "Citizen, Scholar, Athlete," Gateway Prep represents some of the best thinking in educational innovation.

Gateway Prep is a part of the Orenda Charter School. Orenda Education is the sponsoring entity for the Orenda Charter School District. Orenda Education is a non-profit educational organization incorporated in 1995 and headquartered in Georgetown, Texas.

GATEWAY COLLEGE PREPARATORY SCHOOL ADMINISTRATION

Donna LeJeune, Head of School
Suzie Neuenschwander, Head of High School
Jayson Rachuig, Head of Middle School
Daniella Ogundare, Director of Student Services

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