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## **MADEIRA HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT NAMED NATIONAL HISPANIC SCHOLAR**

Madeira High School senior Diego Arredondo has been named a 2019 National Hispanic Scholar by the National Hispanic Recognition Program (NHRP).

The NHRP was initiated in 1983 by the College Board to identify outstanding Hispanic high school students. It is one of four College Board National Recognition Programs used to identify academically exceptional students. Although the College Board is not able to provide scholarships to these students, names of all students honored are sent to subscribing four-year postsecondary institutions which may give students an opportunity to hear from colleges that are particularly interested in communicating with prospective students of Hispanic heritage.

Qualification is based on combined verbal, math, and writing skill scores on the PSAT taken the junior year of high school. Diego finished in the top 2.5% of approximately 400,000 Hispanic/Latino students who took the PSAT last fall.

Students with qualifying PSAT scores are notified of NHRP eligibility in February of their junior year. Certificate recipients are notified in September of their senior year.



*Pictured: Diego Arredondo*