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Chatham County Students Excel on 2022 Advanced Placement Exams

96 Students Achieved a 5, One Student Earned a Perfect Score

CHATHAM COUNTY (October 18, 2023) – Our schools and students continue to excel in their College Board Advanced Placement courses and exams. Out of the 818 exams taken in 2022, 65% of those had scores of Level 3 or higher. Additionally, 96 students (12%) scored a level 5, which is the highest score one can achieve. Those students are listed at the end of this release.

One student, Seaforth High School junior Kendall Anderson (picture attached, photo courtesy Rachel Horowitz, Seaforth High), **earned a perfect score on her AP United States Government and Politics exam**. She was one of only 48 students (amounting to just 0.01% of total exam takers) from **around the world** to earn every point possible on this particular exam.

“We are immensely proud of our dedicated students and the unwavering support from our educators,” Superintendent Dr. Anthony D. Jackson said. **“These achievements embody Chatham County Schools’ commitment to excellence, and these students deserve recognition.”**

At the school level, Jordan-Matthews High School earned an AP ACCESS Award, which is a new AP award this year, honoring schools that encourage more low-income and underrepresented minority students to take AP courses. JMHS also earned a place on the College Board’s AP School Honor Roll for 2022-23.

The AP program, provided by College Board, offers challenging college-level courses to high school students, allowing them to earn college credit with a score of 3 or higher. In North Carolina, our public high schools offer 38 AP courses, with exam

fees covered for all NC public high school students through the North Carolina AP Partnership, greatly facilitating our students' success.

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STUDENTS EARNING A 5 ON THEIR 2022-23 ADVANCED PLACEMENT EXAMS
(The students listed below scored a level 5 on at least one AP exam. Some students scored a level 5 on multiple exams last year.)

Name	School	Current Grade
Ryder Anderson	CCHS	Graduate
Daniela Flores Briones	Jordan-Matthews	11
Andrey Urena	Jordan-Matthews	12
Anthony Santiago	Jordan-Matthews	12
Brandon Rodriguez-Herrera	Jordan-Matthews	12
Chloe Dickerson	Jordan-Matthews	12
Christian Ayala	Jordan-Matthews	12
Christian Garcia Torres	Jordan-Matthews	12
Daniela De La Sancha	Jordan-Matthews	12
Fatima Lavariega	Jordan-Matthews	12
Hannia Martinez Quiroz	Jordan-Matthews	12
Honorio Castro Sanchez	Jordan-Matthews	12
Iris Sibrian Zetino	Jordan-Matthews	12
Jair Ruiz	Jordan-Matthews	12
Jason De Paz Rodriguez	Jordan-Matthews	12

Jillian Bogart	Jordan-Matthews	12
Josmar Martinez	Jordan-Matthews	12
Karsyn Vann	Jordan-Matthews	12
Lizbeth Tellez-Canuto	Jordan-Matthews	12
Marleny Escobedo	Jordan-Matthews	12
Merary Lopez	Jordan-Matthews	12
Calvin Conroy	Jordan-Matthews	Graduate
Dalila Canela Rocha	Jordan-Matthews	Graduate
Estefani D. De Paz Rodriguez	Jordan-Matthews	Graduate
Jennifer Garcia Torres	Jordan-Matthews	Graduate
Laisha Zagada Amador	Jordan-Matthews	Graduate
Margaret Thornton	Jordan-Matthews	Graduate
Nathalie Gonzalez	Jordan-Matthews	Graduate
Andi Wicker	Northwood	11
Carter Crisp-sears	Northwood	11
Elizabeth Hall	Northwood	11
Helgi Davis	Northwood	11
Jesse Sikes	Northwood	11
Marina Cofresi	Northwood	11
Amelia Gilligan	Northwood	12
Cole Dail	Northwood	12
Frey Davis	Northwood	12
Griffin Hobbs	Northwood	12

Jack Bachelor	Northwood	12
Kate Dydynski	Northwood	12
Kaylee Fisher	Northwood	12
Marcella Willett	Northwood	12
Abilene Dasher	Northwood	Graduate
Alexandra Anthenien	Northwood	Graduate
Ariadna Camareno Rojas	Northwood	Graduate
Beckett Brantley	Northwood	Graduate
Brandt Anderson	Northwood	Graduate
Catherine Hall	Northwood	Graduate
Charlie Nicholas	Northwood	Graduate
Eden Priddle	Northwood	Graduate
Emily Williams	Northwood	Graduate
Jacob Garrett	Northwood	Graduate
Jonathan Galbraith	Northwood	Graduate
Katelyn Griffin	Northwood	Graduate
Kyler Sriwudhthanun	Northwood	Graduate
Lillian Collins	Northwood	Graduate
Lily Fowler	Northwood	Graduate
Lily Witcher	Northwood	Graduate
Margaret Richardson	Northwood	Graduate
Mason Cook	Northwood	Graduate
Matteus Butler	Northwood	Graduate

Monet Barton	Northwood	Graduate
Oliver Ewy	Northwood	Graduate
Reyvadee Godehn	Northwood	Graduate
Sam Jump	Northwood	Graduate
Samantha Thurber	Northwood	Graduate
Sarah Emrich	Northwood	Graduate
Savannah Matthews	Northwood	Graduate
Sophia Roberts	Northwood	Graduate
William Sikes	Northwood	Graduate
Katherine Leonard	Seaforth	10
Anna Guzzo	Seaforth	11
Bailey Shadoan	Seaforth	11
Henry McFall	Seaforth	11
Jackson Vaughn	Seaforth	11
Jacob Phillips	Seaforth	11
Jonathan Trott	Seaforth	11
Josie Quick	Seaforth	11
Kaitlyn Zanga	Seaforth	11
Kendall Anderson	Seaforth	11
Kyle Stinson	Seaforth	11
Natalia Davis	Seaforth	11
Paige Vanderveen	Seaforth	11
William Cuicchi	Seaforth	11

Andrew Jeong	Seaforth	12
Benjamin Weathers	Seaforth	12
Christopher Atkins	Seaforth	12
Fiona Xiao	Seaforth	12
Luka Cfarku	Seaforth	12
Mordecai Mengesteab	Seaforth	12
Nicholas Jerkovich	Seaforth	12
Olivia Van Duinen	Seaforth	12
Robert Burleigh	Seaforth	12
Sophia Serrano	Seaforth	12
Tate Wilson	Seaforth	12
Tyler McGrath	Seaforth	12