

2020 SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS

- Maci Abila (Stephen F. Austin)
- Stran Blair (ACU)
- Rushil Choutapalli (Texas Tech)
- Karis Christian (Texas A&M)
- Madison Cole (ACU)
- Kinley Corley (Harding)
- Nicole Englin (Ohio State)
- Kobe George (UT at Austin)
- Rylee Keesee (Oklahoma State)
- Morgan Moore (HSU)
- Austin Petree (ACU)
- Eden Sauley (Baylor)
- Keelie Stamson (East TX Baptist)
- Hannah VanCamp (Texas Tech)
- Zackery Watson (Tarleton)

\$15,000 GIVEN FOR SENIOR
SCHOLARSHIPS IN 2020.
\$166,000 GIVEN IN
SCHOLARSHIP MONEY SINCE
2010!

\$40,066 GIVEN FOR TEACHER
GRANTS IN 2020.
MORE THAN \$300,000 GIVEN IN
TEACHER GRANTS SINCE 2010!

PROMOTING EXCELLENCE IN EDUCATION

More than \$40,000 in teacher grants were awarded in 2020 for everything from kitchen equipment for the culinary arts classes to PE equipment for the Junior Highs.

Every campus in the district received a grant: 7 went to the High School, 4 to West Junior High, 3 to East

Junior High, 1 to West Intermediate, 3 to West Elementary, 11 to East Elementary, and 3 to the Early Childhood Center.

Items purchased included science equipment, graphic novels, flexible seating, musical instruments, teacher development courses and much more!





Congratulations to April Brannan (right) who won the Foundation's Spirit of the Bulldog award for her innovative use of grants in the classroom. The award is given in honor of foundation president Becky Rentz and was presented at the New Teacher Luncheon. Thanks to Hendrick Health Systems for sponsoring our New Teacher Luncheon!

37 NEW TEACHERS RECEIVED \$100 GIFT CARDS IN 2020. MORE THAN 300 NEW TEACHERS GIFTED SINCE 2010!

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OUR STORY

The Wylie Bulldogs Education Foundation was founded in 2010 with unconditional nonprofit status from the IRS. The Foundation is governed by a board of directors, and the majority of funds are raised through the annual "We Are Wylie" Dinner.

In 2020, the board changed its plans because of COVID. For the first time in its history, an "in person" event was not held. Instead, the foundation had a virtual event, silent auction and raffle. The Wylie community's support during this difficult time was astounding. We are so grateful for our donors who helped us promote excellence in the Wylie schools in the midst of a pandemic!

In 2021, with COVID again on the rise, the board made the difficult decision to cancel its annual dinner for the second year in a row. We are confident that our donors will help us again in a spectacular way. We are looking forward to a celebratory evening together in 2022.

For a list of our 2020 donors, including many Friend Donors and Star Donors, go to our website at Wyliebef.org.

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