



## OLENTANGY SCHOOLS<sup>SM</sup>

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### OLENTANGY SCHOOLS ANNOUNCES 25 NATIONAL MERIT SEMIFINALISTS

Olentangy Schools is proud of the 25 academically talented students who have received the distinguished honor of National Merit Semifinalist.

The National Merit Scholarship Corporation announced the 2022 Semifinalists in the 67th annual National Merit Scholarship Program. Approximately 16,000 high school seniors were selected from over 1.5 million students, based on the 2020 Preliminary SAT/National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test (PSAT). These Semifinalists represent less than one percent of high school seniors across the country.

Below are the names of the 25 Olentangy Schools National Merit Semifinalists, in alphabetical order by last name:

Kyle J. Berkey (Liberty High School)	Suchir S. Movva (Liberty High School)
Nikitha Bhimoreddy (Orange High School)	Alex K. Oberyszyn (Olentangy High School)
Jolie S. Chen (Liberty High School)	Aryan Panpalia (Olentangy High School)
Tiya Chhajed (Orange High School)	Hugh P. Peterson (Berlin High School)
Aryaman Dubey (Liberty High School)	Saket M. Pochiraju (Orange High School)
Corinne M. Hazel (Orange High School)	Edan A. Quinn (Berlin High School)
Noah I. Huh (Orange High School)	Praharna Rajesh (Olentangy High School)
Anvitha R. Irrinki (Liberty High School)	Sanjay Sairam (Liberty High School)
Aidan J. Jeansonne (Berlin High School)	Mouliveeravenkata S. Sangita (Orange High School)
Bronwyn L. Lewis (Liberty High School)	Quinn F. Shannon (Orange High School)
Rushil T. Lingichetty (Orange High School)	Lars C. Sindeldecker (Liberty High School)
Lindsey D. Luman (Orange High School)	Logan A. Ward (Liberty High School)
Ian J. McGill (Orange High School)	

"I'm extremely proud of these students and extend my heartfelt congratulations to both the students and their families on this accomplishment," shares Olentangy Schools Superintendent Mark Raiff. "This achievement is an indication of the academic talent of these students combined with the impact our teachers make in preparing students for college and beyond."

Semifinalists have the opportunity to continue in the competition to become National Merit Finalists, and become eligible for over \$30 million in scholarships to be offered this spring.

Olentangy Schools also wants to recognize the 35 students that received Letters of Commendation, in recognition of their scores and academic achievements.

Olentangy Schools is the sixth largest school district in the state of Ohio with 27 schools, located predominately in Delaware County. Olentangy's mission is to facilitate maximum learning for every student.



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Nikhila Achanta (Liberty High School)  
Daniel S. Aycock (Orange High School)  
Nithil Balaji (Liberty High School)  
Rushi R. Bhatt (Olentangy High School)  
Elise V. Brown (Berlin High School)  
Debby H. Choe (Liberty High School)  
Kirti Chopra (Orange High School)  
Calvin S. Davies (Berlin High School)  
Lauren N. Eggleston (Berlin High School)  
Trevor M. Gerald (Olentangy High School)  
Neil N. Ghugare (Liberty High School)  
Ethan M. Gibbs (Olentangy High School)  
Kate S. Hagemeyer (Liberty High School)  
Sathvik S. Jami (Liberty High School)  
Declan B. Johnson (Liberty High School)  
Min-Song Kim (Olentangy High School)  
Zachary C. Kittleson (Liberty High School)  
Madison N. Koons (Olentangy High School)

Pranav Krishnamoorthy (Olentangy High School)  
Shiv Kumar (Berlin High School)  
Kathir Maarikarthykeyan (Berlin High School)  
Jessica J. Miao (Liberty High School)  
Pranav K. Moola (Liberty High School)  
Harish Mukkapati (Orange High School)  
Nathan A. Patton (Olentangy High School)  
Martina J. Peroni (Olentangy High School)  
Dakshin Pisini (Olentangy High School)  
Matthew T. Rao (Berlin High School)  
Abhishek V. Sangu (Olentangy High School)  
Cameron J. Shinker (Orange High School)  
Amil J. Singh (Orange High School)  
Allison P. Tate (Olentangy High School)  
Samanvith S. Thotapalli (Olentangy High School)  
Ella M. Walls (Berlin High School)  
Simon A. Zimmerman (Berlin High School)

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