

*The 12th Commencement of the
State Seal of Biliteracy
Award Night*



Tuesday, May 10, 2022

*The Seal of Biliteracy Award Ceremony at
the Fruit Yard Amphitheater
May 10, 2022*

*The Stanislaus County Office of Education
"Fostering Global Excellence..."*

A message from our Superintendent...



"One of the many assets of the Central Valley of California is the diversity of its population. Many of our citizens and neighbors represent international cultures and speak a variety of languages. The Stanislaus County Office of Education applauds students with mastery in multiple languages. The State Seal of Biliteracy recognizes those students who have developed proficiency in English and at least one other world language. This proficiency enhances a student's education and value in the marketplace. Our economy is tied to that of other nations, and Californians who can participate across international borders bring strength and potential to this State's global enterprises."

"Una de las ventajas más grandes del Valle Central de California es la diversidad de su población. Muchos de nuestros ciudadanos y vecinos representan culturas internacionales y hablan varios idiomas. La Oficina de Educación del Condado de Stanislaus felicita a los estudiantes que dominan varios idiomas. El Sello de competencia multilingüe reconoce a aquellos estudiantes que han desarrollado el dominio del Inglés y lo hace más valioso comercialmente. Esta habilidad mejora la educación de un estudiante y le da valor en el mercado. Nuestra economía está ligada a la de otras naciones, y los californianos que pueden participar cruzando las fronteras internacionales aportan fuerza y potencial a las empresas mundiales de este estado."



Please join us in thanking our sponsors without whom this night would not have been possible!



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Opening Remarks

Christine Sisco, Assistant Superintendent, Instructional Support Services

Scott Kuykendall, Superintendent, Stanislaus County Office of Education

Student Speakers

Samantha Mendoza Barragan, Spanish, Central Valley High School

Jazmine Ramirez, Spanish, Denair High School

Jasmeen Kaur, Hindi & Punjabi, Pitman High School

Francis Esther Fuentes, Spanish, Orestimba High School

Taylor Vannest, Spanish, Pitman High School

Awarding the State Seal of Biliteracy

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Brenda Insurriaga, Project Coordinator of English Language Arts & Development

Closing Remarks

Christine Sisco, Assistant Superintendent, Instructional Support Services

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