Agenda Request Form

Meeting Date	Agenda Item Number
December 11, 2025	Recognition Item 3

Title

Recognition of REACH Georgia Scholar Winners

Requested Action

School Board Recognition of REACH Georgia Scholar Winners

Summary Explanation and Background

Five eighth-graders have been selected as this year's CCSD REACH Georgia Scholars: Giselle Altamirano Martinez of Creekland MS, Alberto Ernesto of Dean Rusk MS, Akira Hargraves of ET Booth MS, Teagan Banks of Freedom MS, and Luke Clark of Mill Creek MS.

First launched from Georgia Tech in 2012, REACH Georgia is designed to encourage students to persist in their educational goals and interests. As part of Georgia's Complete College initiative, REACH seeks to identify rising eighth-grade students who display academic promise and provide them with the academic, social and financial support they will need to graduate from high school, attend and complete college. REACH Scholars who complete the program requirements receive up to $10,000 in scholarship dollars at a HOPE eligible University System of Georgia, Technical College System of Georgia or a private postsecondary institution within Georgia.

Financial Impact

N/A

Exhibits: (List)

N/A

Source of Additional Information

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