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is to pursue excellence in academic knowledge, skills, and behavior for each student, resulting in measured improvement against local, national, and world-class standards.

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## NEWS RELEASE

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## GCPS Class of 2018:

QuestBridge honors 22 Gwinnett graduates as National College Match Scholarship recipients

Nearly two dozen **Gwinnett County Public Schools** seniors will have their entire college career paid in full after being named **QuestBridge National College Match Recipients**. QuestBridge is a non-profit organization that links high-achieving, low-income students to some of the nation's most selective colleges. The 22 recipients are part of a group of only 767 students nationwide honored this year. The Gwinnett QuestBridge Scholars and the colleges they plan to attend are:

First Name	Last Name	Matched School	High School
Buduka	Ogonor	University of Chicago	Archer High School
Lois	Williams	Stanford University	Archer High School
Devinne	Moses	Duke University	Central Gwinnett High School
Soo Young	Kang	Wesleyan University	Collins Hill High School
Binisha	Patel	Duke University	Collins Hill High School
Michal	Szurek	Princeton University	Collins Hill High School
Abigal	Blay	Emory University	Dacula High School
Karen	Zheng	Dartmouth College	Duluth High School
Patrick	Aghadiuno	Rice University	Gwinnett School of Mathematics, Science, and Technology
Ama	Asseh	Northwestern University	Gwinnett School of Mathematics, Science, and Technology
Salome	Birhanu	Rice University	Gwinnett School of Mathematics, Science, and Technology
Donovan	Carr	Vanderbilt University	Gwinnett School of Mathematics, Science, and Technology
Trinity	Hoffman	Wesleyan University	Gwinnett School of Mathematics, Science, and Technology
John	Moreno Vazquez	Grinnell College	Gwinnett School of Mathematics, Science, and Technology
Alexis	Osifo	Scripps College	Gwinnett School of Mathematics, Science, and Technology
Ameena	Faruki	Princeton University	Lanier High School
Victoria	Twumasi- Ankrah	Rice University	Mountain View High School
Seong	Kim	Northwestern University	Norcross High School
Ansel	Ahabue	Rice University	Parkview High School
Ashley	Kyelem	Pomona College	Parkview High School
Frank	Tang	Duke University	Parkview High School
Jin	Jeon	Amherst College	Peachtree Ridge High School

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QuestBridge partners with colleges that offer generous financial aid packages that cover 100% of demonstrated financial need, making them very affordable for low-income students. The organization matches the students with its partner colleges, 38 of the nation's premier universities.

For more information, visit <u>www.questbridge.org</u>. Members of the news media who wish to interview student winners, can coordinate with the school district's Department of Communication and Media Relations by calling 678-301-6020