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GCPS Class of 2020:

QuestBridge honors 17 Gwinnett graduates as National College Match Scholarship recipients

More than a 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. GCPS' QuestBridge National College Match Scholarship recipients and the colleges they plan to attend are:

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Name	Matched School	High School
Nada Abdalla	Carleton College	Berkmar High School
Britney Mayorga	Emory University	Berkmar High School
Lavonté Saunders	Vanderbilt University	Berkmar High School
David Palmer	Rice University	Central Gwinnett High School
Miranda Colon	University of Notre Dame	Dacula High School
Valerie Nguyen	Yale University	Duluth High School
Bre'An Alyse Moore	Carleton College	Grayson High School
Faraz Awan	Princeton University	Gwinnett School of Mathematics, Science, and Technology
Alexander Gonzalez	Brown University	Gwinnett School of Mathematics, Science, and Technology
Rashmi Mohan	Colby College	Gwinnett School of Mathematics, Science, and Technology
Gloria Vergara Neyra	Stanford University	Gwinnett School of Mathematics, Science, and Technology
Kareem Aitcadi	University of Chicago	Mountain View High School
Maria Li	Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT)	North Gwinnett High School
Joshua Suh	Duke University	North Gwinnett High School
Dean Zhu	Rice University	Parkview High School
Precious George	Carleton College	Shiloh High School

****An additional student has been honored with this scholarship, but declined to be listed.***

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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, 42 of the nation's premier universities.

For more information, visit www.questbridge.org. Interviews with student winners can be coordinated with the district's Department of Communication and Media Relations by calling 678-301-6020.