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**Plateau announces 2023 scholarship winners**

(Clovis, N.M.)... Forty-one area scholars shared \$218,500 in scholarships awarded from the Education Foundation at Plateau. Since its inception in 1993, the Foundation has now awarded over \$1.9 million in scholarships and grants to area students.

**Education Foundation Scholarship winners for 2023 are:**

**\$8,000 Robert M. Harris Memorial Scholarships**

Thomas Gerald Palla – Clovis HS

Tyler Jay Saiz – Fort Sumner HS

Jordan Jewel Perez – Vaughn HS

**\$8,000 Evelyn Patterson Memorial Scholarships**

Morgan Rae Crisp – Clayton HS

Jenna Dawn Stewart – Ute Lake Online Learning Center

Breanne Betty Lucero – Fort Sumner HS

**\$5,000 Banner Scholarships**

Mark Ryan Rose – Logan HS

Aubrey Grace Wilson – Clayton HS

Jordan Hisel – Fort Sumner HS

Christian Markus Kotara – Logan HS

Selma Rose Baca – Roy HS

Skyler Ray DeLuca – Logan HS

Robert Austin Albin – Clovis HS

Miranda Sanchez – Santa Rosa HS

Justin Paul Johnson – Logan HS

Clay Talon Norman – Fort Sumner HS

Olivia Simone Lucero – Fort Sumner HS

Christina Rose DeHerrera – Clayton HS

Danae Melecia Rose Esquibel – Santa Rosa HS

Dymond James McDaniel – Fort Sumner HS

Aracely Yanez Caraveo – Vaughn HS

Alec Merritt Actkinson – Farwell HS

Celina Beth Flowers – Mosquero HS

Harlee Jaramillo – Santa Rosa HS

Piper Claire Actkinson – Farwell HS

Colby Gene Arrington – Clayton HS

David Hunter Garnett – Logan HS

Reiylee Stewart – Clayton HS

Bridger Leigh Ketcham – Corona HS

Preslie Page Poling – Clayton HS

Jayden Faith Stewart – Logan HS

Alexa Lanae Vigil – Clayton HS

Fredrick Clarence York – Fort Sumner HS

**\$4,000 Tom M. Phelps Scholarships**

Kaiden Jones – Amarillo College

Shawn Agar – Oklahoma State University

**\$2,500 Tonie Martinez Memorial Scholarship**

Sarah DeNay Garcia – Clovis HS



**\$5,000 Occupational, Trade and Technical Careers Scholarships**

Evan Richard Casaus – Fort Sumner HS      Cole Clint Sultemeier – House HS  
Saul Marquez – Fort Sumner HS              Kilee Josephine Mireles – Clayton HS

**\$5,000 Vocational Careers Scholarship**

Carel Aron Van Der Merwe – House HS

Funding for the Education Foundation is derived from Cooperative members' donated and abandoned capital credits payments. One of the Foundation's goals is to improve educational opportunities for the youth in the Cooperative's service area.

Formed in 1949 as Eastern New Mexico Rural Telephone Cooperative, Plateau provides advanced communication services, including voice and internet, to residents in all or parts of 18 eastern New Mexico counties and five in the Texas Panhandle.

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