

JESUIT HIGH SCHOOL  
*congratulates the*  
**22 NATIONAL ACADEMIC SCHOLARS**  
IN THE CLASS OF 2021



*12 National Merit Semifinalists*  
*10 Commended in the National Merit Program*  
*1 National African American Scholar*

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# NATIONAL MERIT SEMIFINALIST



**JACKSON J. CHERAMIE**, son of Jennifer and Ethan Cheramie, attended Christian Brothers School.



**CHRISTOPHER M. CIACCIO**, son of Nicole and Michael Ciaccio, attended Stuart Hall School for Boys.



**MICHAEL D. DALY**, son of Suzie and Mike Daly, attended Christian Brothers School and Holy Name of Jesus School.



**AIDEN M. DEVINE**, son of Elizabeth and Christopher Devine, attended Christian Brothers School.



**ANDREW C. MCNEIL**, son of Colette and Adam McNeil, attended Christian Brothers School and St. Catherine of Siena School.



**KOHLMANN R. MOORE**, son of Leslie and Jonah Moore, attended Stuart Hall School for Boys.



**CONNOR J. MYERS**, son of Ridgely and Adam Myers, attended St. Charles Borromeo School.



**IAN H. REILY**, son of Debbie and James Reily, attended Trinity Episcopal School.



**MARCELO O. TORRES**, son of Kem Opperman-Torres and Manuel Torres, attended St. Martin's Episcopal School.



**GARRISON L. TRAHANT**, son of Amy and Richard Trahant, attended Stuart Hall School for Boys and St. Angela Merici School.



**JACKSON T. WALLACE**, son of Monica Hof and K. Todd Wallace, attended Christian Brothers School and St. Dominic School.



**WILLIAM J. J. ZINSEL**, son of Christine and Joseph Zinsel, attended Christ Episcopal School.

# COMMENDED SCHOLARS



**SAMUEL R. ADAMS, JR.**



**AHMED T. ALMOASWES**



**BENJAMIN B. BOGART**



**QUINN J. DOSKEY**



**JASON L. HA**



**HAWES A. HAMM**



**HARRISON R. HENTZE**



**HUNTER C. HOFFMAN**



**HENRY K. LANDRY**



**MICHAEL J. SHORE**



**DAVID C. WEBSTER**

“The entire Jesuit community is proud of the dedication and hard work of these young men. Their accomplishments are a testament to the perseverance of their parents and teachers. I congratulate the senior scholars of the Class of 2021 for their outstanding academic achievements.”

— *Jesuit principal Peter Kernion '90*

### NATIONAL MERIT SEMIFINALISTS

Twelve seniors in Jesuit High School’s Class of 2021 were honored as National Merit Semifinalists in the annual prestigious scholarship competition. Additionally, 10 Jesuit seniors were recognized as “Commended” students in the competition.

The National Merit Scholarship Corporation (NMSC) underwrites the program which recognizes some 16,453 Semifinalists, who represent less than one percent of U.S. high school seniors. The NMSC designates Semifinalists on a state representational basis to ensure that outstanding students from across the country are included in the talent pool. The number of Semifinalists named in each state is in proportion to its percentage of the national total of graduating seniors.

Jesuit’s 12 National Merit Semifinalists represent 5% of Louisiana’s 233 honorees. The qualifying test score for this year was 212. Scores for Blue Jay Semifinalists ranged from 212 to 223. The scores of “Commended” Blue Jays ranged from 209 to 211.

In the past 15 years, 457 Blue Jays have been honored as National Merit Semifinalists.

*Complete information about the competition is on the NMSC’s website: [www.nationalmerit.org](http://www.nationalmerit.org).*

### COLLEGE BOARD NATIONAL RECOGNITION AWARDS

One senior in Jesuit’s Class of 2021 was honored as a National African American Scholar.

The College Board National Recognition Programs create pathways to college for students from underrepresented communities by awarding them academic honors and connecting them with universities across the country.

Students who take the PSAT/NMSQT and are African American, Hispanic American or Latinx, Indigenous, or attend school in a rural area or small town, can receive academic recognition as part of the College Board National Recognition Programs.

*Complete information about the NHRP is on the College Board’s website: [www.collegeboard.org](http://www.collegeboard.org).*

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### NATIONAL MERIT SCHOLARSHIP SEMIFINALISTS

Jackson J. Cheramie	Aiden M. Devine	Connor J. Myers	Garrison L. Trahant
Christopher M. Ciaccio	Andrew C. McNeil	Ian H. Reily	Jackson T. Wallace
Michael D. Daly	Kohlmann R. Moore	Marcelo O. Torres	William J. J. Zinsel

### NATIONAL AFRICAN AMERICAN SCHOLAR

Samuel R. Adams, Jr.

### COMMENDED STUDENTS IN THE NATIONAL MERIT SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Ahmed T. Almoaswes	Quinn J. Doskey	Hawes A. Hamm	Hunter C. Hoffman	Michael J. Shore
Benjamin B. Bogart	Jason L. Ha	Harrison R. Hentze	Henry K. Landry	David C. Webster

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**Jesuit’s 12 National Merit Semifinalists are pictured on the front cover:** Bottom row (from left): Jackson Cheramie, Christopher Ciaccio, Michael Daly; Second row: Aiden Devine, Andrew McNeil (*perfect ACT*), Kohlmann Moore, Connor Myers; Third row: Ian Reily, Garrison Trahant (*perfect ACT*), Marcelo Torres (*perfect ACT*), Jackson Wallace, and William Zinsel.