



**Notre Dame Academy - Toledo, Ohio**

# *Senior Honors Ceremony*

**Sunday, the Seventeenth of May  
Two Thousand Twenty Six  
Ave Maria Performing Arts Center**

# Notre Dame Academy Class of 2026 Senior Honors Ceremony Program

## **ENTRANCE PROCESSIONAL**

## **ALMA MATER**

## **PRESENTATION OF SENIOR AWARDS**

*Mrs. Andrea (Zobler) Zimmerman '96, Principal*  
*Dr. Beth Corrigan, Dean of Academics*  
*Mr. Travis Galloway, Dean of Students*

## **SERVICE TO SCHOOL AWARDS**

Student Ambassadors  
Link Crew  
Campus Ministry  
Performing Arts  
Speech & Debate  
Student Council

## **CHICK EVANS SCHOLARSHIP PRESENTATION**

## **ATHLETIC AWARDS**

## **ACADEMIC DEPARTMENT RECOGNITIONS**

Business	Science
Journalism	Social Studies
Modern & Classical Languages	Visual and Performing Arts
Math	

## **OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS**

Business	Physical Education
Choir	Science
English	Social Studies
French	Spanish
Journalism	Speech & Drama
Latin	Theology
Math	Visual Arts
Orchestra	

## **NATIONAL MERIT SCHOLARS**

### **HONORS AWARDS**

Recognition of Honor Roll Students  
Recognition of Honor Cords

### **INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE DIPLOMA RECOGNITION**

### **SPECIAL HONORARY RECOGNITION**

*Mrs. Kim Grilliot, President*  
*Mrs. Andrea (Zobler) Zimmerman '96, Principal*

Salutatorian  
Valedictorian  
Blue and Gold Spirit Award  
President's Award

### **PRESENTATION OF THE SISTERS OF NOTRE DAME DISTINGUISHED GRADUATE AWARD**

*Mrs. Kim Grilliot, President*  
*Sr. Colleen Marie Cousino, SND '79*

### **BISHOP'S CROSS**

To be announced at Graduation

### **RECESSIONAL**

**The Notre Dame Academy Class of 2026 has earned scholarship and awards totaling nearly \$16 million, have been accepted in 137 schools and have collectively given 10,623 hours of service locally, nationally in Appalachia, and globally in the Dominican Republic.**

***A full list of honors and awardees will be available  
beginning on Monday, May 18, 2026 at  
[NDA.org/graduation](http://NDA.org/graduation)***

## Class of 2026 Scholarships

Tyasia Allen	Michigan Technological University - Michigan Tech Excellence Award; University of Toledo - Gottfried Scholarship, Heyn Scholarship, Trustee Scholarship and Grants; Wright State University - Green and Gold Scholarship and Wright State Scholarship
Kizziah Armstrong	Bowling Green State University - BGSU Choice Scholarship and University Freshman Academic Scholarship; Clafin University - Academic Incentive Award; Defiance College - Dean's Scholarship; Hampton University - Merit Scholarship; Hampton University - Merit Scholarship; Howard University - Leadership Scholarship; Indiana University, Indianapolis - Crimson Pride Award; Kent State University - Academic Achievement Award and Flashes Go Further Award; Morgan State University - J.C. Bozeman Grant and Troy E. Quinn Grant; Ohio Dominican University - Choose Ohio First STEM Grant and ODU Scholarship; Ohio University - Ohio Admission Promise Award, Ohio Excellence Scholarship, Ohio Forward Scholarship and Grants; Paul Nelson Randolph Abundant Life Scholarship; Simmons College of Kentucky - Merit Scholarship; The Ohio State University, Lima - Buckeye Affordability Award and Presidents Affordability Grant; Tuskegee University - University Achievement Scholarship; University of Cincinnati - Cincinnati Century Scholarship; University of Toledo - Regents Scholarship and Rocket Advantage Grant; Wright State University - Green and Gold Scholarship and Wright State Scholarship; Xavier University - Merit Scholarship
Sarah Asad	Marquette University - Ignatian Distinction Scholarship and Pere Marquette Scholarship; The Ohio State University - Provost Scholarship; University of Detroit Mercy - Catholic Education Grant, Merit Scholarship and Visit Grant; University of Louisville - Border Benefit Program and Merit Scholarship; University of Toledo - Toledo Excellence Scholarship

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Abigail Beier	DePaul University - State Scholar Plus Scholarship; Duquesne University - Merit Scholarship; Indiana University, Bloomington - Merit Scholarship; Marquette University - Ignatian Distinction Scholarship and Pere Marquette Scholarship; State of Ohio Governor's Merit Scholarship; The Ohio State University - Maximus Scholarship; University of Dayton - Commitment to Catholic Education Award and Trustees' Merit Scholarship; University of Pittsburgh - Academic Scholarship; University of Toledo - Katherine R. Smith Scholarship
Katherine Bierie	Grand Valley State University - Award for Excellence; Miami University - RedHawk Excellence Scholarship; University of Findlay - UF Presidential Scholarship
Corinne Bowe	Bowling Green State University - BGSU Choice Scholarship and University Freshman Academic Scholarship; Miami University - RedHawk Excellence Scholarship; University of Toledo - Trustee Scholarship; Xavier University - Dean's Award, XU Catholic High School Scholarship, XU Early Filer Grant, XU Housing Grant, XU Muskie Grant, XU Presidential Merit Scholarship and XU Visit Grant
Samantha Burek	Bowling Green State University - University Freshman Academic Scholarship; Syracuse University - Orange Award; The Ohio State University - Trustee Scholarship; University of Cincinnati - Cincinnati Century Scholarship; University of Kentucky - UK Excellence Scholarship
Elise Busse	Helen V. Gay Scholarship; Loyola University, Chicago - Presidential Scholarship; National Merit Owen's Corning Scholarship; State of Ohio Governor's Merit Scholarship; The Ohio State University - Maximus Scholarship

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Evynne Byrne	Berry College - Berry College Academic Scholarship; Michigan State University - President's Scholarship and Spartan Futures Grant; Ohio University - Ohio Admission Promise Award and Ohio Excellence Scholarship; The Ohio State University - Provost Scholarship; University of Minnesota, Twin Cities - College of Food, Agriculture & Natural Resource Sciences Scholarship and National Scholarship
Reagan Caldwell	Xavier University - Merit Scholarship
Jenna Chryst	Bowling Green State University - University Freshman Academic Scholarship; Franciscan University of Steubenville - Franciscan Grants and Presidential Scholarship; Trine University - Allen Engineering Scholastic Award, Alumni Referral Award, Frequent Miles Visit Grant, ME Chair Tuition Scholarship, Out of State Tuition Grant, Scholarship Day Award and Tuition Incentive Grant; University of Dayton - Commitment to Catholic Education Award, Forever Flyer Grant and Trustees' Merit Scholarship; University of Toledo - Rieman Scholarship Fund and Toledo Excellence Scholarship
Julia Chryst	Bowling Green State University - TEACH Grant and University Freshman Academic Scholarship; Franciscan University of Steubenville - Franciscan Grants, Presidential Scholarship and St. Michael Scholarship; John Carroll University - John Carroll Grant and Magis Scholarship; Marquette University - Merit Scholarships and Grants; University of Dayton - Commitment to Catholic Education Award, Forever Flyer Grant and Trustees' Merit Scholarship; University of Toledo - Toledo Excellence Scholarship
Karys Clark	Bowling Green State University - BGSU Choice Scholarship and University Freshman Academic Scholarship
Clover Cooney	Horatio Alger Scholarship Award - Patricia Cole Scholar
Louise Kalil Espindola de Souza Smidi	University of Toledo - International Rocket Award

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Olivia Fall	Baldwin Wallace University - Fellows' Scholarship and President's Horizon Award; Chick Evans Scholarship for Caddies; John Carroll University - John Carroll Grant and University Scholarship; Ohio Northern University - Faculty Scholarship; University of Dayton - Deans' Merit Scholarship
Emma Firsdon	Michigan State University - President's Scholarship and Spartan Futures Grant; Tennessee Technological University - Presidential Scholars Scholarship; University of Kentucky - Bluegrass Spirit Scholarship and UK Horizon Scholarship; University of Louisville - Border Benefit Award
Evelyn Flanigan	College for Creative Studies - CCS Scholarship
Brynn Furey	Bowling Green State University - University Freshman Academic Scholarship; College of Charleston - Merit Scholarship; Michigan State University - Dean's Scholarship, Presidential Study Abroad Scholarship and Spartan Futures Grant
Violet Gies	Otterbein University - Cardinal Lift Grant, Housing Grant, President's Scholarship and Talent Award
Ciara Gomez	University of Toledo - Trustee Scholarship
Lauryn Hancock	Cleveland State University - Athletic Scholarship and President's Award; Paul Nelson Randolph Abundant Life Scholarship; Toledo Alumnae Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority Inc. Scholarship Award
Anaya Hawley Ayodeji	Bowling Green State University - University Freshman Academic Scholarship; Morgan State University - Troy E. Quinn Grant; Towson University - Merit Scholarship; University of Maryland, Eastern Shore - UMES Merit Grant
Rebekah Hazard	State of Ohio Governor's Merit Scholarship; The Ohio State University - Maximus Scholarship
Na'kai Hinton	University of Toledo - Grants

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Sarah Hitts	Miami University - RedHawk Excellence Scholarship
Grace Hughes	Bowling Green State University - Grants and University Freshman Academic Scholarship; Calvin University - Grants, Knight for Life Award and Trustee's Scholarship; University of Toledo - Regents Scholarship; Youngstown State University - Deans' Scholarship
Amelia Imbrogno	University of Toledo - Excellence Scholarship and Housing Grant
Nora Johnson	University of Kentucky Bluegrass Spirit Scholarship; University of Louisville - Border Benefit Award
Madison Jones	Indiana University - National Excellence Scholarship; University of Toledo - Toledo Excellence Scholarship
Autumn Kahler	Kansas State University - Wildcat Nonresident Award; University of Delaware - Provost Scholarship
Julienna Koller	University of Detroit Mercy - Athletic Scholarship and Merit Scholarship
Josie Koszycki	Alesi Scholarship; Bowling Green State University - Robert and Ellen Thompson Working Families Scholarship and University Freshman Academic Scholarship; Miami University - RedHawk Excellence Scholarship; State of Ohio Governor's Merit Scholarship; The Ohio State University - Provost Scholarship and University Grant; University of Cincinnati - Cincinnati Century Scholarship and D-CAHS Student Scholarship; University of Toledo - Toledo Excellence Scholarship

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Cadence Kunz	Bowling Green State University - University Freshman Academic Scholarship; Cleveland State University - Merit Award; Kent State University - Academic Achievement Award; Miami University - RedHawk Excellence Scholarship; Ohio University - Ohio Admission Promise Award; University of Dayton - Adele Scholarship, Commitment to Catholic Education Award, Common Good Grant, Father Chaminade Scholarship and Trustee Scholarship; Wright State University - Green and Gold Scholarship
Alessandra Leadbetter	University of Dayton Merit Scholarship; Xavier University - Merit Scholarship
Tess Luebke	University of Toledo - Athletic Scholarship, Barnes & Noble Scholarship, Choose Ohio First-Tech WISE, Excellence Scholarship, Rocket Housing Grant and Tillotson Scholarship
Claire Ma	Loyola University, Chicago - Presidential Scholarship
Katie Malone	Bowling Green State University - University Freshman Academic Scholarship; Louisiana State University - Academic Scholars Award; The Ohio State University - Trustee Scholarship; University of Toledo - Toledo Excellence Scholarship
Madelyn Martin	Aurora University - Connection Resident Award; St. Michael's College - Institutional Scholarship
Monica Marvet	Bowling Green State University - Grants, Thompson Working Families Scholarship and University Freshman Academic Scholarship; Central Michigan University - CMU Grant and Maroon & Gold Merit Scholarship; Eastern Michigan University - Emerald Scholarship; Kent State University - Academic Achievement Award; Loyola University, Chicago - Loyola Grant and Trustee Scholarship; Miami University - Red Hawk Grant and RedHawk Excellence Scholarship; Michigan State University - Presidential Study Abroad Scholarship and Provost's Scholarship; Penn State University - PSU Discover Assistance Award and PSU Discover Award; University of Toledo - Rocket Advantage Grant and Trustee Scholarship

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Olivia Miller	Lourdes University - Merit Scholarship; Loyola University, Chicago - Dean's Scholarship; University of Toledo - Trustee Scholarship
Abigail Misson	Bowling Green State University - University Freshman Academic Scholarship; Miami University - RedHawk Excellence Scholarship; University of Cincinnati - Cincinnati Century Scholarship; University of Dayton - Deans' Merit Scholarship; University of Toledo - Trustee Scholarship; Xavier University - Merit Scholarship
Addison Monday	Bowling Green State University - University Freshman Academic Scholarship; John Carroll University - John Carroll Grant and Magis Scholarship; State of Ohio Governor's Merit Scholarship; University of Toledo - Rocket Nation Scholarship and Toledo Excellence Scholarship
Reese Morehouse	Bowling Green State University - University Freshman Academic Scholarship; Michigan State University - Presidential Study Abroad Scholarship and President's Scholarship; Ohio University - Ohio Admission Promise Award, Ohio Excellence Scholarship, Ohio Forward Scholarship and Grants; University of Toledo - Toledo Excellence Scholarship
Scarlett Morris	Miami University - RedHawk Excellence Scholarship
Tien Nguyen	Miami University - Red Hawk Grant and RedHawk Excellence Scholarship; University of Cincinnati - Cincinnati Century Scholarship; University of Dayton - President's Merit Scholarship; University of Findlay - Deans Scholarship; University of Kentucky - Bluegrass Spirit Scholarship; University of Pittsburg - Pitt Success Grant, Panther Pride Award and Grants; University of Toledo - Regents Scholarship
KylieEmma Obeto	New York University - Liberal Arts Scholarship

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Zoey Old	Columbia College of Chicago - Dean's Scholarship; Columbus College of Art & Design - Creativity Scholarship; Moore College of Art & Design - Faculty Award and Presidential Scholarship; School of the Art Institute of Chicago - Merit Scholarship
Anaiya Paredes	University of Illinois at Chicago - Merit Award
Elizabeth Pawlicki	Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University - Excellence Award and Presidential Scholarship; Indiana Institute of Technology - Elite Scholarship, Indiana Tech Grant and Ohio Partnership Grant; Miami University - RedHawk Excellence Scholarship; Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology - Early Application Award, RHIT Grant and Rose-Hulman Merit Scholarship; University of Toledo - Rocket Advantage Grant and Toledo Excellence Scholarship
Brynn Peppel	National Naval Reserve Officers Training Corps Scholarship; The Ohio State University - Provost Scholarship
Charlotte Perlaky	Denison University - Leadership Scholarship and Ohio Scholar; Kenyon College - Ohio Promise Scholarship; Miami University - RedHawk Excellence Scholarship
Angel Pettis	Bowling Green State University - University Freshman Academic Scholarship; Duquesne University - Academic Scholarship; John Carroll University - University Scholarship; Loyola University, Chicago - Dean's Scholarship; Wright State University - Take Flight Program Scholar; Xavier University - Engagement Award, Ohio College Opportunity Scholarship, Grants, XU Catholic High School Scholarship, XU Early Filer Grant, XU Housing Grant, XU Muskie Grant, XU Presidential Merit Scholarship and XU Visit Grant
Marina Porter	Baldwin Wallace University - President's Scholar; Ball State University - Provost Award and Tuition Savings Grant; Miami University - Grants, Red Hawk Grant, RedHawk Excellence Scholarship and Teach Grant; Valparaiso University - Housing Grant, Presidential Scholarship and Valpo Fund Alumni Award

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Tyla Rayford	Bowling Green State University - Honors Study Abroad Scholarship, Housing Award, Grants and University Freshman Academic Scholarship
Madeline Riley	Butler University - Academic Scholarship and Butler Scholarship; John Carroll University - Discovery Grant and Magis Scholarship; Loyola University, Chicago - Presidential Scholarship; Miami University - RedHawk Excellence Scholarship; University of Dayton - Adele Scholarship, Commitment to Catholic Education Award and Trustees' Merit Scholarship
Payton Shively	Coastal Carolina University - President's Scholarship
Katharine Smith	Bowling Green State University - Grant; Purdue University, Fort Wayne - Purdue Scholar; The Ohio State University, Lima - Grants
Morgan Smith	Dan Moeller Foundation; Ohio University - Ohio Admission Promise Award and Ohio Excellence Scholarship; Xavier University - Merit Scholarship
Maya Spencer	Indiana University - National Excellence Scholarship; Miami University - RedHawk Excellence Scholarship; Michigan State University - Presidential Study Abroad Scholarship, President's Scholarship, Red Cedar Scholarship and Spartan Futures Grant; University of Dayton - First Year Scholarship; University of Toledo - Toledo Excellence Scholarship
Addison Steer	Bowling Green State University - University Freshman Academic Scholarship; Xavier University - Grant and Merit Scholarship

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Maggie Sulier	Bowling Green State University - Housing Award and University Freshman Academic Scholarship; John Carroll University - Discovery Grant, John Carroll Grant and Magis Scholarship; Miami University - RedHawk Excellence Scholarship; Michigan State University - Presidential Study Abroad Scholarship, President's Scholarship and Spartan Futures Grant; Ohio University - Green & White Scholarship, Ohio Admission Promise Award and Ohio Excellence Scholarship; University of Cincinnati - Cincinnatus Century Scholarship; University of Findlay - Trustee Scholarship; University of Pittsburgh - Panther Pride Award; University of Toledo - Toledo Excellence Scholarship; Xavier University - Dean's Award, XU Catholic High School Scholarship, XU Early Filer Grant, XU Housing Grant, XU Presidential Merit Scholarship and XU Visit Grant"
April Switzenberg	Bowling Green State University - University Freshman Academic Scholarship; University of Toledo - Rocket Advantage Grant and Trustee Scholarship
Giada Terrill	Bowling Green State University - Alumni Association Laureate Book Award, Alumni Association Laureate Scholarship and University Freshman Academic Scholarship; Miami University - RedHawk Excellence Scholarship; University of Toledo - Toledo Excellence Scholarship; Xavier University - Merit Scholarship
Catherine Tohme	Adrian College - Academic Scholarship
Zoe VanOrden	Miami University - Prodesse Scholarship and RedHawk Excellence Scholarship; State of Ohio Governor's Merit Scholarship; University of Cincinnati - CEAS General Scholarship; University of Dayton - Trustees' Merit Scholarship; University of Toledo - Excellence Scholarship

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Izabella Vargas	Miami University - Red Hawk Grant and RedHawk Excellence Scholarship
Erinn Verkennes	Bowling Green State University - University Freshman Academic Scholarship; Miami University - RedHawk Excellence Scholarship; Purdue University, Fort Wayne - Purdue University Scholarship; The Ohio State University - Provost Scholarship; Trine University - Allen Engineering Scholastic Award, Civil Engineering Chair Tuition Scholarship, Out of State Tuition Grant and Tuition Incentive Grant; University of Dayton - Commitment to Catholic Education Award, Common Good Grant and Trustees' Merit Scholarship; University of Toledo - Altschuller Scholarship, Rieman Scholarship Fund Award and Toledo Excellence Scholarship
Sophia Walker	Capital University - Alumni Grant, Comet Community Award, Lutheran Heritage Grant, Main Street Scholarship and President's Award; Miami University - RedHawk Excellence Scholarship; Ohio University - Ohio Admission Promise Award and Ohio Excellence Scholarship; Ohio Wesleyan University - Branch Rickey Scholarship and Provost's Award; University of Dayton - First Year Scholarship; University of Toledo - Regents Scholarship
Siming Wang	University of Minnesota - Global Excellence Scholarship; University of Toledo - International Rocket Award

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Hadley Wernert	Baylor University - Merit Scholarship; Bowling Green State, University - University Freshman Academic Scholarship; Butler University - Academic Scholarship Loyola University, Chicago - Presidential Scholarship; Miami University - Red Hawk Grant and RedHawk Excellence Scholarship; Ohio University - Merit Scholarships; Trine University - Presidential Scholarship, Trine Grants and Trine Opportunity Award; University of Alabama - UA Competitive Admission Scholarship; University of Cincinnati - Cincinnati Century Scholarship; University of Kentucky - Bluegrass Spirit Scholarship, College of Communication & Information Award, UK Horizon Scholarship and William Parker Scholarship; University of Tennessee - Volunteer Scholarship; University of Toledo - Toledo Excellence Scholarship; Xavier University - Merit Scholarship
Brooklynn Williams	Bowling Green State University - University Freshman Academic Scholarship
Mia Williams	Bowling Green State University - University Freshman Academic Scholarship; Grand Valley State University - Award for Excellence; Remarkable Futures Scholarship; University of Cincinnati - Cincinnati Century Scholarship
Rhiannon Zenz	Kent State University - Academic Achievement Award; Wood County Township Association Scholarship

***\*Colleges and scholarships are those received before printing deadlines.***

# Notre Dame Academy Alma Mater

All hail to thee, loved Notre Dame  
As Alma Mater we're proud thee to claim.  
Thy loyal daughters we'll ever be,  
We pledge, Alma Mater, allegiance to thee.  
In hallowed memory enshrined in each heart,  
Are all the great lessons thou strovest to impart,  
Then hail! Thrice hail! We'll ever be true to thee  
And our banner of gold and blue.  
Then hail! All hail!  
We'll ever be true to thee, Notre Dame.

Should ever pleasure's siren lay  
Tempt us from duty's path to stray,  
Or sorrow darken life's rugged way  
Then faith be our guide, our light and stay.  
Reflecting- thru life thy virtues so rare,  
We'll crown thee with honor for thy loving care,  
Be life's way obscure or up heights of fame,  
We'll never forget thee, loved Notre Dame.

Down ages still in rapturous song  
May grateful daughters the strains prolong  
'Til eternal portals open wide  
With thee, loved Queen, fore'er to abide.  
At that great reunion of Notre Dame,  
We'll sing in grand chorus the old refrain:  
"All hail to thee, Our Lady most fair,  
We'll glory forever thy Name to bear.  
Dear Queen, oh deign to bless us thy children,  
Loved Mother, loved Notre Dame."