



Scholarship Recipients

Since its launch in 2012, the WinningEdge Scholarship has awarded over \$970,000 to support hundreds of residents at communities managed by WinnResidential or WinnResidential Military Housing and children or dependents of WinnCompanies team members. For the 2026-27 school year, 59 residents and the children/dependents of 10 employees received financial support to pursue post-secondary education at colleges, universities or professional trade schools.

The 59 scholarship recipients are from 11 states: 48 residents of WinnResidential communities in California, Massachusetts, Maryland, New Hampshire, New York, Rhode Island, and Washington, D.C. The remaining 11 recipients live in privatized military housing operated by WinnResidential Military Housing Services in Hawaii, Kentucky, New York, and Texas.

The WinningEdge Employee Scholarship, which was launched in 2018, was awarded to 10 children of WinnCompanies team members from Hawaii, Massachusetts, New York, Pennsylvania, Tennessee, and Texas.

Our partner, uAspire, evaluated scholarship applications, including transcripts, essays, and personal references, to select recipients based on their academic performance, financial need, demonstrated leadership in school, community, or place of work, and proficiency in their chosen field of study.

Congratulations to the 2026 WinningEdge Scholarship Recipients:

Joseph Jimenez | Casa Bella Apartments | Santa Paula, CA | California State University - Long Beach

Zuleyma Meza Castaneda | Stone Creek | Watsonville, CA | Southeastern University

Shanique Devonish | Millpond Village | Broad Brook, CT | Elms College

Keilah Liverpool | Soundview Landing | Norwalk, CT | Rowan University

Mouhamed Mbengue | Soundview Landing | Norwalk, CT | Connecticut State Community College - Norwalk

Chase Arrington | Island Palm Communities | Oahu, HI | Campbell University

Frizelle Mumbua | Island Palm Communities | Oahu, HI | University of Hawaii Manoa

Kirsten Cezalien | Island Palm Communities | Oahu, HI | University of Maryland Global Campus

Promise Pellom | Island Palm Communities | Oahu, HI | Howard University

Zoe Kubina | Island Palm Communities | Oahu, HI | University of California - Santa Cruz

Mateo Cerritos Gatto | Campbell Crossing | Fort Campbell, KY | University of Kentucky

Haylee Cox-Elmore | Campbell Crossing | Fort Campbell, KY | Murray State University

Elijah Moss | Knox Hills | Fort Knox, KY | University of Kentucky

Jaylen Varela | Knox Hills | Fort Knox, KY | Elizabethtown Community and Technical College
Nichole Saldaña | Knox Hills | Fort Knox, KY | University of Louisville
Amanda Chen | Castle Square | Boston, MA | Boston University
Betty Zhao | Castle Square | Boston, MA | Simmons University
Darren Seto | Castle Square | Boston, MA | Harvard University
Eddy Chen | Castle Square | Boston, MA | Northeastern University
Gordan Liu | Castle Square | Boston, MA | University of Massachusetts Amherst
Jason Mai | Castle Square | Boston, MA | Northeastern University
Lily Huang | Castle Square | Boston, MA | Yale University
Shuyi Zheng | Castle Square | Boston, MA | Northeastern University
Katie Christie | The Residences at Brighton Marine | Brighton, MA | Mass College of Pharmacy & Health Services
Maria Lirette | Walden Square | Cambridge, MA | Bunker Hill Community College
Ailin Chen | CharlesNewtown | Charlestown, MA | Cornell University
Alex Zhang | CharlesNewtown | Charlestown, MA | Suffolk University
Bonnie Guan | CharlesNewtown | Charlestown, MA | Boston University
Helen Deng | CharlesNewtown | Charlestown, MA | Northeastern University
Junli Chen | CharlesNewtown | Charlestown, MA | Northeastern University
Kayla MEI | CharlesNewtown | Charlestown, MA | Northeastern University
Liyuan Chen | CharlesNewtown | Charlestown, MA | Northeastern University
Sunel Gonzalez Amador | CharlesNewtown | Charlestown, MA | Northeastern University
Titus Huang | CharlesNewtown | Charlestown, MA | Bunker Hill Community College
Amy Mariano | Dorchester Family Homes | Dorchester, MA | Suffolk University
D'Ani Jean | Saxonville Village | Framingham, MA | University of Massachusetts - Boston
Jayra Cepeda | Loft Five50 | Lawrence, MA | Emmanuel College
Yuhannoi Bobomurodzoda | Pac10 Lofts | Lawrence, MA | Lesley University
Alex Martins | Bowdoin | Malden, MA | University of Massachusetts - Boston
Samantha Tilin | Bowdoin | Malden, MA | Regis College
Kevenlys Flores | Academy Homes I | Roxbury, MA | Worcester State University
D'Shaun Slade Collins | Beryl Gardens | Roxbury, MA | University of Massachusetts - Lowell
Desmond Diaz | Madison Park III | Roxbury, MA | University of Massachusetts - Boston
Melani Valdez Morillo | Madison Park III | Roxbury, MA | Boston University
Monique Phillip | *Madison Park III* | Roxbury, MA | Labouré College
Daymarie Walker | *Madison Park IV* | Roxbury, MA | Bunker Hill Community College
Diego Abzun Urrutia | *Madison Park IV* | Roxbury, MA | Framingham State University
Esperanza Knudson | *Madison Park IV* | Roxbury, MA | Worcester State University
Jamari Ellis | *Madison Park IV* | Roxbury, MA | Worcester State University

Jelitza Romero | Madison Melnea Cass Apartments | Roxbury Crossing, MA | Bunker Hill Community College
Emilio Saez-Gonzalez | Pequot Highlands | Salem, MA | Suffolk University
Iliana Fernandez | Pequot Highlands | Salem, MA | Salem State University
Akeelah Carter | Allen Park | Springfield, MA | Springfield College
Shamara Cephas | Calvin Mowbray Park & Stephen Camper Park | Cambridge, MD | Hofstra University
Hajir Eissa | Eagles Bluff | Concord, NH | University of New Hampshire
Sabrina Kourafas | Evergreen East | Fairport, NY | Cornell University
Saprina Hamlett | Cavalry Family Housing | Fort Hood, TX | Concorde Career College
Andrea Epps | Atlantic Terrace | Washington, DC | Arizona State University
Samia Dorsey | Southern Hills | Washington, DC | Trinity Washington University

Congratulations to the 2026 WinningEdge Employee Scholarship Recipients:

Lotogatasi Fatiaki | Oahu, HI | Brigham Young University
Otavio Perks | Boston, MA | Temple University
Maya Luna | Worcester, MA | Salem State University
Arslang Ivanov | Brooklyn, NY | CUNY Borough of Manhattan Community College
Logan LHuillier | Watertown, NY | Jefferson Community College
Ella Priestley | Watertown, NY | Jefferson Community College
Karina Smith | Philadelphia, PA | Lincoln University
Aiyhana Kariza Mae Cleto | Killeen, TX | Texas State University
Alexandra Rodriguez Vega | Killeen, TX | The University of Texas at San Antonio
Shanti Radhay | Killeen, TX | University of Mary Hardin Baylor