



THE SECRETARY OF EDUCATION
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On behalf of President Biden, First Lady Jill Biden, and all of us at the U.S. Department of Education, congratulations on receiving the 2024 President's Education Award. I applaud you for your dedication and enthusiasm for learning.

Education is the gateway to a bright and prosperous future. Since 1983, students have been honored with the President's Education Award for their dedication and commitment to academic excellence. I appreciate your commitment to academic achievement, and I encourage you to continue to pursue a life of learning—so you can reach your full potential. By taking your schoolwork seriously today, you can attain the skills you need to succeed in life and achieve your dreams.

I am grateful for your parents, caregivers, and educators for their hard work to build the minds and character of our country's young people. Your efforts reflect the spirit of America.

I encourage you to always set your sights high, and I wish you the very best in the years ahead.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Miguel A. Cardona".

Miguel A. Cardona, Ed.D.
U.S. Secretary of Education