

## Special Tribute to PSUSD Graduates Inside!

### PSUSD Provides Free Summer Meals for Children

The Palm Springs Unified School District announces sponsorship of the Summer Food Service Program for the Summer of 2019. Free meals are being provided to all children 18 years of age and younger, beginning June 10, weekdays, at the following sites below. For more information on times or locations, call (760) 322-4117, or text 'FOOD' or 'COMIDA' to 877-877.

#### Summer Feeding Sites 2019

Name	Meal	Meal Times	Dates of Service
Cathedral City High School 69-250 Dinah Shore Rd, Cathedral City	Brkfst Lunch	7:30-8:00 11:00-11:30	June 10 - July 23
Desert Hot Springs High School 65-850 Pierson Blvd, Desert Hot Springs	Lunch	11:30-11:55	June 10 - July 5
Palm Springs High School 2401 E Baristo RD, Palm Springs	Lunch	11:30-12:00	June 10 - June 28 July 8 - July 19
Rancho Mirage High School 31001 Rattler Road, Rancho Mirage	Lunch	11:00-11:30	June 10 - June 21 July 1 - July 23
Mount San Jacinto High 30-800 Landau Blvd., Cathedral City	Lunch	11:00-11:30	June 10 - June 21
Nellie Coffman Middle School 34-603 Plumley, Cathedral City	Lunch	11:00-11:30	July 29 -August 2
Painted Hills Middle School 9250 Sonora Drive, Desert Hot Springs	Lunch	11:00-11:30	July 29 -August 2
James Workman Middle 69-300 30th Avenue, Cathedral City	Lunch	11:00-11:30	July 29 -August 2

Name	Meal	Meal Times	Dates of Service
James O' Jessie Desert Highland 480 Tramview, Palm Springs (Baristo Road)	Brkfst Lunch	9:00 - 9:30 1:00-1:30	June 10 - August 2
City of Palm Springs Pavilion Sunrise Park BBQ	Lunch Snack	11:00 - 1:00 3:30 - 4:00	June 10 - August 1 June 10 - August 2
Boys & Girls Club Cathedral City 32-141 Whispering Palms Trail, Cathedral City	Lunch Snack	12:00 - 12:45 3:00 - 3:30	June 10 - August 2
Ocotillo Park 33-300 Moreno Rd., Cathedral City	Supper	5:30 - 7:00	June 10 - July 27
Wardman Park 65750 Eighth Street, Desert Hot Springs	Supper	5:30 - 7:00	June 10 - July 27
Boys & Girls Club - Mecca 91391 66th Ave., Mecca	Lunch	12:30 - 1:15	June 10 - Aug. 9
Boys & Girls Club - Coachella 85350 Bagdad Ave., Coachella	Lunch	11:00 - 11:45	June 10 - August 9
Thousand Palms Community Center 31-189 Robert Road, Thousand Palms	Lunch	12:00 - 12:30	June 17 - August 2

#### Summer Feeding Sites 2019 - For Enrolled Students only

Borrego Health, Katherine Finchy, Casa Del Sol, PSUSD Family Center, District Service Center (Borrego through Aug. 2. All others July 8-26).

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### Family English Learner Programs Set for July

English Learner (EL) students and their families are invited to participate in daily hands-on literacy lessons and activities weekdays between July 8 and 26.

From 8 a.m. to noon at the Palm Springs Family Engagement Center, Desert Hot Springs Family Engagement Center and Casa del Sol Mobile Home Park in Desert Hot Springs, English Learners in early

childhood education through 12th grade and their family members can stop by any day or days or their choosing for some summer fun and learning prior to the start of school on Aug. 7. The program will include reading activities, learning games and crafts. Drop-ins are welcome, and registration is not required. For more information, call (760) 883-2701, ext. 5032.

Other summer activities under way for District English Learners include a two-week first grade "Spring into Science" camp that concludes on June 21. ELs in grades three and four have been invited to participate in a two-week literacy and engineering

program where students rotate through various student-centered classes. That program, along with a similar program for grades five through eight that focuses on math and engineering, ends June 26.

High school English Learners are being given the opportunity to work on A-G coursework through the District's "Mission Graduate" program through June 28. Dual Immersion students in grades kindergarten through three have been invited to participate in a two-week Summer Language Enrichment program to extend language through science that also concludes June 28.

English Learners in second grade have been

invited to a "Summer Creator Camp," aimed at expanding and enhancing through computer science. Upcoming sessions are July 8 through 12, and July 15-18. "Kinder Camp" will be offered at the end of July at select elementary sites for ELs to help them get ready for school through language experience activities in listening, speaking reading and writing.

A three-week family dance class is planned for the Palm Springs Family Engagement Center next month. Check the website at <https://www.pusud.us/familycenter> for more information.

## TOP GRADUATES - Cathedral City High School (Ranked left to right, top to bottom)



## TAKING IT TO THE NEXT LEVEL - Cathedral City High School

### Academy of Arts University

Ashley D. Mejia-Salazar

### Air Force Academy

Elsie D. Iping

### Animal Behavioral College

Priscilla M. Martinez

### Arizona State University

Richard L. Lopez-Gomez

### Cal Poly Pomona

Ulyses Leon

Allena N. Taong

### Cal State Chico

Jessica L. Flores

Paula N. Perez Rios

Luis A. Rodriguez-Cervantes

Angelina L. Torres

### Cal State Dominguez Hills

Nikita A. Marchand

### Cal State East Bay

Alexia E. Rodriguez

### Cal State Fullerton

Sofia C. Avila

Valerie D. Lara

Mayra Martinez

Juliana G. Miguez

Edwin J. Rodriguez

Nina A. Wallace

### Cal State Long Beach

Luis A. Granados

### Cal State San Bernardino

Melissa L. Almaraz

Erika Arcos

Celeste C. Boyd

Evelyn M. Cuellar

Karla J. Garcia

Melizza Gonzalez-Gaspar

Vianey Masaky

Marck Antony Morataya Ajanel

Sarahy Orozco

Alejandro Ozuna

Emely A. Reyes

Stephanie Rodriguez

Judith E. Silva Valdez

Marco A. Tolama Tepoxtecatl

Mark C. Torres

Genesis A. Valenzuela

Valeria Vazquez

### California Baptist University

Zenia M. Hernandez

Amy K. Moreno Valdez

### Champion Institute of Cosmetology

Carolina G. Beltran Montoya

Laisha N. Lopez

### COD

Jomar P. Agbayani

Beatriz D. Aguirre

Jessica A. Aldana Lemus

Diego Alvarez

Angela R. Amaya

Natalie A. Arce

Oscar Arcos-Trejo

Freddy A. Arellano

Alicia N. Avila

Mariah L. Baker

Alexandra Balagtas

Jordan D. Balter

Jair A. Bernal

DeAndre D. Bradley

Jordan A. Bradley

Marcos J. Brenes

Aj R. Burke

Andrew R. Calderon

Galilea Calderon

Elizabeth Camarena Villegas

Ivan Campos

Merary D. Castro Lopez

Sergio A. Cazares Manriquez

Luis B. Cervantes-Colorado

Manny Chacon Jr.

Alexandra Chavez

Monserrat Y. Chavez

Alejandro A. Corletto

Rosa I. Corona

Jasmine R. Correa

Alfredo J. Covarrubias

Daniel Cruz

Shyleen A. De Leon

Angel E. Delgado-Diaz

Zamarah M. Diaz

Jose L. Diaz De Leon

Nasrey J. Eid

David A. Federis

Adriana Fernandez

Alejandra Fernandez

Nevaeh-Jaid M. Flores

Cindy G. Flores Larin

Brodi R. Fournier

Christopher A. Garcia

Emily Karli T. Garcia

Marina V. Garcia

Xavier D. Garcia

Juana I. Garcia Benitez

Maria D. Garcia Clavel

Alexandra Garcia-Jimenez

Jose Luis Garibay Reyes

Simon P. Gerardo

Kevin B. Gonzalez Salazar

Juliana Granillo-Duarte

Jose M. Guevara

Noah C. Guillin

Baltazar Gutierrez

Citlali A. Madrid Gutierrez

Erick Estuardo Guzman Arita

Maria C. Hernandez

Selena A. Hernandez

Eduardo A. Hernandez-Covarrubias

Jacob D. Hoffmeier

Yvanna A. Hoyos

Selena R. Hueraca

Angel Jaramillo Ascencio

Pedro Jaramillo-Villalobos

Jar'zeno S. Jarrett

Maya M. Jimenez

Ryan G. Jimenez

Amber Lara

Edgar A. Leyva

Alondra Linares

Victor M. Lindo Hernandez

Efrain A. Lopez Jr.

Jazmin A. Lopez

Julian A. Loya

Lizbette Luna

Jared Marquez-Reyes

Christian J. Martinez

Jorge A. Miron

Makennah Y. Montes

Magdalena Mora Garcia

Leslie Morales

Alyssa Navarro

Lida Nguyen-Phuoc

Cristian Noriega

Julianna Ortega

Gelmy M. Ortiz

Leslie Ortiz

Marco A. Perez

Edgar Ponce

Alexis Ramirez

Janely S. Ramirez

Maricruz Ramirez Hernandez

Stephany Ramirez-Lopez

Karen M. Ramos

Irene Reyes

Jayliann A. Rivas

Adrian R. Rodriguez

Brayan Rodriguez

Juan M. Rodriguez

Jonathan F. Rodriguez-Sauceda

Lisa V. Rojas Araujo

Tessa D. Rojas Velasco

Isaiah A. Roman

Faviola Romero

Rodolfo Jr Rubio

Alondra Ruiz

Galilea Viridiana D. Salcido

Ariana Sanchez

Yves M. Santiago

Emmanuel L. Solis

Daniel G. Solis-Rivera

Andy M. Soriano

Jose M. Tapia

Gema P. Toscano Martinez

Giuliana Tovar

Ibet Urias

Fortino A. Valle

Sydney O. Van Horn

Dominic W. Vargas

Mitzie Y. Vasquez-Elias

Jesus A. Vazquez

Marcela E. Villanueva Torrez

Cesar A. Zavala

### Crown College

Dominique A. Urbina-Cruz

### Grand Canyon University

Melanie E. Hernandez Jimenez

Alma L. Rubio

### International School of Beauty

Juana G. Raya Vargas

Yoselyn N. Rivera Zavala

### Jobcorps

Elias M. Garcia

Domingo A. Velazco

### Mayfield College

Nayeli Meza-Rojo

### Modesto Junior College

Charles Davis T. Cliano

### Palomar College

Angela B. Morfin

### Riverside City College

Jacqueline G. Diaz

### San Bernardino Valley College

Randy R. Avina

Ilse Daniela Moreno Pacheco

Conner M. Robles

### San Francisco State University

Gina L. Milanovich

Nataniele V. Scarantino

### San Jose State University

Alexia X. Mendez

### Santa Monica Community College

Juan R. De La Cruz Reyes

### School of Career Education

Vanessa Meza Santiago

### Sky Fly Aviation School

Dulce M. Reyes Perez

### UC Davis

Gustavo Serrano

### UC Irvine

Fernando Aguilar

Alan Diaz

### UC Merced

Jorman Saucedo

### UC Riverside

Luisa A. Cabrera Tapia

Jessal S. Corona

Sergio Diaz-Perez

### UC San Diego

Siomara S. Galvez

### UC Santa Barbara

Daniel O. Alvarado

Crystal M. Martinez

### UC Santa Cruz

Agustin J. Garcia

### University of Redlands

Mariana Hernandez Parra

Pamela L. Leon

### US Air Force

Lee Talamantes

### US Army

Carlos Meza

### US Marine Corps

Renata Lopez

### Whittier College

Trinity J. Walker

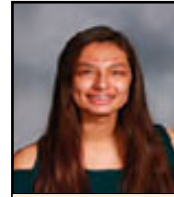
## TOP GRADUATES – Desert Hot Springs High School (Ranked left to right, top to bottom)



Jorge Castaneda (Co-valedictorian)  
UCLA



Gilbert Regalado (Co-valedictorian)  
UCLA



Valeria Arredondo  
UC Irvine



Nathaly Castillo Orozco  
UC Santa Barbara



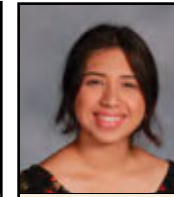
Don Huynh  
Cal Poly Pomona



Angela Chapman  
UC San Diego



Bernardo A. Gonzalez Valdovinos  
UC Santa Barbara



Joanne Quinteros-Calderon  
UC San Diego



Nyah Rodriguez  
COD



Abigail Garcia Abaroa  
UC San Diego



Danielle Linares  
UC Santa Barbara



Zakery Terry  
National Guard



Edwin Oros  
CSU Domingo Hills



Areli Garcia-Tostado  
CSU San Bernardino



Kevin Resendiz  
CSU Long Beach



Michael Bobro  
UC San Diego



Felipe Vega  
UC Irvine



Paola Contreras Acevedo  
Riverside City College



Aszhiah McAfee  
CSU Long Beach



Salvador Robles Perez  
UC San Diego

## TAKING IT TO THE NEXT LEVEL - Desert Hot Springs High School

### California Nurses Educational Institute

Aubrianna Basquez  
Champion Institute of  
Cosmetology  
Kiara Amaya  
Kalie Yeckley  
COD  
Aaron Abina  
Benjamin Acosta  
Esmeralda Alvarado-Reyes  
Carlos Alvarez  
Esteban Arcinięga  
Anahi Arellano  
Ruby Arellano  
Anan Arias  
Mitzi Arreguin  
Reyna Arreola  
Taiz Arteaga  
Brayan Avalos  
Jose Barajas  
Vanessa Bautista  
Brianna Belleville  
Briana Beltran  
Christophilus Bench  
Martin Bojorquez  
Dylan Bradley  
Dominic Bryan  
Jordan Butler  
Paloma Cabrera  
Noemi Camargo  
Miguel Carbajal  
Fernando Cardona  
Angelina Carey  
Fabiola Casarrubias  
Michael Casillas  
Jennifer Castanon  
Christina Castro  
Luis Castro-Sanchez

Adrian Chapa  
Bryam Chevez  
Michell Cisneros  
Isaiah Conner  
Eduardo Contreras  
Emily Cruz  
Kaylee Cunningham  
Isaiah Davis  
Isaac De Leon  
Yasmin Delgadillo  
Brian Delgado  
Tyquariouse Denmon  
Micaela Diaz  
Benjamin Dominguez  
Armando Duarte  
Wendy Duenas  
Grayson Duff  
Claudia Enriquez  
Jose Escobedo  
Brayan Espana  
Giovanni Evans  
Kieara Everling  
Brianna Flenor  
Lereisha Forby  
Jada Forby  
Scarlett Fuerte  
Nicholas Gamboa  
German Garcia  
Ivan Gomez  
Kimberly Gonzalez  
Gerardo Gonzalez  
Arely Gonzalez  
Fred Gutierrez  
Paola Gutierrez  
Denisse Gutierrez  
Johnathan Gutierrez  
Ariana Halverson  
Kalob Harris

Kunanoon Hataitara  
Larissa Henry  
Areli Hernandez  
Abigail Hernandez  
Eliseo Hernandez  
Jesus Hernandez Chavez  
Karime Herrera-Santos  
Nancy Ibarra Rivas  
Kayla Jimenez  
James Johnson  
Crystal Johnson  
Emily Lemus Hernandez  
Daniel Lewis  
Miriam Lievanos  
Daniela Lopez  
Maricela Lopez  
Carlos Lopez  
Jeniffer Lopez  
Bryan Lopez  
Omar Lopez Munoz  
Zachary Maier  
Andrea Manning  
Manuel Marroquin  
Johanna Martinez  
Dillon Martinez  
Diego Martinez  
Carlos Martinez  
Miranda Matthews  
Vincent McDonald  
Michelle McGee  
Zion McQueen  
Brian Meza  
Mathew Mifflin  
Ezequiel Minero  
Melissa Monjaras  
Meiah Montanez  
Angel Moran  
Arianna Moreno

Maximus Morin  
Alonzo Moss  
Bethanny Navarro  
Sean Nguyen  
Kiana Noriega  
Gabriel Orellana  
Anthony Oros  
Mariela Orozco  
Nadiyah Orozco  
Martin Pacheco-Ramirez  
Jessica Padilla  
Ivan Pallares  
Pilar Paniagua  
Kenya Parada  
Cristian Parra  
Jennifer Perales  
Zedikyah Perez  
Jorge Perez  
Daniel Perez  
Rebecca Pescador  
Cali Phares  
Michelle Pine  
Cristian Pineda Guevara  
Jonah Powell  
Jacqueline Puentes  
Marliz Ramirez  
Cesar Ramirez  
Gisela Rivera  
Yadira Rivera-Villa  
Leslie Robles-Cabrero  
Naomi Rodriguez  
Frankie Rodriguez  
Esperansa Rodriguez  
Mariana Rodriguez-Vargas  
Angel Roman  
Noemi Romero  
Gustavo Rosario  
Carlos Royacelli

Jose Rubio  
Diego Ruiz  
Aramaya Ruiz  
Nissael Salazar  
Eliel Sanchez  
Guillermo Saucedo  
Andrew Schrader  
Evelyn Serna  
Valerie Smith  
Jayden Snyder  
Mileidy Solorzano  
Timo Soriano  
Lily Taylor  
Robert Taylor  
Mariano Teran  
Joe Torres  
Mariah Torres  
Marco Torres  
Nicolas Torres  
Italy Trejo  
Marissa Tripodi  
Joshua Tyson  
Yakelin Urbina  
Emilio Uribe  
Tania Valle  
Rene Valtierra  
Juan Vargas  
Michael Vega  
Yesenia Velarde  
Alyn Velasco  
Roberto Velez  
Lilian Verdugo  
Karina Villa  
Esperanza Villarreal  
Abigail Zavala  
Concordia University of Irvine  
Brisa Andrade

Copper Mountain  
Community College  
Cassandra Olivas  
CSU Bakersfield  
Osvaldo Medina  
CSU Dominguez Hills  
Kyla Bowman  
Mercy Calvo-Cruz  
CSU Fullerton  
Lizeth Blanco Ochoa  
Edwin Fernandez  
CSU Long Beach  
Arianna Perez  
Guadalupe Rocha-Garcia  
CSU Pomona  
Kasandra Badilla  
Victor Elizalde  
Eliana Espino-Elicea  
Vanessa Reymundo  
CSU San Bernardino  
Maria Arellano  
Nora Duenas  
Jorge Fernandez  
Alexandro Franco  
Aneth Hernandez  
Anna Lissa Hernandez Martinez  
Fernando Lievano  
Missael Monjaraz  
Mark Navarro  
Osvaldo Reyes Contreras  
Hilda Romero  
Fatima Villanueva  
Julia Zamorano  
CSU San Marcos  
Leonardo Gutierrez  
Grossmont College  
Charles Watson

Mayfield College  
Miriam Oros  
Nhadine Reynoso  
Milan Institute  
Jacqueline Gallardo  
Riverside City College  
Kimberly Orozco  
San Diego Mesa College  
David Herrera  
San Diego State University  
Christien Peters  
Santa Barbara City College  
Nathan Kelly  
UC Riverside  
Crystal Easley  
Giselle Loaliza  
UC San Diego  
Karem Felipe Maciel  
Bryant Rodriguez Vargas  
Universal Technical Institute  
Ricardo Acevedo  
Cristofer Ceja  
Pedro Nunez  
Hugo Sanchez  
Johan Sandoval  
Jesus Vargas  
Moises Villarreal  
US Army  
Jose Ramirez  
Cassidy Russell  
US Marine Corps  
Dominic Camacho  
Emme Coleman-Mora  
Oscar Rodriguez

## Top Graduates – Mount San Jacinto High School (Ranked left to right, top to bottom)



**Daisy Valdivia**  
COD



**Nayeli Cortes**  
National Guard



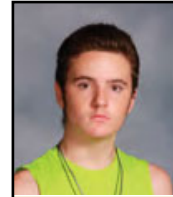
**Jesus Giron**  
COD



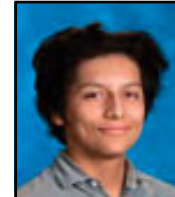
**Christian Covarrubias**  
COD



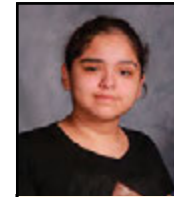
**Elizabeth A. Martinez**  
COD



**Travis Cunningham**  
COD



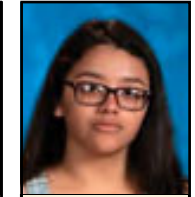
**Ramiro R. Cortes**  
Undecided



**Lorena Melchor**  
COD



**Natalie Livreri**  
COD



**Yazmin Torres Monroy**  
Community College



**Ulysses Colin-Miranda**  
Undecided



**Joseline N. Salinas**  
COD



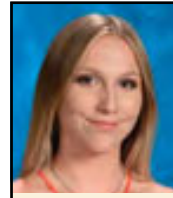
**Valeria Rubalcava**  
Undecided



**Moises Vargas**  
Undecided



**Destinee Herrera**  
Undecided



**Samantha Orson-Johnson**  
Undecided



**Alan Lepe**  
COD



**Francisco Oros Rangel**  
Undecided



**Hillary Calderon**  
COD



**Summer Lomas**  
COD

## Taking it to the next level - Mount San Jacinto High School

### Barber School

Jesus Cardenas

### COD

Gilberto Alvarado

Ruby Aragon Chavez

Myranda Arias

Amaree Belcarris

Alexis Cambron-Franco

Randolph Carrillo

Edwin Castellanos-Acosta

Ammy Castilla

Myra Castillo

Ulises Castillo Martinez

Jennifer Cova

Abraham Delgado

Vianey Diaz

Kimberly Draves

Jocelyn Flores

Yolanda Fox

Andrew Garcia

Justinn Garcia

Aaliya Gardenhire

Eliazar Gonzalez

Yuritzi Graciano

Daniel Henriquez

Christopher Hernandez

Nicholas Honoré

Jaime Jaimes

Samuel Jimenez

Josue Jimenez

Natalie Livreri

Cameron Lumbert

Joseph Macias

Christopher Mancilla

Sebastian Martinez

Job Martinez-Fernandez

Tyler McNair

Shadde Medina Canales

Tanai Mullen

Mathew Munguia

David Murrieta

Salvador Nieto

Christopher Orr

Alan Ortiz

Jose Pantoja Vargas

Christian Parra

Angelica Patricio

Jimi Pierson-Lucero

Sierra Ponce

Jorge Portugal-Leon

George Reed

Ivan Reyes

Desirae Rios

Miguel Rodriguez

David Rodriguez

Andrew Rodriguez

Laysha Rodriguez

Zuleyka Roman

Orion Russell

Anahi Salinas

Zachary Sanchez

Francisco Sanchez

Gissel Sanchez-Rodriguez

Jonathan Sawdey

Michael Serpas

Damarah Smith

Eric Talamantes

Michael Trejo

Destinee Williams

Kaela Williams-Alvarez

**Cosmetology School**

Annabel Villarreal

**Culinary School**

Rafael Pineda

### Mayfield College

Obdulia Uriostegui

### Musicians Institute

Jose Sotelo

### Palo Verde College

Brooke Davis

### US Air Force

Linda Chavez

John Michael Gallegos

### US Marine Corps

Josh Davis

### UTI

Preston Joseph

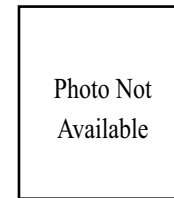
## Desert Learning Academy - PSUSD's Hybrid Learning School (Ranked left to right)



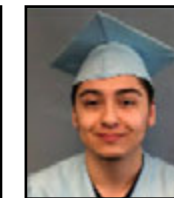
**Jessica Hamilton**  
COD



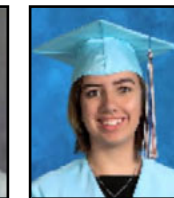
**Jacqueline M. Carreon**  
CSUSB



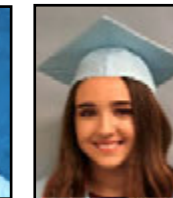
**Elliott S. Kading**  
COD



**Victor M. Estrada Jr.**  
COD



**Liberty A. Justice**  
UC Riverside



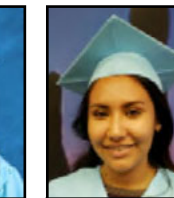
**Allyson N. Boehm**  
USC



**Dallen S. Stevens**  
COD



**Clarissa J. Godinez-Cruz**  
COD



**Rosalva Chavez Renteria**  
COD



**Logan J. Brennan**  
COD

### COD

Viviana Torres Altamirano

Carolina I. Arcos

Enrique I. Arias

Fernando G. Beltran

Elijah Beverly

Darion R. Botley

Lotus Ananda O Detiege

Danaya E. Franklin

Luis D. Gomez

Brandy Greer

Renaya L. Hall

Krystal B Hernandez

Edtrianna M. Jackson

Nayeli Tzitali Z. Liera

Pedro P. Lopez

Michael D. Lowery

Angel M. Luna

Ethan M Maletta

Ashton M. Marcia

Heather A. Mills

Juan P. Valladares-Reyes, Jr.

Derek P. Smith

Deborah A. Whitfield

David K. Zamora



# TOP GRADUATES - Palm Springs High School (Ranked left to right, top to bottom)



**Kimberly Inzunza**  
UC Irvine



**Miguel A. Buenrostro**  
UCLA



**Raquel Ana M. Bush**  
Duke University



**Jenan E. Cameranesi**  
Yale University



**Matthew B. Lawrence**  
UC San Diego



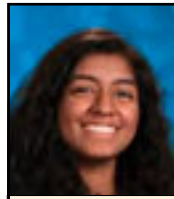
**Celise Y. Vaughan**  
UC Irvine



**Chamada March**  
UCLA



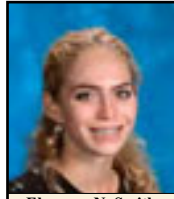
**Bethany L. Hatsios**  
UC Irvine



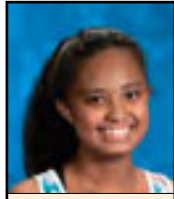
**Anisha A. Jayasekara**  
UC Irvine



**Giovanna M. Francisco**  
UC San Diego



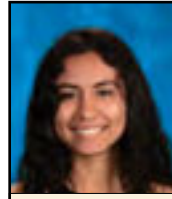
**Eleanor N. Smith**  
College of the Desert



**Anne Jeanette F. Opleda**  
UC Riverside



**Ian D. Guzman**  
UC San Diego



**Eva S. Lopez**  
UCLA



**Lilliana A. Chalfant**  
UC San Diego



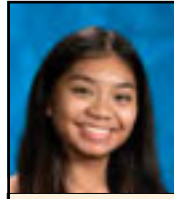
**Ahmed Nahian**  
Cal Baptist University



**Alexis D. Schrock**  
UCLA



**Carolina Pacheco**  
UC Santa Barbara



**Jenna-May R. Ingal**  
UC San Diego



**Sophie E. Fragen**  
University of Arizona

## TAKING IT TO THE NEXT LEVEL - Palm Springs High School

### Appalachian State University

Carlos Hernandez

### Arizona Christian University

Griffin Swan

### Arizona State University

Zachary Parker

### Art Center College of Design

Alec Foster

### Austin College

Michael Marks

### Azusa Pacific University

Esmeralda Diaz-Duran

### Biola University Conservatory of Music

Oliver Trinidad

### Brigham Young University

Reyna Garcia

### California Advanced Esthetics

Baylee Gonzalez

### California Nurses Educational Institute

Devinney Toledo

### Cal Poly Pomona

Maricela Wright

### California Baptist University

Fabyan Elias

Dafney Garcia

Christian Maldonado

Ahmed Nahian

### COD

Bryan Agriam

Ellaine Jane Agriam

Marielle Anne Aguilar

Rommel Ahorro

Joseph Alexander

Bryant Alexander-Gray

Fares Alzayat

Gisselle Amaya Campos

Eva Arias

Corey Aubrey

Princess Yra Ayala

Darias Ayala

Sierra Barrick

Jessica Bazan

Fernando Beltran Verdugo

Darius Berry

Vanessa Blanchette

Carmarius Botley

Alexander Brennan

Miciah Brown

Ticiah Brown

Lorenzo Cabanas

Marcelo Calixto

Cristian Calixto

Chloe Campbell

Merilyn Carias

Angel Carmona

Mayana Carpenter

Elyssa Carr

Armando Castillo Gabriel

Richard Castillo Gabriel

Sarah Chavez

Estefany Chiroy-Callejas

Ryan Collett

Eduardo Contreras

Emiliano Cornejo Martin

Claudia Cossio

Javanni Crawford-Garcia

Maria Cruz Aleman

Romualdo Fernando Cuamani

Nayeli Cuello

Shekinah Daffon

Zau'marrion Dezeum

Christina Dollar

Jeremy Dotson

Jacob Duardo

Jerret Dunn

Damion Duran

Joseph Ericson

Reese Frenter

Misty Fuentes

Baruk Garcia

Vanessa Garcia

Damian Garcia

Wendy Garcia

Brittney Genis

Christina Godinez

Jamie Gooding

Charles Graham

Anija Grays

Alondra Guerra Bautista

Dulce Gutierrez

Jocelyn Hernandez

Denise Hernandez

Jessica Herrera

Veronica Herrera

Megan Horn

Michael Howard

Jackson Hunter

Israel Idelfonso

Me'ssiah Jackson

Julissa Jacobo

Stephanie Jimenez

Kevin Jimenez

Kelton Johnson

Callie Johnson Reichle

Karina Juarez

Thea Arielle Kahamung

Danely Landeros

Megan Lettis

Supachat Likittham

Adrianna Limon

Cesar Lopez

Leylani Lopez

Angel Lozano Avila

Venn Joshua Macadangdang

Moises Macias

Kayleigh Maderick

Carlos Martinez

Edwin Martinez

Melannie Medina

Robert Medina

Ashley Messemore

Vanessa Meza

Kai Miguel

Nicole Mishler

Delenn Moment

Raul Morado

Edgar Moreira

Kira Moreno

Jazlyn Muratalla-Gonzalez

Melisa Oropeza

Marissa Ortiz

Karla Ortiz-Mendez

Giovanni Pelaez

Alexis Perez

Angela Piedrasanta Contreras

Destinee Pozos

Aryana Puentes

Ariel Quevedo

Alejandro Quevedo

Nareth Ramirez

Bianca Ramos

Anastasia Reagins

Alondra Reyes

Katrina Rodas

Albert Rodriguez

Francisco Rodriguez

Matthew Rodriguez

Damaris Rodriguez

Cruz Rodriguez

Oscar Rojas

Genesis Roldan-Ramirez

Sonia Romero

Luis Romero Rodriguez

Josue Salas

Jazmin Saldana

Valeria Sanchez

Andrew Santa Cruz

Eydi Serrano

D Ajanae Session

Hunter Shapan

Estefani Silva

Joshua Slusher

Elizabeth Solis

Manuel Suarez

Sloan Swafford

Jillian Tayag

Angel Tepezano

Viviana Torres

Julian Trinidad

Valerie Valladares

Evelyn Valverde-Martinez

Emmanuel Vargas

Jennifer Vasquez

Inri Velasco

Arnel Velasco

Gerardo Villalba-Aguilar

Thomas Wang

Anthony Weedon

Samantha Zacarias

Tania Ramirez

### CSU Dominguez Hills

Caitlin Melton

Ismael Rodriguez

### CSU Fresno

Maribel Duran Wright

Novye James

### CSU Fullerton

Emily Alverdin

Hailey Avalos

Logan Bender

Carlos Camacho

Alvin Castillo

Alexis Garcia

Alison Grein

Emmanuel Perez-Martinez

Gustavo Sanchez

Kyleigh Villa

### CSU Long Beach

Cole Brett-Burks

### CSU San Bernardino

Melisa Rose Agresor

Hailey Aguilar

Hector Alvarado

Mikaela Asierdin Dizon

Jose Avalos

Aurek Boutte

Ernesto Bravo

Bianca Covarrubias

Natalia Dominguez

Julia Dulay

Julissa Enriquez Becerra

Marleen Gonzalez

Johana Herrera

Nayeli Jimenez

Mariana Lanca

Aeron Lapuz

Jacqueline Leon

Alyanna Rae Macaranas

Cleofel Macavinta

Cristina Ochoa

Richard Pimentel

Valeria Ramirez

Beatrice Angela Raymundo

Eliel Rebollo Beltran

Camila Reyes

Cipriano Rodriguez Jr.

Pamela Sandoval

Hailey Siegand

Jasmine Teegarden

Giovanni Toxqui

Destinee Valdez

Ana Velarde Toledo

Xavien Villanueva

### CSU San Marcos

Ricardo Cortes

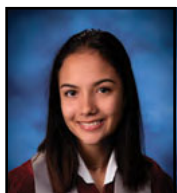
Selena Martinez Ayon

### Cuesta College

Caitlin Melton

### Dixie State University

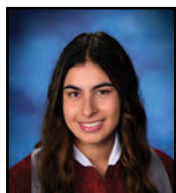
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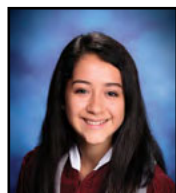
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UC San Diego



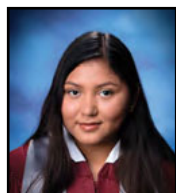
**Patrice Anne Rein Malapit**  
COD



**Jeana Tijerina**  
UC Riverside



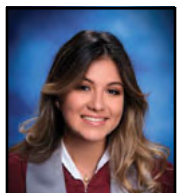
**Valeria Sabrina Plasencia Caipo**  
UC Berkeley



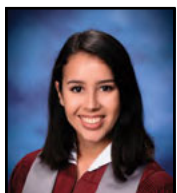
**Carol Roque**  
UC Santa Barbara



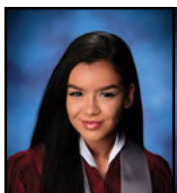
**Tyler J. Ramil**  
UC Santa Barbara



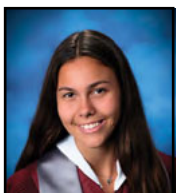
**Jenissia D. Rios**  
University of Redlands



**Miranda R. Becerra**  
CSU Long Beach



**Isabella C. Artino**  
UC Riverside



**Aiyanna M. Becker**  
UC Santa Barbara



**Natasha A. Dejkoski**  
UC Riverside



**Maglia F. Sabio Rider**  
Rider University



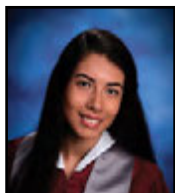
**Lauryn F. Carroll**  
Life Pacific University



**Emilio De Jesus Ponce Gomez**  
USC



**Leonardo Guzman**  
UC Santa Barbara



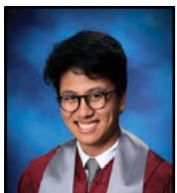
**Paulina Colon**  
CSU San Bernardino



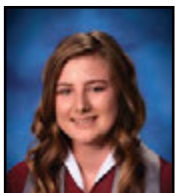
**Antonio Macias-Gonzalez**  
UC Riverside



**Jesus A. Moto**  
UC Santa Barbara



**Juan Carlos C. Veneracion**  
CSU Fullerton



**Raelynn M. Hapner**  
CSU Fresno

## TAKING IT TO THE NEXT LEVEL - Rancho Mirage High School

### Academy of Art University

Satrishia White

### Agnes Scott College

Sajada Parker

### American Academy of Dramatic Arts

Brianna Erb

### Arizona State University

Shaylynn Itric Hernandez

Vanessa Teapila

### Azusa Pacific University

Autumn Hawkins

### Barry University at Miami

Dominique Pineda

### Cal Nurses Educational Institute

Nahjae Knight

Yovana Hernandez-Rodriguez

### Cinema Makeup School in LA

Diana Arias

### CNEI program

Jonas Covarrubias

### COD

Annett Aguilar Romero

Alec Aguilar

Kiara Sayre Aguilar

Tanya Alvarez

Rafael Amador

Naomi Dali Ascencio

Fernando Avila

Angelina Benedictos

Salma Benitez

Kiara Marie Bragg

Fredy Jr. Carias-Orellano

Triston Carter

Jasmine Castellon

Amber Rayn Castillo

Brandon Clark

Sadey J. Coro

Coronado Nunuz

Miguel A. Covarrubias

Valerie Davalos

Jocelyn Diaz

Spencer Dickinson

Leisa Marie Drury

Tanner James Ellis

Madison Ferrer

Gabriel E. Gallegos

Angelica Garcia Flores

Matthew Fraso

Angel R Garcia

Cristina Graciano Garcia

Venezia Bresseida Giron

Guzman Palacios - Angel Edward

Jadyn Haro

Jazmin Hay

Markus M. Hernandez-Samuelsson

America Itzel Hernandez

Bryan Hernandez

Marlene Jara

Isaac Jimenez

Jason Jones

Anika Marie Kan

Alexander Lallman

Danna Landa

Johnny Lemus

Geo nanny Leon Ocegueda

Nayeli Tzitlali Liera

Isaiah Linares

Adamary Lizarraga

Emily Llamado

Jasmine Lomeli

Leslie Natalie Lopez-Santini

Anne Rein Malapit

Justin Marianowits

Alexia Marquez

Serena Marquez

Cynthia Martinez

Denise Zoey McManus

Daniel Ryan Meloy

Natalie Mia Mercado

Kevin Alexander Morales

Rikki Mottler

Carlos A. Jr. Munoz

Danielle Narvaez

Maximiliano Nevarez

Alissa Nicholson

Kolby Nixon

Juan Carlos Jr. Nuno

Ariadna Josesmin Ochoa Neri

Samuel Olivares

Jaidyn Olson

Jared Olvera

Trina Venus Orduno

Andres Oros

Leonel Ortega

Ulisa Padilla

Jesus Parra Soto

Sebastian Penunuri

Angel Perez

Lluvia Perez

Eriky Pico

Kathleen Quevedo

Larissa Quiroz

Evelia Ramirez-Medina

Anthony Alexander III Ramirez

Jocelyn Ramirez

Jorge Ramirez

Steven Recinos

Ariel Resendiz

Serena Riddle

Rodrigo Rios-Hernandez

Celine Isabella Rocha Vey

Tania Rodarte Carrillo

Nayelly Rodriguez-Ortiz

Adrian Rodriguez

Jesarela Rodriguez

Ramiro Rodriguez

Juliann Rogers

Ivan Roman

Esmeralda Romero-Gallo

Anahi Romo Covarrubias

Annelise Rosas

Ramiro Ruelas Gonzalez

Albert Salomon

Aaron Sanchez

Arissa Sanchez

Daniel Elijah Sanchez

Emmanuel Sanchez

Aryanna Sandoval

Priscilla Sandoval

Angel Serrano

Sarah Siegrist

Josh Simon

Timothy Ray II Siva

John Smith

Hector Suarez

Alicia Terrado

Russell Tollentino

Andres Torres Duran

Tatyana Tovar

Lilliana Velasquez

Jose Velez

Armando Villarreal

Vanessa Viruete

Dara Raelean Wooley

Christian-Oliver Yumul

### Copper Mountain Community College

Citlaly Jasmin Perez

### CSU Channel Islands

Griffin Giboney

### CSU Dominguez Hills

German Ramirez Avila

Charon Molette

Isaac Velez

### CSU San Marcos

Nia Garin

### CSU Fullerton

Don Diego Carmona

### CSU Long Beach

Madison Twomey

### CSUSB

Luis Alejandro Aceves

Alyssa Aimé Borunda

Allie Boyer

Emily Cruz

Esmeralda Diaz

Mallory Ann Larson

Joana Macias

Karina Mares

Angela Jazmin Medina

Rachel Snavely

Priscilla Michelle Urzua

### Fresno State University

Katie Akulian-Lewis

### Fullerton College

Michael Luna

### Grand Canyon University

Devin Munoz

### International Air & Hospitality Academy

Brianna Ross

### La Sierra University

Christine Correa

Leilany Medina

### Le Cole Culinary

Sineetra Sylvia Chantil White

### Los Angeles City College

Daysi Nayelli Urrutia Alvarado

### Los Angeles School of Music

Austin Isaiiah Mophee

### Loyola Marymount University

Josiah Ross

### Menlo College

Audry Gonzalez

### Mt. San Jacinto College

Shaleah Angle

### NAU

Elizabeth Venegas

Megan Whalen

### New Mexico State

Benny Leung

### Northern Arizona University

Jordyn Rogers

Sophia Franz

### Orange Coast College

Sofia Gonzalez

Aubrey Mercado

Priscilla Valencia

### Oxford

Josh Simon

### Penrose Academy

Taylor Murphy

### Police Academy

Fernando Isaac Martinez

### Purdue University

Tierney Thornhill

### RCC

Angel Salomon

### Riverside City College

Drew Chavez

Paulina Roque

### San Francisco State University

Arlette Alverdin

Julie Moreno

### St. Johns University

Mario Montalvo

### The LA Recording School for Music Production

James A. Ross Jr

### Trade School

Johnathan Medina

### UC Merced

Katherine Nicole Andrade

Ana Sofia Melendez

### UC Riverside

Vanessa Lola Hernandez

### UC Santa Barbara

Brianni Johnson

### UCLA

Chris Ogeda

### Universal Technical Institute

Devin Towner

### University of La Verne

Joseph Meyer

### University of Las Vegas

Monay Marks

### University of Redlands

Kristo Barrera

### University of St. Paul's in Iloilo, Philippines

Edward Cycer O. Palomo

### University of The Arts for Musical Theatre



# Congratulations to PSUSD's Class of 2019!



Here is just a sampling from this year's scholarship awards events honoring our graduates. This year's class amassed nearly \$700,000 in scholarships (and that doesn't include several full-tuition scholarships and many partial scholarships awarded directly from colleges, universities and/or the military). We commend the efforts of our graduating seniors, and this publication is a tribute to all of you!



On behalf of your PSUSD family, we wish each of you the best of success in whatever path you choose for your futures!



# Board of Education President Commends Class of 2019

On behalf of the Palm Springs Unified School District Board of Education, it is my true honor and pleasure to congratulate our PSUSD class of 2019! We are so very proud of you and what you have accomplished during your years as a Palm Springs Unified student. Today we are celebrating with you and your families as you reflect back on your public school experience and look ahead to the next steps in your life's journey.

One can't help but feel inspired by this class when looking at the list of scholarships our class of 2019 has received and where our students are headed after high school. In addition to many attending University of California schools (including UCLA and UC Berkeley) and California State universities, members of our class of 2019

are also heading to the likes of Yale, Duke, Oberlin College, Washington & Lee and Emerson, to name but a few. Our students have also amassed over \$650,000 in scholarships not including the full-tuition scholarships, and awards from the schools directly, received by a few of our 2019 graduates! Extremely impressive!

High school graduation is the closing of a significant chapter in the lives of our students. At the same time, it is the opening of a brand new chapter that will take our students to a wide array of new experiences including college or university, vocational training, military service or entry into the work force. Wherever your next chapter takes you, we hope the journey is filled with happiness and success and that your acquired skills and talents will help you through

any bumps in the road. You all have a tool box filled with much of what you need as you move forward. If you find that anything in that box needs some enhancement, please call on us to help you with that.

Congratulations to all of our graduates and the family members and friends who have guided and supported you so far and will continue to do so as you close this chapter and begin the next.



Richard Clapp  
President  
Palm Springs Unified School District  
Board of Education



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## MESSAGE FROM THE SUPERINTENDENT



On behalf of our Cabinet, administration, teachers and support staff, I congratulate the Palm Springs Unified School District's class of 2019 on your outstanding achievements.

This year PSUSD's graduating class has a little more than 1,550 students from our four comprehensive high schools, alternative high school and virtual school. It was my honor and pleasure to recently accept each site's graduates and shake their hands as they walked across the stages at their respective ceremonies. I, along with our Board of Education members and the administrators at each site, share the pride and joy each of our graduates and their families are feeling during this very special time in the lives of our students who are leaving us for the next steps they

have chosen in their futures.

All high school students have challenges they must face and overcome as they navigate through the difficult pressures put upon them academically, socially and emotionally. High school students in today's society have even greater challenges as they deal with the impacts of social media as well as increased incidents of violent acts throughout our nation. We are so proud of our PSUSD students and how they have dealt with these added pressures, putting their energies into efforts that have created cultures of tolerance and support here in our District and the Coachella Valley as a whole.

Graduates, we could not be more proud of your enrollment in college or university or other post-secondary education, military service or the beginning of your careers. We hope you

will take all that you have learned and accomplished so far and use that to forge your future in a most positive direction. We want you to remember that the members of your PSUSD family are here for you now and in the future and want you to feel free to call on us if we can be of assistance at any time. We hope that if you are planning to leave our area to pursue your next step you will come back with your newly acquired skills and talents and pursue your careers right here at home. We need you! We wish you the very best of success and happiness and congratulate you again on a job very well done!



Sandra Lyon, Ed.D.  
Superintendent of Schools