



Douglas County High School IBPO Newsletter – May 2020



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Coordinator's Corner

By Dr. Steve Fleet



Amidst all the unusual circumstances bringing this year to a close, I want to recognize the retirement of Kathy Kramer. Kathy Kramer serves as the IB administrative assistant and has been an invaluable help to our Diploma and Middle Years programs.

Kathy embodies the ideal of “everyone a huskie” with her dedication to all things Douglas County. She attends athletic events, dramatic performances (even participating on the staff team on the improv night), she volunteers to judge competitions, works tirelessly to set up events on the weekends and attends to all the duties required of her position. Her dedication and school spirit are nothing short of remarkable.

Kathy is also a model of the “Learner Profile” from risk-taker to communicator. Her willingness and ability to come to understand a complex program in a short time helped to build our program and its connections within our community. Of all the profile traits, “caring” most suits Kathy. She genuinely cares about the people she works with. She went out of her way to promote the accomplishments of students by writing articles and creating posters. These human connections arise because her genuine kindness comes from who she is as a person and how she values those around her.

Kathy wrote an extensive “TOK” journal exploring perspectives and reflecting on her past. Her genuine curiosity and willingness to examine situations from multiple angles define what our program is all about. Kathy plans to continue her involvement in our building by substitute teaching and we will be sure to leave a bowl of candy out for when she stops by the office.

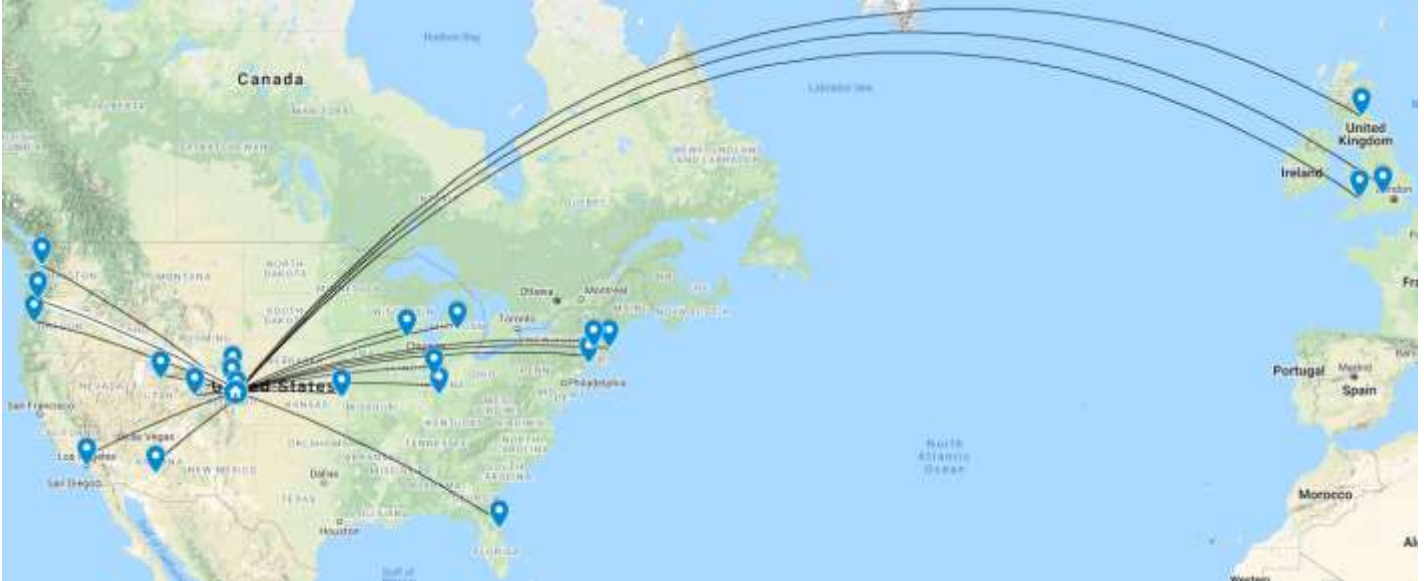


Congratulations to the Class of 2020

Congratulations to our 35 IB students for graduating High School!

Destinations

Our seniors are planning to take off for universities all over the US and the UK. Go Huskies!



- University of Colorado Boulder (5)
- Yale University
- Massachusetts Institute of Technology
- Colorado State University (2)
- Central Michigan University
- University of Kansas
- Embry–Riddle Aeronautical University
- Colorado Mesa University (3)
- University of Massachusetts Amherst
- University of Oregon
- Kelley School of Business at Indiana University
- University of Washington
- University of Southern California
- Colorado School of Mines
- University of Wisconsin-Madison
- Portland State University
- Brigham Young University
- University of Colorado Colorado Springs
- Arizona State University
- Purdue University
- University of Edinburgh
- University of Oxford
- University of South Wales

Who are the class of 2020?

All seniors were asked the following questions:

- Where do you plan to attend college (college)
- What scholarships have you been offered (scholarships)
- What will be your primary area of study (study)
- Favorite DCHS IB memory (memory)
- Favorite remote learning moment (remote)
- Your shout out to fellow IB classmates (shout-out)

Note: They are not in alphabetical order to encourage you to read through



Alec Nebel

College: Colorado State University

Study: Biomedical Engineering and Mechanical engineering

Memory: Getting the emails that the IB tests are cancelled

Remote: Staying on class calls with friends after the teacher leaves

Shout-out: Trae Burnett, Sam Hennessy, Jefferson Dirks, Thomas Neal, Ryan Hu, Damon Bell

Can't wait to go to college for my degree in option 1! I wonder what professors I'll have...



Avery Matthews

College: Central Michigan University

Study: Health Professions Preparation, with focus on pre – dentistry

Scholarships: Freshman Merit Scholarship - Academic Excellence Award / Division 1 Women's Lacrosse Athletic Walk - On Recruit

Memory: Being on the homecoming court with my fellow IB friends!

Remote: Zoom classes with Mrs. Rohl

Shout-out: Nikita Lewis - Best friend forever, Michael Hedges - Helped encourage me to join IB, Gokul and Aneesh - Always made me laugh, Sarah Andrus, Joely Corrales, Katie Morrison, Yoori Son, Analise Zelem, Sneha Muthe - Forever friends I have gained through IB.

Awards: Lacrosse- 2020 Team Captain; 2019-MVP & all league; 2017-All District Hon. Mention



Yoori Son

College: University of Colorado Boulder

Study: Molecular Biology

Memory: Going on spontaneous adventures with my friends.

Remote: Being able to see my teachers!

Shout-out: So thankful for all of you guys! The IB class really made high school fun for me.



Katie Morrison

College: University of Colorado Boulder

Scholarships: Gold Grant / Deans Scholarship

Study: Biological Sciences- Molecular, Cellular and Developmental Biology

Memory: Getting to laugh in all of my classes with my best friends.



Michael Hedges

College: Colorado School of Mines

Study: Engineering Physics

Scholarships: President's Scholarship

Memory: The TOK Symposium.

Remote: Signing happy birthday to Mark Bayman during Biology.

Shout-out: I love you guys and it's been an honor working with all of you.



Rebecca Ruwet

College: University of Wisconsin-Madison

Study: Marketing

Scholarships: PS Miller Scholarship

CLC Scholarship

Memory: Hanging out with my friends in the library

Remote: Zoom calls with my friends

Shout-out: Thanks to all of my classmates for helping me study, making me laugh, and giving me the best two years of my high school career

Awards: FBLA 2nd Districts-marketing; DECA state qualified



Anna Schenecker

College: University of Kansas

Study: Business

Scholarships: KU Achievement Award

Presidential Scholarship - Drake University

Memory: Skipping, literally skipping, in the airport on our way to the CAS trip.

Remote: Realizing how much time I had to work on all my IA's.

Shout-out: Shout out to everyone who actually turned in an IA before 11:59pm on the due date.

Awards: FBLA District 2nd Help Desk; State 1st Help Desk



Aleksander Borges

College: Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University

Study: Aerospace Engineering

Scholarships: ERAU Presidential Scholarship ; Univ FL-Honors scholarship; Univ of AL 4 yr; Univ Tenn- 4 yrs; ASU-4yr; CU Boulder- 4 yrs; School Mines- 4 yrs- paid scholarships.

Memory: Being able to spend time and hang out with all of my IB friends in IB High Level Biology with Mrs. Rohl.

Remote: Seeing and talking to my friends.

Shout-out: Shout out to Michael, Lars, and Mark for making my IB experience a fun one. My friends made my time in IB much more tolerable and enjoyable than the rumors made IB out to be.

Awards: Football- Gr 9 Student Athlete of year; gr 10, 11,12 Scholar athlete; Congressional Recommendation to West Point



Nina Dooley

College: Colorado Mesa University

Study: Physics

Scholarships: (CMU) Distinguished Scholar - Full tuition / (DU) Provost Scholar ; Denver Scholar / (RIT) Presidential / (CU Boulder) President James H. Baker / (UCCS) Chancellor's Award / (CSU) Green and Gold / Colorado School of Mines

Memory: I loved hanging out with my friends, as well as making new ones, before TOK

Remote: My dog jumped on my lap during an IB music meeting and was the star of the class.

Comments: I can't wait to see what we will be able to do in the future, good luck everyone!

Awards: Continental League Orchestra



Stephanie Payne

College: University of Colorado (Boulder, Denver, or Colorado Springs)

Study: Political Science and Chinese

Scholarships: Ps Miller Scholarship, Chancellors Award

Memory: The ease with which students and teachers would interact with each other.

Remote: The zoom calls where everybody is just a mess.

Comments: Don't worry we all don't have our sh*-- stuff together :p



Ryan Hu

College: University of Massachusetts Amherst

Study: Biochemistry and molecular biology

Scholarships: Chancellor's Award from University of Massachusetts Amherst

Memory: Too many to have a favorite



Nikita Lewis

College: University of Oregon

Study: Marine Biology

Scholarships: Minds Move Mountains Scholarship + and additional one for my Freshman term

Memory: All of the memories from TOK were, more or less, fun and I was glad we were all there together.

Remote: I was excited for each online class with Mrs. Rohl and my classmates.

Shout-out: Avery Matthews - Athlete (D1) and brains as well as my best friend throughout IB



Sneha Muthe

College: Kelley School of Business at Indiana University

Study: Finance

Scholarships: Arizona State University- Presidential Scholarship / University of Denver- University Scholar Scholarship / CU Boulder- Leeds Scholar / Opportunity Fund University of South Carolina- Academic Scholar-Superlative Award and Capstone Scholar Grant

Memory: Working on my TOK Journals before class at Black Rock with all my best friends.

Remote: student council's virtual dance party.

Shout-out: Angie Chavez, Sarah Andrus and Maddy Belden for being my absolute best friends throughout IB and for keeping me sane. Tori for helping me through IB Physics and for all of the DECA memories. Avery for working with me through Spanish. All of my IB friends because I'm super grateful for our tight-knit crew!

Awards: DECA state qualifier entrepreneurship; National Qualifier Entrepreneurship; FBLA- District 2nd Electronic Career Portfolio



Sarah Sams

College: MIT - Massachusetts Institute of Technology

Study: Mechanical/biomedical Engineering

Scholarships: Air Force ROTC Type 1 Scholarship

Memory: The recurring IB dance circles by Gokul and Jeffery Hage were always exquisite.

Remote: Making fried rice during calculus class was delicious, but I enjoyed introducing my plant, Adam, to the class.

Shout-out: Jefferson Dirks is going to do great things. Need bootleg Uranium? Hit him up.

Comments: Mrs. Kramer, I'm going to miss you. Thank you for helping me so much this year! The first time I met you, you were handing out free cookies, and that impression has only grown fonder.

Awards: State Wrestling Champion; National Girls & Women Sports Day award 2019; Wrestling Leadership Award 2020. Selected as [Outstanding Graduate](#) by DCSD.



Samuel Hennessy

College: CSU

Study: Engineering



Yuridia Hernandez-Clemente

College: tbd, gap year



Hailey Sakryd

College: University of Edinburgh (conditional)

Study: History

Scholarships: Distinguished Scholar Award - Colorado Mesa University; Undergraduate Excellence - University of Glasgow; Arts and Humanities Gold Scholarship - UC Boulder

Memory: All the inside jokes, the weird references that were just accepted as normal, the spirit of camaraderie among everyone in the program; it was simply the fact that I found my people.

Shout-out: Liana: Your friendship is such an honor to have, and I'm glad that I get to share my weird time-traveling wishes with someone. I'm so proud of how far you've come and can't wait to know how far you'll go. Keep doing you, because you're that uniquely beautiful. Loves. ; Jefferson - I cannot describe in words the chaotic energy that you have brought into my life. Truly, an inspiration to all. Thanks for making this time that much weirder. It's been fun. ; Sara Sams- If I could draw a heart in this shoutout, I would. Your quiet kindness and creativity are infectious and inspiring, and I'll always love your red Converse. You're going to go so far, and I'm so proud of you for how far you've come. You're awesome! ; Kyle - The world isn't ready for your genius, man. I have never known anyone who could match the grace and dignity of you putting a shoe to your ear. You're just the right combination of complete absurdist and well-spoken statesman. Godspeed, man.

Awards: 2019 All state Choir; 2020 Continental League Choir



Samyukta Vakkalanka

College: University of Southern California

Scholarships: University of Southern California - Presidential Scholarship / University of Southern California - University Grant / Rice University - Rice Grant / CU Boulder - President Joseph A. Sewall Award ; Regent Scholarship /

Arizona State University - New American University Scholar (National Merit) ; Grady and Katheryn Gammage Scholarship ; Colorado Alumni Scholarship / Case Western University - University Scholarship / Florida State University - Benacquisto Scholarship / UAB - Blazer Elite Scholarship / University of Alabama - National Merit Scholarship ; Merit Stipend

Study: Computational Neuroscience

Memory: Working on my CAS project with my best friends and feeling like I was making a difference in the world.

Remote: In math class with all of my friends.

Shout-out: Thank you guys so much for pushing me to be the best I could be. I don't think I will ever find a support system quite like this and I'm so excited to see everything you guys accomplish!

Awards: FBLA 1st in District Bus Communications; and end is marketing; DECA State qualifier



Maddie Belden

College: Portland State University

Study: Architecture

Scholarships: PS Miller Scholarship / Denver College Fairs Opportunity Scholarship

Memory Spending time with my friends before TOK.

Remote: IB Choir Zoom meetings.

Shout-out: Angie Chavez and Emma VanMatre



Vanessa Varella

College: Colorado Mesa University

Study: Film and Animation

Scholarships: Legacy Scholarship \$500

Memory: Villwocks class and how he put up with my table group

Shout-out: Yuridia Hernandez



Emma VanMatre

College: Colorado Mesa University

Scholarships: Distinguished Scholar Tuition

Study: Nursing

Memory: Dr. Fleet's Philosophy class, where I met my best friends.

Remote: When Dr. Fleet couldn't figure out how to work Google Meets :)

Shout-out: Thank you for sticking by me my senior year and becoming friends I know I will have for life.



Liana Warren

College: University of Oxford, Magdalen College (conditional)

Scholarships: University of Boulder: President Joseph A Sewall Award

Study: Anthropology and Archaeology

Memory: The CAS Trip to Prague and Krakow (close call though)

Remote: Discussing on the English Hangout meetings

Shout-out: You are all amazing, and I have enjoyed learning with all of you for the last two years. I wish you the best in the future! To Hailey: You are the best friend I could have asked for, and I am so lucky I get to spend time with you. I hope you know just how much your friendship means to me. To Kyle: It has been an honor to spend time in Mock Trial with you. You are one of the smartest people I know, and I can't wait to see what you do in the future. To Sarah: Thank you for all of your kindness. I will definitely miss your hugs next year!



Kyle Lewis

College: Yale University

Study: History

Scholarships: Calvin Coolidge Senator's Scholarship / Arizona State University: New American University Scholarship - National Merit / Rutgers University: Presidential Scholarship /

Colorado State University: Green and Gold Scholarship

Memory: Maybe Dr. Fleet doing different voices for different characters when he read Candide to my Euro class.

Remote: Either Mr. Leach continuing with his murder-mystery physics review activity like everything was normal or the group photo we did in my math class.

Shout-out: Gokul, Aneesh, Samyu, Liana; everyone in HL math or European history

Comments: Confining my favorite IB memory to a single memory and a single sentence is cruel.

Awards: Regional Mock Trial Outstanding Attorney; Continental League honors orchestra; FBLA 1st state Impromptu speaking; 2nd in District in Political Science



Becca Apgar

College: Brigham Young University

Study: Civil and Environmental Engineering

Scholarships: Academic Scholarship

Memory: Looking around the lunch table on days TOK journals were being collected and seeing everyone writing.

Remote: It's not one moment, but I loved hearing everyone decide where they are going to college. It made me realize the bright futures that all my friends have, even though we didn't get to be there in person for it.

Shout-out: I want to thank everyone for pushing me through on the hardest days and being the best people to laugh with. I cannot believe that our two years together are up! Shootout to Rebecca Ruwet for being the first other Becca I've been good friends with.

Comments: I'm so glad I decided to do IB for the last two years of high school. I wouldn't have had it any other way. The content is wonderful, but the teachers and students are even better!

Awards: FBLA 1st State & District Business Ethics



Mark Bayman

College: University of Colorado, Colorado Springs

Study: Computer Science

Memory: Going on the group 4 field trip junior year

Remote: Muting Mr. Schubarth

Shout-out: CHRISTIAN!!!!



Samantha Carriere

College: CU Boulder

Scholarships: James Baker Award

Study: Integrated Physiology



Analise Zelem

College: University of Colorado Boulder

Study: Molecular, Cellular, and Developmental Biology

Scholarships: University of Oregon- Minds Move Mountains / CU Boulder- CU promise grant / University of Montana- Leadership achievement and service

Memory: Getting to spend time with all my friends in the IB program.

Shout-out: IB senior class of 2020

Awards: Continental League Honors Orchestra



Joely Corrales

College: University of South Wales

Study: Wildlife Biology

Scholarships: University of South Wales / Oregon State University: Free housing one year & Provost scholarship / DU: Crimson & Gold Scholarship / University of Northern CO: Provost scholarship

Memory: Being able to have every class with my best friends

Remote: Building a birdhouse

Shout-out: I'm glad I got to meet all of you and learn from you.



Sarah Andrus

College: CSU

Scholarships: CO Merit Scholarship

Study: Civil Engineering



Gokul Gopakumar

College: University of Washington

Scholarships: WU

Study: Engineering



Thomas Neal

College: tbd, gap year



Aneesh Warriar

College: Purdue University

Scholarships: President James H. Baker Award & Mines Financial Award

Study: Engineering

Memory: TOK

Remote: The last math class

Awards: FBLA 3rd District Marketing



Jefferson Dirks

College: Undecided, taking a gap year.

Study: Either physics or computer architecture.

Memory: When I used too much salt in an electrolysis in chemistry junior year.

Remote: Clown Noises- I didn't particularly like remote learning.

Shout-out: Should've done my TOK journals Wednesday night instead.

Comments: I like how concerns wasn't included in the question--Not that I have any.



Angie Chavez Trujillo

College: Arizona State University

Study: Biomedical Engineering

Memory: Grabbing dinner before TOK

Remote: Seeing Mr. Fleet trying to figure out google hangouts

Shout-out: Sneha Muthe

Awards: FBLA 2nd District Social Media Campaign; DECA state qualifier



Tori Morgheim

College: University of Colorado Boulder

Study: Aerospace Engineering

Scholarships: Provost Distinction Scholarship / Presidential Scholarship / Women of Excellence / President's Scholarship / Chancellor's Award / Provost Scholar

Memory: Getting lost in Denver with Sam on our way to the TOK Symposium.

Remote: Learning moment is face timing my friends between classes.

Shout-out: I want to thank the entire IB class for making these last 2 years really fun.

Learner Profiles

Each year the IBPO teachers award Learner Profile Awards to those students who they think represent that characteristic most. The winners for this year are:

- Inquirer – *Liana Warren*
- Knowledgeable – *Samyukta Vakkalanka*
- Thinker – *Becca Apgar*
- Communicator – *Katie Morrison*
- Principled – *Michael Hedges*
- Open-minded – *Maddie Belden*
- Caring – *Sarah Sams*
- Risk-taker – *Sam Hennessey*
- Balanced – *Aleks Borges*
- Reflective – *Joely Corrales*

And finally, Most Outstanding, and winner of the IBPO scholarship:

Kyle Lewis



DECA State Championships

The DECA State Championship was held in February in Colorado Springs. DCHS sent a strong group of competitors and four of our IB students came home with a price!

Congratulations to our four Champions!



**Gokul Gopakumar,
Entrepreneurship
Individual**



**Sneha Muthe,
Entrepreneurship
Individual**



**Shrey Arora & Deepaksh Kalra
Financial Services**



Mock Trial

DCHS had its best year ever at Mock Trial. Three teams competed in the Regional Championship in Castle Rock and we ended with four individual prizes and two of our teams in first and second place. This means that we were sending two teams to State. Unfortunately, the State Championship was one of the first victims of the Coronavirus physical distancing rules and we did not get to compete there.

Congratulations to the teams, to team captains and IB seniors, Kyle Lewis and Liana Warren and to individual winners and IB students, Kyle and Robin, for these amazing results.



**Kyle Lewis – Co-captain and
Outstanding Attorney**



**Robin Kyte –
Outstanding witness**



Liana Warren – Co-captain

Teacher Superlatives

The Class of 2020 have shared Superlatives for their teachers:

- Most likely to spill the tea with students – *Mrs. Johnson*
- Most Curious About the Implications of Your Argument – *Mrs. Fleet*
- Most likely to be absolutely, positively happy to see you – *Ms. Austgen*
- Most likely to return – *Mr. Umbach*
- Most likely to rule the world – *Mr. Risner*
- Most Likely to Cast Spells – *Dr. Fleet*
- Most Likely to Trespass on Historical Sites – *Mr. Craven*
- Most likely to have a TMI moment – *Mrs. Rohl*
- Most Likely to Use Pyrotechnics in Lecture – *Mr. Leach*
- Earliest Riser – *Mrs. Bruchs*
- Most Likely to Say 'In the Interest of Time' – *Mr. Brelje*
- Most Likely to Have Brownies on Hand – *Mrs. Kramer*



Thank you, Teachers

Some of the grateful words the Class of 2020 had for their teachers and the program



Arvidson, Steve- Chemistry

I learned a lot about self-sufficiency and self-discipline in IB. Without the IB program I wouldn't have developed the critical thinking skills I have now which also taught me to value family, friendships,



Austgen, Stephanie- English



Benabe, Bernice-Spanish

Ben Brelje Thank you for teaching me about sarcasm and how to understand it and of course for all the life skills associated with business. For real though I appreciate what you have taught me about business and the mindset



Bidinger, Ashley-English

I've learned how to apply my thoughts and opinions to the real world and take into account others opinions with an open mind.



Brelje, Ben- Business

Jeff Allen - Although I haven't know Mr. Allen for a long time and he's not an IB teacher, I don't think I'd be where I am today without him. He's pushed me out of my comfort zone and allowed me to take risks that I would have never taken before. I've learned from Allen that I don't need to be afraid of who I am and that every risk I take is just another opportunity to try something new and exciting.



Bruchs, Julie-Music



Bush, Laura-Math

Mrs. Bush Thank you for your wonderful math classes! I have really enjoyed math class the last two years and I've always felt that I understood the concepts you explained.



Clever, Kim- Psychology

Kim Clever Thank you for providing me with an opportunity to rework psychology and develop a firm base for the future.



Craven, Michael- History

Michael Craven To apply history to modern events, and to always look at other perspectives



Davis, Ryan- Ceramics



Dickerson, Jolene- ESS Science

IB really pushed me to look at not only the bigger picture, but also the finer perspectives and details that make it.

Michelle Fleet Advocating for what is important



Fleet, Michelle-English

Steven Fleet: Thank you for teaching me philosophy in such an interesting and engaging way. I am looking forward to using the knowledge and techniques I have gained from your class and applying them to the real world. I also want to thank you for the boost in confidence you've given me over the past two years. Your words have really helped me find who I want to be and that I can be that person.



Fleet, Steve-IB Coord-Philosophy



Gerios-Rohl, Lisa- Biology

Thank you Mr. Fleet for always being a source of fun and humor during the school day. I am so appreciative of the writing and thinking skills you've ingrained in me through philosophy. Thank you for helping me learn to value my teachers and the hard work they put in for us.



Harrison, Andrea-Math

Andrea Harrison Thank you for teaching me to be patient and have fun with math because if not for you I probably wouldn't have passed math. You always made class fun for me.



Hemming, Theresa- Biology

Ms. Harrison, I would not have made it through high school without your help, despite the three years that I wasn't exactly the ideal student.



Johnson, Betsy- English

Elizabeth Johnson To use humor as an academic tool

Betsy Johnson Teaching from the heart



Johnston, Karie- Theater

Mrs Johnson Thank you for all of your enthusiasm! I have really enjoyed English and Homeroom this year, and your conversations and support throughout the year have meant a lot to me.

Mrs. Johnson, you helped me both semesters to stay involved in English. Thank you.



Kramer, Kathy- IB Asst

Matthew Leach You taught me not to give up on excruciatingly painful physics problems, but rather, to enjoy their challenge.

Matthew Leach Always pushing me to do better



Leach, Matt-Physics



McKnight, Roger- Computer Science

I have learned so much in IB, and really enjoyed most of my classes. I think that I am much readier for college because of it.



Nassif, Laurette- French



Renshaw, Sarah- Art

Steve Fleet Always showing kindness and encouragement

Kelse Risner You showed me not only that it can be done, but that I could do it.



Risner, Kelse- History

Since I graduate from IB this year (retire) I wanted to say thank you to all IB teachers for what you taught me...for putting up with my huge learning curve and many questions; for grace when I made mistakes; for saying thanks when I did something for you; for accepting me as part of the "IB team"; for sharing in laughter and tears; for seeking my input even though I was "just the secretary"; and for the many "gifts" you shared along the way. I will miss you next year but I can come back to be a substitute teacher for you- I hope I have earned your trust. God Bless. Kathy Kramer



Ross, Cindy- Art

Mrs.Rohl you've taught me more than just that I love for biology. I've also learned what it means to be so sweet and kind but real. You've taught and encouraged me to be the best student I could be and your willingness and love for your students has showed me what true passion and what true commitment

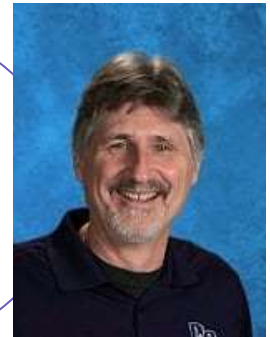


Schreiner, Matt- Math



Speegle, Brooke- Art Design

Richard Umbach Always discussing with me, you taught me to value not only others' belief, but my own. I hope you enjoy retirement!



Umbach, Richard- TOK



Vahle, Mike- Theater

Seemingly unapplicable skills from higher education always have a use, even in their apparent absence.



Villwock, Alexander- Math



White, Wendi- Spanish

Sra. White ¡Muchas gracias por toda su ayuda! I have become much more confident in my Spanish over the last few years, and I am very thankful for the time you spend making sure that all of your students can do as well as possible.

Welcome, Class of 2024!

The following Fall 2020 DCHS freshmen intend to join the IB Diploma Programme. Welcome!

<i>Matejka Backes</i>	<i>Francis (Alex) Konecny</i>
<i>Jose Barragan</i>	<i>Sami LaForest</i>
<i>Nikolas Borges</i>	<i>Kiana LeClaire</i>
<i>Shanna Broome</i>	<i>Carson Lindstrom</i>
<i>Hayden Bybee</i>	<i>Olivia Maddox</i>
<i>John Chavez Trujillo</i>	<i>Abigail Mantooth</i>
<i>Amelia Chongtoua</i>	<i>Jeffry Marlow</i>
<i>Mrinal Chopde</i>	<i>Bella Mastreno</i>
<i>Aryssa Cote</i>	<i>Juliet Mendik</i>
<i>Caraline Crane</i>	<i>Isabella Natalizia</i>
<i>Caitlin Duffy</i>	<i>Jackson Naylor</i>
<i>Zoe Eckman</i>	<i>Mira Parker</i>
<i>Ashlyn Emery</i>	<i>Anthony Piscatelli</i>
<i>Isabella Fimbres</i>	<i>Nathan Popp</i>
<i>Elway Fleming</i>	<i>Anvie Rana</i>
<i>Ava Forget</i>	<i>Sophia Raskes</i>
<i>Natalie Gagnon</i>	<i>Rex Rogers</i>
<i>Benjamin Garcia</i>	<i>Emma Rojas</i>
<i>Elyssa Girdeen</i>	<i>Abigail Shoemaker</i>
<i>James Gramling</i>	<i>Ella Simons</i>
<i>Kaitlynn Grider</i>	<i>Ava Skelton</i>
<i>Chloe Hale</i>	<i>Michele Smith</i>
<i>Katrina Hall</i>	<i>Kaylin Taylor</i>
<i>Braden Heintz</i>	<i>Miya Terry</i>
<i>Natasha Heth</i>	<i>Tanner Turnbaugh</i>
<i>Braedon Hoffman</i>	<i>Katelyn Urenda</i>
<i>Sophia Honker</i>	<i>Andrew VanEgeren</i>
<i>Chloe Johnson</i>	<i>Kacey Worcester</i>
<i>Zayaan Khan</i>	<i>Andreana Zaphiris</i>
<i>Evelyn Kohn</i>	

Scholarship Details

<u>Last Name</u>	<u>First</u>	<u>College</u>	<u>Award/Scholarship</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Primary field of study</u>	<u>College Attending</u>
Andrus	Sarah	CSU	CO Merit Scholarship	\$4,000	Civil Engineering	CSU
Apgar	Rebecca	BYU	Academic Scholarship	\$3,000		Brigham Young University
Bayman	Mark	University of Colorado Colorado Springs			Computer Science	UCCS
Belden	Madelyn	Portland State University	PS Miller Scholarship	\$1,500	Architecture	Portland State University
			Denver College Fairs Opportunity Scholarship	\$1,500		
Borges	Aleksander	Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University	ERAU Presidential Scholarship -4 yrs	\$60,000	Aerospace Engineering	Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University
		University of Florida	Honors Scholarship	\$43,690		
		University of Alabama	4 year scholarship	\$60,000		
		University of Tennessee	4 year scholarship	\$60,000		
		Arizona State University	4 year scholarship	\$42,000		
		CU Boulder	4 year scholarship	\$10,000		
		School of Mines	4 year scholarship	\$4,000		
Carriere	Samantha	CU Boulder	James Baker Award	\$10,000	Integrated Physiology	CU Boulder

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Chavez Trujillo	Angela	Arizona State University			Biomedical Engineering	Arizona State University
Corrales	Joely	University of South Wales		\$0	Wildlife Biology	University of South Wales
		Oregon State University	Free housing one year	\$13,200		
		Oregon State University	Provost scholarship- 4 years	\$40,000		
		DU	Crimson & Gold Scholarship- 4 years	\$80,000		
		University of Northern CO	Provost scholarship	\$10,000		
Dirks	Jefferson	Gap Year	None	\$0	Physics or Computer Architecture	Gap Year
Dooley	Nina	Colorado Mesa University	Distinguished Scholar - Full tuition	\$8,745	Physics	Colorado Mesa University
		University of Denver	(DU) Provost Scholar	\$24,000		
		University of Denver	Denver Scholar	\$3,000		
		Rochester Institute of Technology	(RIT) Presidential	\$22,500		
		CU Boulder	President James H. Baker - \$10,000	\$10,000		
		Univ CO Colo Springs	Chancellor's Award	\$10,000		
		Colo State Univ.- CSU	Green and Gold	\$2,500		
		CO School of Mines	Colorado School of Mines	\$1,000		
Gopakumar	Gokul	Univ Washington	School scholarship	\$12,000	Engineering	Univ Washington

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Hedges	Michael	Colorado School of Mines	President's Scholarship		Engineering Physics	Colorado School of Mines
Hennessy	Samuel	CSU	none	\$0	Engineering	CSU
Hernandez-Clemente	Yuridia	Gap Year	None	\$0	Unknown	Gap Year
Hu	Ryan	University of Massachusetts Amherst	Chancellor's Award f	\$56,000	Biochemistry and molecular biology	University of Massachusetts Amherst
Lewis	<u>Kyle</u>		Calvin Coolidge Senator's Scholarship	<u>\$1,000</u>	History	Yale University
		ASU	New American University Scholarship			
			National Merit - \$28,800/year, 4 years	\$112,000		
		Rutgers	Presidential Scholarship with Room and Board - \$29,000/year, 4 years	\$116,000		
		CSU	Green and Gold Scholarship - \$4,000/year, 4 years	\$16,000		
		Columbia University	Columbia Grant	\$69,331		
		Yale University	Yale Grant year one	\$65,660		
Lewis	Nikita	University of Oregon	Minds Move Mountains Scholarship- 4 years	\$20,000	Marine Biology	University of Oregon
		University of Oregon	General scholarship- up to 4 years at \$1000 per year	\$4,000		

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		University of Tampa	4 year scholarship at \$12,000 ea yr	\$48,000		
		Sterling College	Athletics and Academics \$16,900 per year for 4 years	\$67,600		
Mathews	Avery	Central Michigan University	Freshman Merit Scholarship - Academic Excellence Award \$18,000 over four years.	\$18,000	Pre-dentistry	Central Michigan University
			Division 1 Women's Lacrosse Athletic Walk - On Recruit	Walk-on		
Morgheim	Tori	CU Boulder	Provost Distinction Scholarship-\$54000	\$54,000	Aerospace Engineering	University of Colorado Boulder
			Presidential Scholarship-\$68000	\$68,000		
			Women of Excellence-\$20000	\$20,000		
			President's Scholarship-\$14000	\$14,000		
			Chancellor's Award-\$10000	\$10,000		
			Provost Scholar-\$96000	\$96,600		
Morrison	Katie	CU Boulder	Dean's Scholarship \$10,000	\$10,000	Biological Sciences- Molecular, Cellular and Developmental Biology	CU Boulder
			Gold Grant- \$2800	\$2,800		
Muthe	Sneha	Arizona State University	Presidential Scholarship-4 years	\$62,000	Finance	Kelley School of Business at Indiana University

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		University of Denver	University Scholar Scholarship-4 years	\$92,000		
		CU Boulder	Leeds Scholar Opportunity Fund Recipient	\$8,000		
		University So Carolina	Academic Scholar- Superlative Award and Capstone Scholar Grant	\$86,900		
		Indiana University	Awaiting KODI scholarship			
Neal	Thomas	None-taking a gap year	none	\$0	Psychology	None-taking a gap year
Nebel	Alec	Colorado State University	None	\$0	Biomedical Engineering and Mechanical engineering	Colorado State University
Payne	Stephanie	Any college	PS Miller Scholarship	\$1,500	Political Science and Chinese	CU Denver
		CU Denver	Chancellor's Award 4 years	\$4,000		
		UCCS	Chancellor's Award 4 years	\$10,000		
		School of Mines	President's Scholarship- 4 yrs	\$14,000		
Ruwet	Rebecca	University of Wisconsin-Madison	PS Miller Scholarship		Marketing	University of Wisconsin-Madison
			CLC Scholarship			
Sakryd	Hailey	CSU-Mesa	Distinguished Scholar Award	\$24,000	History	University of Edinburgh
		University of Glasgow	Undergraduate Excellence	\$24,000		
		CU Boulder	Arts and Humanities Gold Scholarship	\$8,000		

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Sams	Sarah	MIT - Massachusetts Institute of Technology	Air Force ROTC Type 1 Scholarship	\$250,972	Mechanical/biomedical Engineering	MIT - Massachusetts Institute of Technology
		CU Boulder	Boettcher Finalist- 4 years	\$36,000		
		CU Boulder	Presidential Leadership Class	\$1,000		
		School of Mines	Boettcher Finalist- 4 years	\$24,000		
		School of Mines	Track and Field-4 years	\$32,000		
		UC Berkley	AFROTC Type 2- 3 years	\$70,600		
Schenecker	Anna	University of Kansas	KU Achievement Award	\$47,288	Business	University of Kansas
		Drake University	Presidential Scholarship	\$88,000		
Son	Yoo Ri	CU Boulder	Federal Pell Grant- Fall & Spring	\$6,294	molecular, and cellular developmental biology.	CU Boulder
		CU Boulder	CU Promise Grant- Fall & Spring	\$3,532		
		CU Boulder	CU Gold Grant- Fall & Spring	\$3,270		
		CU Boulder	CO student Grant-CSG-Fall & Spring	\$3,000		
		CU Boulder	Federal Work Study- Fall & Spring	\$2,500		
		CU Boulder	District subsidized loan- Fall and Spring	\$3,500		
		CU Boulder	Direct Unsubsidized loan-Fall and Spring	\$2,000		

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Vakkalanka	Samyukta	University of Southern California	Presidential Scholarship	\$116,000	Computational Neuroscience	University of Southern California
		USC	University Grant	\$19,596		
		Rice University	Rice Grant - \$34,212	\$34,212		
		CU Boulder	President Joseph A. Sewall Award - \$20,000	\$20,000		
		CU Boulder	Regent Scholarship - \$1,000	\$1,000		
		Arizona State University	New American University Scholar (National Merit) - \$115,200	\$115,200		
		Arizona State University	Grady and Kathryn Gammage Scholarship - \$19,000	\$19,000		
		Arizona State University	Colorado Alumni Scholarship - \$500	\$500		
		Case Western University	University Scholarship - \$110,000	\$110,000		
		Uni Alabama Birmingham	Blazer Elite Scholarship - \$72,000	\$72,000		
		University of Alabama	National Merit Scholarship - \$151,250	\$151,250		
		University of Alabama	Merit Stipend - \$72,544	\$72,544		
Van Matre	Emma	Colorado Mesa University	Distinguished Scholar Tuition		Nursing	Colorado Mesa University
Verela	Vanessa	CO Mesa Univ-CMU	Legacy Scholarship	\$500	Film and Animation	CO Mesa Univ- CMU

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Warren	Liana	University of Oxford, Magdalen College			Anthropology and Archaeology	University of Oxford, Magdalen College (conditional on IB scores)
		CU Boulder	President Joseph Sewall Award	\$20,000		
Warrier	Aneesh	Purdue University	President James H. Baker Award: -4 yrs	\$40,000		Purdue
		School of Mines	Mines Financial Award: -4 years	\$16,000		
Zelem	Analise	University of Oregon	Minds Move Mountains 5,000,	\$5,000		CU Boulder
		CU Boulder	CU promise grant 8,530	\$8,530		
			Calvin Coolidge Senator's Scholarship	\$1,000		
		University of Montana	Leadership achievement and service 6,000 6000	\$6,000		
<u>TOTAL</u>				\$3,162,314		

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If you are interested in any of these positions, please contact us at Huskieibpo@gmail.com

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