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SB County: Housing Authority awards \$13,500 in scholarships



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The Housing Authority of San Bernardino County has awarded scholarships to nine students. Front row, from left, Isis Eskander, Tricia Favela, Danise Webb and Perla Suniga. Back row, from left, Tye Rush, Zakkary Hudson, Loreen Mendez and Lissette Aguilar.

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The Housing Authority of San Bernardino County awarded scholarships to nine students to help pay for educational expenses.

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The students were chosen from among about 20 applications from Housing Authority clients.

The agency has been awarding college scholarships to students for 21 years. Students attending a four-year college or university receive \$1,500 scholarships while community and technical/vocational students receive \$750 scholarships.

The Housing Authority uses private funds to promote educational success.

This year's recipients are attending one of the following four-year colleges/universities: Biola University; Cal State San Bernardino; La Sierra University; Oakland University; UC Berkeley; and UC

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Riverside. Their majors include anthropology, biology, criminal justice, nursing, political science and psychology.

"As tuition rates continue to increase it's even more important for us to continue to fund the scholarship program for the students in our programs," said Dan Nackerman, the authority's president/CEO. "These are small monetary contributions, but will alleviate some of the financial burden during their educational journey."

Recipient Tricia Favela said she is committed to completing her education and "will do whatever it takes to ensure that any monies invested in me are a wise choice."

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