Writing Awards
Critical Essay
Critical Essay

Alexa Askey
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 11
"The Real Villain"
Silver Key

Jack Berger
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Arthurian Knighthood"
Gold Key

Jayce Bertrand
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 11
"The Poor Have Time"
Silver Key

Diego Castellano
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"The Morals of Gawain"
Gold Key

Kaylie Cossman
Somerset Academy-Losee, Grade 7
"Essay about The Lightning Thief by Rick Riordian"
Silver Key

William Crawford
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Misplaced Obedience and Consequences of Vengeance"
Silver Key
Critical Essay

Mia DiOrio
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Literary Analysis - 'The Miller’s Tale"
Silver Key

Nicoletta Filios
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Hamlet’s Revenge"
Gold Key

Diesel Fiore
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Personal College Essay"
Honorable Mention

Thomas Gaughan
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"The Green Knight"
Silver Key

Emma Glaser
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Insanity Becomes Reality"
Silver Key

Katlyn Gonzales
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Analytical Essay"
Silver Key
Critical Essay

Michael Gugino
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Hamlet Essay"
Gold Key

William Ham
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Obedience and Vengeance"
Honorable Mention

Abigail Harris
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"The consequences of vengeance in Hamlet"
Silver Key

Pierce Herbst
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Respect and Honor"
Silver Key

Venus Irish Lei Hernandez
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Vengeance and Obedience in Shakespeare’s Hamlet"
Honorable Mention

Ethan Hsiao
Palo Verde High School, Grade 11
"Complicity or Solidarity: Dichotomous Interactions of the Asian and Black Communities"
Gold Key
Critical Essay

Justin Hughes
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"Pardoner's Poverties (villain college essay)"
Honorable Mention

Darren Hung
Coronado High School,
Grade 9
"Revenge and Justice"
Silver Key

Kelly Hung
Coronado High School,
Grade 11
"The Benefits of Historical Fiction"
Honorable Mention

Michael Keller
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"Compliance and Retribution"
Silver Key

Kira Kramer
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"Hamlet: Cultural Hegemony over the Human Condition"
Honorable Mention

Kira Kramer
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"The Human Experience: Guided by Reason Destroyed by Complexity"
Honorable Mention
Critical Essay

Katelyn Lee
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 10
"The Necessity of Civil Virtue"
Silver Key

Marnae Manriquez
Las Vegas Academy of the Arts,
Grade 12
"On the Case of the Electoral College"
Gold Key

Gianna Marretti
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"Analytical Essay"
Gold Key

Adrianna Martinez
Faith Lutheran Middle High School,
Grade 10
"Investigation of Racial Values"
Silver Key

Jeffrey McEachern
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 11
"Shamefully, Minorities Self-Deceive"
Silver Key

Connor McFadden
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"How Vengeance Warps Morality"
Honorable Mention
Critical Essay

Astrid Mihalopoulous
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"Hamlet"
Silver Key

Adam Miller
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"An Obedience for Vengeance"
Silver Key

Pierre Morton
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"Bravery and Moral Courage"
Silver Key

Ethan Nguyen
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"Just Punishment"
Honorable Mention

Ethan Nguyen
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"Transcendentalism in Prejudge America"
Honorable Mention

Samantha Nieves
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"Lessons of Truth"
Silver Key
Critical Essay

Olivia Patko
Homeschool, Grade 10
"Critical Essay"
Honorable Mention

Hannah Pham
Edward W Clark High School, Grade 10
"Going Against Humanity’s Coin Toss"
Gold Key

Lynn Pham
Edward W Clark High School, Grade 10
"Immunization and the Safety of the General Public"
Gold Key

Zeev Premer
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Obsessive Vengeance"
Honorable Mention

Carli Rice
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Arthurian Literature Timed Write"
Silver Key

Reese Rivera
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"The Miller’s Tale' Timed Write"
Silver Key
Critical Essay

Milia Rubio
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"Hamlet Essay"
Gold Key

Tabitha Sabal
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"Hamlet and Claudius"
Gold Key

Adriana Salgado
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"To Live or Die"
Honorable Mention

Poem Schway
Homeschool,
9th Grade
"Let Them Eat Cake"
Gold Key

Anisha Silva
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"Character Analysis for Inferno"
Honorable Mention

Anisha Silva
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"The Criminal Justice System in America"
Honorable Mention
Critical Essay

Anisha Silva
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Feminism in Ragtime"
Silver Key

Joseph Simmons III
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"The Temptress, The Fake, and The Trickster"
Honorable Mention

Andrea Soto
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Revenge Takes Its Toll"
Silver Key

Cynthia Su
Homeschool, Grade 12
"Who Censors The Censors?"
Silver Key

Taylor Telles
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"How the Miller's Tale Handles Status"
Honorable Mention

Cassandra Thanos
Meadows School, Grade 12
"Optimistically Oblivious"
Gold Key
Critical Essay

Gino Torres
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Villain College Essay"
Honorable Mention

Sarah Wills
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Time Write"
Honorable Mention

Alexander Wong
West Career & Tech Academy, Grade 12
"Prioritize Education During Pandemic"
Silver Key

Joseph Yager
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Hamlet Essay"
Gold Key

Aidan Yamachika
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Knightly Revelation"
Silver Key
Dramatic Script
Dramatic Script

Cassandra Thanos
Meadows School,
Grade 12
"A Dance Among The Stars"
Silver Key

Cassandra Thanos
Meadows School,
Grade 12
"One More Night"
Silver Key
Flash Fiction
Flash Fiction

Ethan Gaudioso-Nash
Green Valley High School, Grade 11
"The American Aristocracy"
Gold Key

Ethan Gaudioso-Nash
Green Valley High School, Grade 11
"Nancy Kraiger"
Gold Key

Pastel Schway
Homeschool, Grade 11
"Seven Years"
Honorable Mention

Poem Schway
Homeschool, Grade 9
"Terror"
Gold Key
Humor
Humor

Braunsen Jeremiah Ahlo
Somerset Academy-Losee, Grade 7
"Crewmate"
Silver Key

Jayden Andregg
Somerset Academy-Losee, Grade 7
"The Remote Control"
Gold Key

Sanjeev Chundu
Edward W Clark High School, Grade 9
"Before My Overdose"
Silver Key

Zachary Knehr
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Darth Vader College Essay"
Silver Key

Kira Kramer
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"A Simple Story"
Silver Key

Ethan Nguyen
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Being the Son of a Los Angeles Millionaire"
Honorable Mention
Humor

Andrea Sedano
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"Power or No Power"
Honorable Mention

Joseph Simmons III
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"The Untold Story of the Unknown Man"
Honorable Mention

Shannon Stein
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"Moving Past Mistakes"
Silver Key
Journalism
Journalism

KiAnna Bobbins
K O Knudson Middle School,
Grade 8
"Black Lives Matter"
Silver Key

Taina Fonseca
Coronado High School,
Grade 10
"Feminism and the Men's Rights Movement"
Honorable Mention

Stella Garner
Coronado High School,
Grade 10
"The Reality of Being a Minority in the Las Vegas School System"
Silver Key

Sarah Park
Edward W Clark High School,
Grade 10
"'Eat the Rich': A Phrase to Combat Inequality during the Pandemic"
Silver Key

Hannah Pham
Edward W Clark High School,
Grade 10
"Future of Technology and Sex Trafficking"
Silver Key

Lynn Pham
Edward W Clark High School,
Grade 10
"The Opioid Crisis"
Honorable Mention
Novel Writing
Novel Writing

Emma Cooke
Thurman White Middle School,
Grade 8
"Touch"
Silver Key

Zachary Knehr
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"I Remember Dying"
Silver Key

Olivia Patko
Homeschool,
Grade 10
"Tested Love"
Honorable Mention
Personal Essay & Memoir
Personal Essay & Memoir

Yasmine Aboudallah
Las Vegas Academy of the Arts,
Grade 12
"Tourist Attraction"
Gold Key

Ava Adamson
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"Reborn"
Silver Key

Sarah Aguilar
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"Reached The End"
Honorable Mention

Kennedy Baird
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"My Quest for Answers"
Honorable Mention

Jack Berger
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"The King's Struggles"
Honorable Mention

Jayce Bertrand
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 11
"Go Knights Go"
Gold Key
Personal Essay & Memoir

Alexa Diciero
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"From Fear to Perseverance"
Silver Key

Mia DiOrio
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Irresponsible Responsibility"
Honorable Mention

Serena Entringer
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"IKEA Furniture"
Silver Key

Nicoletta Filios
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Philotimo"
Honorable Mention

Taina Fonseca
Coronado High School, Grade 10
"The Wicked Witch of Brazil"
Silver Key

Nicholas Fonte
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"College Essay"
Honorable Mention
Personal Essay & Memoir

Ethan Gaudioso-Nash
Green Valley High School, Grade 11
"Earthly Dreams"
Silver Key

Mara George
Foothill High School, Grade 12
"Lemonade"
Silver Key

Emma Glaser
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Cheating the System"
Silver Key

Katlyn Gonzalez
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"College essay"
Gold Key

Michael Gugino
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"College Essay"
Honorable Mention

Judah Hafter
Adelson Educational Campus, Grade 11
"The High Horse"
Silver Key
Personal Essay & Memoir

William Ham
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Living in the Land of the Uncomfortable"
Honorable Mention

Pierce Herbst
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Taking Flight"
Gold Key

Athena Jett
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"The Power of Choice"
Honorable Mention

Naiven Jones
Las Vegas Academy of the Arts, Grade 12
"The Trainwreck of December"
Honorable Mention

Matthew Keys
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Matthew Keys personal essay"
Silver Key

Trevor Kovacs
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"The V.W. Bug"
Gold Key
Ashley Kuckler  
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12  
"Essay"  
Honorable Mention

Vianey Lozoya  
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12  
"My Opportunity to Grow, Evolve, and Bloom"  
Honorable Mention

Sydney Lybbert  
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12  
"College Essay"  
Honorable Mention

Marnae Manriquez  
Las Vegas Academy of the Arts, Grade 12  
"London Bridge is Falling Down"  
Gold Key

Gianna Marretti  
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12  
"College Essay"  
Honorable Mention

Hannah Marruenda  
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12  
"Botany Lies"  
Honorable Mention
Personal Essay & Memoir

Adrianna Martinez
Faith Lutheran Middle High School, Grade 10
"The First Time I Cleaned My Grandparent’s Home"
Silver Key

Mark Meiszburger
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"College Essay"
Honorable Mention

Astrid Mihalopoulos
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"College Essay"
Honorable Mention

Adam Miller
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Without a Doubt"
Honorable Mention

Payton Moore
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"The Hand-Me-Down"
Gold Key

Allan Morones
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Befriending a Vacuum"
Silver Key
Personal Essay & Memoir

Matthew Muyot
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Leadership is for Everyone"
Honorable Mention

Ethan Nguyen
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Learning From Death"
Silver Key

Evan Ogilvie
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Who Am I?"
Honorable Mention

Zeev Premer
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Tap"
Honorable Mention

Reese Rivera
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Personal Essay"
Honorable Mention

Milia Rubio
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"College Essay"
Silver Key
Alexa Rygiel
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Surprise"
Gold Key

Karsyn Sadler
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"College Essay"
Gold Key

Lora Salazar
Cristo Rey St. Viator College Prep High School, Grade 9
"No Different From You"
Silver Key

Adriana Salgado
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Crayola Markers"
Silver Key

Lindsey Schmidt
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"The Joy in Helping"
Honorable Mention

Elizabeth Schmitt
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Solving the Case"
Honorable Mention
Personal Essay & Memoir

Elizabeth Schmitt
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"Sir Gawain Archetypes"
Honorable Mention

David Schroelucke
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"College essay"
Honorable Mention

Adam Schwartz
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"Claudius’s Plan"
Honorable Mention

Poem Schway
Homeschool,
Grade 9
"Celestial Bodies"
Gold Key

Greyson Scott
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"It's Been A Long, Long Time"
Honorable Mention

Andrea Sedano
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"Assembly Required"
Honorable Mention
Eva Silvestri  
Bishop Gorman High School,  
Grade 12  
"College Essay"  
Gold Key

Andrea Soto  
Bishop Gorman High School,  
Grade 12  
"Lotería"  
Gold Key

Isabella Stabile  
Bishop Gorman High School,  
Grade 12  
"Reflections; A Distant Echo"  
Honorable Mention

Melody Taylor  
Bishop Gorman High School,  
Grade 12  
"The Color of Song"  
Silver Key

Taylor Telles  
Bishop Gorman High School,  
Grade 12  
"My Future And Why It Took So Long To See It"  
Gold Key

Matthew Thomas  
Bishop Gorman High School,  
Grade 12  
"The Kings Garden"  
Honorable Mention
Personal Essay & Memoir

Megan Vaskov
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
College Essay
Silver Key

Ryan Wagner
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Optimism"
Silver Key

Chloe Watson
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Up and Down"
Silver Key

Joseph Yager
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"College Essay"
Honorable Mention

Aidan Yamachika
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"A Local Favorite"
Silver Key

Samantha Yang
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Personal College Essay"
Honorable Mention
Personal Essay & Memoir

Jake Young
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"True Power"
Silver Key

Anya Zhang
Edward W Clark High School,
Grade 11
"Deadly Force"
Silver Key
Poetry
Poetry

Ava Adamson
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Ophelia's Only Option"
Silver Key

Jayden Andregg
Somerset Academy-Losee, Grade 7
"The Fox and the Box"
Silver Key

Alexa Askey
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"To Love or Not to Love"
Honorable Mention

Kennedy Baird
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Shape Poem"
Honorable Mention

Asya Bey
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Character Poem: Ophelia"
Honorable Mention

Liahm Blank
Adelson Educational Campus, Grade 11
"Wedding at a Concentration Camp"
Gold Key
Poetry

Liahm Blank
Adelson Educational Campus,
Grade 11
"Lice at the Bergen-Belsen Concentration Camp"
Gold Key

Liahm Blank
Adelson Educational Campus,
Grade 11
"On Ecuadorian Child Labor"
Gold Key

Liahm Blank
Adelson Educational Campus,
Grade 11
"Laughter’s Weep"
Silver Key

Liahm Blank
Adelson Educational Campus,
Grade 11
"Decay"
Gold Key

Melodi Brooke
American Prep Academy Las Vegas,
Grade 10
"Necromancer"
Honorable Mention
Poetry

Keegan Brooks
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"Poem on Hamlet (Character is Claudius)"
Honorable Mention

Diego Castellano
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"A Stormy Mind"
Honorable Mention

Elise Chei
Homeschool,
Grade 8
"Lonely on Christmas Eve"
Silver Key

Elise Chei
Homeschool,
Grade 8
"Tissue Issue"
Honorable Mention

Sahi Chundu
Edward W Clark High School,
Grade 12
"The Scientist"
Gold Key
Poetry

Kaylie Cossman
Somerset Academy-Losee,
Grade 7
"Photo Poem"
Gold Key

William Crawford
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"Tree of Growth" and "Act of Decay"
Silver Key

Hannah Crowell
Coronado High School,
Grade 10
"Missing Winter, Backward Seasons"
Gold Key

Saanvi Desai
Edward W Clark High School,
Grade 12
"Day 943"
Gold Key

Saanvi Desai
Edward W Clark High School,
Grade 12
"A Tribute to Nirupama Pathak: Dishonored Love"
Gold Key

Saanvi Desai
Edward W Clark High School,
Grade 12
"in arm's reach"
Gold Key
Poetry

Emma Deuermeyer
Arbor View High School, Grade 11
"Love and War"
Silver Key

Alexa Diciero
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"My Name is Hamlet"
Honorable Mention

Serena Entringer
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"The Tragedy of Ophelia"
Honorable Mention

Alexa Fehlman
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"It’s Raining Melancholy"
Honorable Mention

Stephanos Fikru
West Career & Tech Academy, Grade 11
"my last letter"
Silver Key

Stephanos Fikru
West Career & Tech Academy, Grade 11
"frogman"
Gold Key
Poetry

Noelani Garcia
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"The Comforting Moon" & "The Mocking Moon"
Silver Key

Stella Garner
Coronado High School,
Grade 12
"icarus"
Silver Key

Stella Garner
Coronado High School,
Grade 12
"Specific Titles Collection"
Silver Key

Thomas Gaughan
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"Loss to Insanity"
Honorable Mention

Aubree Gearhart
Coronado High School,
Grade 10
"Poetry"
Honorable Mention

Nayomi Gibson
Odyssey Charter School Of Nevada,
Grade 9
"Justice & Tranquillity"
Silver Key
Poetry

Emma Glaser
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"Troubled Heart"
Silver Key

Caroline Goodman
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"Ophelia’s Lost Identity"
Honorable Mention

Judah Hafter
Adelson Educational Campus,
Grade 11
"my Elephant and me"
Gold Key

William Ham
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"Comfort and Complexity"
Silver Key

Abigail Harris
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"Mirror: Negative Self Image, Body: How the
World Views You"
Gold Key

Pierce Herbst
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"A Dark Night"
Honorable Mention
Venus Irish Lei Hernandez
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"Pants: Woman’s Hidden Needs For Intimacy"
Silver Key

Emily Holt
Somerset Academy-Losee,
Grade 8
"Rain"
Silver Key

Ethan Hsiao
Palo Verde High School,
Grade 11
"it's hard to accept it."
Silver Key

Sabrinna Ionescu
Meadows School,
Grade 10
"Longing for Selene"
Silver Key

Athena Jett
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"The Power of Sin"
Gold Key
Brooke Jones  
Cristo Rey St. Viator College Prep High School,  
Grade 10  
"Alley Accident"  
Honorable Mention

Brooke Jones  
Cristo Rey St. Viator College Prep High School,  
Grade 10  
"Old Folk Home"  
Silver Key

Brooke Jones  
Cristo Rey St. Viator College Prep High School,  
Grade 10  
"Iron Golem"  
Silver Key

Zachary Znehr  
Bishop Gorman High School,  
Grade 12  
"The Dragon & The Mirror"  
Gold Key

Zachary Znehr  
Bishop Gorman High School,  
Grade 12  
"Mirrors"  
Gold Key

Zachary Znehr  
Bishop Gorman High School,  
Grade 12  
"Waiting"  
Honorable Mention
Poetry

Jake Kotek
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Hamlet Character Poem"
Silver Key

Trevor Kovacs
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Tragedy of Ophelia"
Honorable Mention

Maya Lai
Homeschool, Grade 10
"A Scrapbook"
Silver Key

Jasmine Lima Truong
Thurman White Middle School, Grade 8
"Spectacle"
Silver Key

Alec Ly
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Poem"
Honorable Mention

David Mai
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"The Insanity Plea"
Honorable Mention
Poetry

Gianna Marretti  
Bishop Gorman High School,  
Grade 12  
"Shape Poems"  
Honorable Mention  

Mark Meiszburger  
Bishop Gorman High School,  
Grade 12  
"Ophelia Poem"  
Silver Key  

Astrid Mihalopoulus  
Bishop Gorman High School,  
Grade 12  
"Shape poems"  
Honorable Mention  

Nicole Miller  
Adelson Educational Campus,  
Grade 10  
"Barbie"  
Honorable Mention  

Nicole Miller  
Adelson Educational Campus,  
Grade 10  
"The Girl in the Mirror"  
Silver Key  

Morgan Mixer  
Bishop Gorman High School,  
Grade 12  
"Shape Poems"  
Silver Key  

Allan Morones  
Bishop Gorman High School,  
Grade 12  
"Oppositional Shape Poems"  
Silver Key
Poetry

Ethan Nguyen
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Human Emotions"
Gold Key

Raynie Norris
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Ophelia character poem"
Honorable Mention

Joseph Novotni
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"The Snowball and The Aisle"
Honorable Mention

Evan Ogilvie
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Control to Chaos"
Honorable Mention

Alyssa Parangan
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Spoiled Crown"
Honorable Mention

Aarjav Patel
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Down Goes Hamlet"
Honorable Mention
Poetry

Olivia Patko
Homeschool, Grade 10
"2020"
Silver Key

Zara Pehlivani
Hyde Park Middle School, Grade 8
"Exploring Isolation"
Gold Key

Meghna (Chili) Pramoda
Davidson Academy Online, Grade 8
"I Wonder: The Girl Next Door and You, Yourself, and You Only"
Gold Key

Zeev Premer
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Yin/The Orchid"
Gold Key

Sofia Reynoso
West Career & Tech Academy, Grade 10
"The Way I See It: One Girl's Perspective"
Gold Key
Poetry

Sofia Reynoso
West Career & Tech Academy, Grade 10
"Curbside Therapy"
Silver Key

Carli Rice
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Reflections as I Wander"
Silver Key

Brayden Ristow
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Science v. Politics"
Silver Key

Milia Rubio
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Oppositional Shape Poem"
Honorable Mention

Tabitha Sabal
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Riding the Wave and A New House"
Silver Key

Karsyn Sadler
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Character Poem"
Honorable Mention
Poetry

Adriana Salgado
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"Joyful Grief"
Honorable Mention

Elizabeth Schmitt
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"Lunatic Dove"
Honorable Mention

Pastel Schway
Homeschool,
Grade 11
"Summers with Granny by the Shore"
Silver Key

"Once Upon a COVID"
Gold Key

Pastel Schway
Homeschool,
Grade 9
"Adventures on the Court"
Honorable Mention

"The Fabric of Dreams"
Gold Key
Poetry

Poem Schway
Homeschool,
Grade 9
"A Little Obsessed"
Gold Key

Hailey Shin
Meadows School,
Grade 11
"The Old and The New"
Silver Key

Hailey Shin
Meadows School,
Grade 11
"Ice Cream"
Honorable Mention

Anisha Silva
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"Twister"
Honorable Mention

Anisha Silva
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"Flowing River Poem"
Gold Key

Eva Silvestri
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"Hamlet Character Poem"
Silver Key
Poetry

Jenell Slesser
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Raindrops Lead to Rainbows"
Honorable Mention

Paige Sondgeroth
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"The Star"
Honorable Mention

Andrea Soto
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Papa’s truck"
Gold Key

Lauren Sparks
Palo Verde High School, Grade 11
"If a Tree Falls in a Forest"
Gold Key

Taylor Telles
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Gertrude's Lament"
Silver Key
Poetry

Matthew Thomas
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"New King"
Honorable Mention

Isac Vela
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Hamlet, How?"
Honorable Mention

Ryan Wagner
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Opposing shape poems"
Honorable Mention

Chloe Watson
Isac Vela
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"The Fall of Ophelia"
Silver Key

Giselle Williams
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"The Sacrificial Swan"
Honorable Mention

Sarah Wills
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Dear Ophelia"
Honorable Mention
Poetry

Bartosz Wolek
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"The Serpent And The Phoenix"
Silver Key

Brionna Worthington
Thurman White Middle School, Grade 8
"You Fixed Me"
Honorable Mention

Joseph Yager
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Shape Poem"
Honorable Mention

Aidan Yamachika
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Power to Desperation"
Silver Key

Samantha Yang
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Hamlet Ophelia Poem"
Silver Key

Christopher Yoo
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"My Dearest Friend"
Honorable Mention
Poetry

Jake Young
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"Half-Love; Half-Thought"
Silver Key

Maggie Young
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"Heart: addresses pure love and admiration and Teardrop: addresses the painful side of love"
Honorable Mention
Science Fiction & Fantasy
Poetry

Jasmine Acevedo
College Of Southern Nevada High School,
Grade 11
"The Last Survivor"
Honorable Mention

Isabelle Alexander
Lois & Jerry Tarkanian Middle School,
Grade 8
"The Phantom and the Pheonix"
Silver Key

Jayce Bertrand
"Heartless"
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 11
Silver Key

Jasmine Acevedo
College Of Southern Nevada High School,
Grade 11
"The Last Survivor"
Honorable Mention

Isabelle Alexander
Lois & Jerry Tarkanian Middle School,
Grade 8
"The Phantom and the Pheonix"
Silver Key

Jayce Bertrand
"Block 32, Level A"
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 11
Silver Key

Tatiana Costa
College Of Southern Nevada High School,
Grade 11
"The Vacant Mind"
Honorable Mention

Taina Fonseca
Coronado High School,
Grade 10
"The Mind of a Witch"
Silver Key
Poetry

Zachary Knehr  
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12  
"Steel Hearts & Steel Blades"  
Silver Key

Jennifer Liang  
Edward W Clark High School, Grade 12  
"12 o'clock"  
Silver Key

Carli Rice  
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12  
"The Man in the Boat"  
Honorable Mention

Pastel Schway  
Homeschool, Grade 11  
"The New Job"  
Silver Key

Cassandra Thanos  
Meadows School, Grade 12  
"The Red Sea"  
Silver Key

Poem Schway  
Homeschool, Grade 9  
"The Debt"  
Gold Key

Poem Schway  
Homeschool, Grade 9  
"Proxima"  
Silver Key
Short Story
Short Story

Xhaiden Arthur
Thurman White Middle School, Grade 8
"Smile Family"
Honorable Mention

Jayce Bertrand
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 11
"Luke’s Down Below"
Gold Key

Jayce Bertrand
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 11
"Up on the Catwalk"
Silver Key

Britohn Blank
Adelson Educational Campus, Grade 9
"The Shadow"
Gold Key

Jayce Bertrand
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 11
"Only YOU Can Help Us Stop Crime!"
Gold Key

Ashley Chan
Amplus Academy, Grade 8
"House of Eleven"
Gold Key
Short Story

Annaliese Farris
College Of Southern Nevada High School, Grade 12
"Deep Blue Sea"
Silver Key

Ethan Gaudioso-Nash
Green Valley High School, Grade 11
"The Gilded Pastor"
Gold Key

Nayomi Gibson
Odyssey Charter School Of Nevada, Grade 9
"It's Me, Imani."
Silver Key

Zachary Knehr
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Mask"
Gold Key

Zachary Knehr
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Beached"
Silver Key

Katherine Larson
Founders Academy Las Vegas, Grade 11
"Monsters Aren't Real"
Silver Key
Short Story

Kayla Lee
West Career & Tech Academy,
Grade 11
"Aeropolis"
Silver Key

Caroline Lemcke
Palo Verde High School,
Grade 10
"Lost and Found"
Gold Key

Hailey Sanchez
College Of Southern Nevada High School,
Grade 11
"Soulless"
Honorable Mention

Mya Skowronski
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"Madness in Time"
Silver Key

Mireya Trevino
Somerset Academy-Losee,
Grade 7
"The Latina"
Gold Key

Chloe Watson
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"Joo-wal"
Silver Key
Portfolio
Portfolios

Dominic Abella
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Faith and Inspiration"
Honorable Mention

Guillaine Arthur
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Nerve"
Silver Key

Vansh Chandra
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Writing Portfolio"
Honorable Mention

Madeline Chatham
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Character Growth"
Silver Key

Jaylen Choi
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Human Nature"
Honorable Mention

Shaelin Chong
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Ambitions"
Silver Key
Portfolios

Connor Delacruz
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"A Satirical Analysis on Character and Family"
Honorable Mention

Isabela Delos-Reyes
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Passion and Relationships"
Silver Key

Saanvi Desai
Edward W Clark High School, Grade 12
"Heart On My Sleeve"
Silver Key

Jenna Favazza
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Imperfections of Man"
Silver Key

Ashley Garlan
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Satirical Sadness"
Silver Key

Katelyn Hackworth
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"A Change in Power"
Silver Key
Portfolios

Raul Iglesias
Rancho High School,
Grade 12
"Live Your Story"
Honorable Mention

Poinsettia Isaw
Northwest Career & Tech Academy,
Grade 12
"Facts and Feelings and Escapism"
Gold Key

Reese Jednorozec
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"The Open Sea"
Honorable Mention

Kyle Johns
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"A Semi-Satirical Analysis on Character and Habits"
Honorable Mention

Aja Johnson
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"Power and Its Reciprocal"
Silver Key

Zachary Knehr
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"English Class"
Honorable Mention
Portfolios

Zachary Knehr
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"Symbolic Image"
Gold Key

Kira Kramer
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"The human condition: understanding the chains that oppress us and the thoughts that liberate us."
Silver Key

Jocelyn Lotterhos
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"The Significance of Autonomy and Independence"
Honorable Mention

Krish Madhura
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"AP English Portfolio"
Honorable Mention

Alyssa Mangio
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"Defining Power"
Gold Key

Maia Marshall
Bishop Gorman High School,
Grade 12
"Reflections"
Honorable Mention
Portfolios

Sergiy Montano
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Leadership and Change"
Gold Key

Nicole Needham
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Rise or Fall"
Gold Key

Derek Nguyen
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Humanity’s Ambiguity"
Honorable Mention

Aidan Niehoff
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"A Collection of Hopes"
Honorable Mention

Isabel Orozco
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"AP Literature 4 Porfolio"
Honorable Mention

Vivien Pap
Homeschool, Grade 12
"Interpretive Weight"
Honorable Mention
Portfolios

Mariane Isabella Pedrosa
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"The Power Spectrum"
Honorable Mention

Laura Penalosa
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"The Vice of All that Exists: Innate Corruption"
Honorable Mention

Arleth Quintero
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"The Future-Arleth Quintero"
Honorable Mention

Deekshana Ram
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Individuality"
Silver Key

Vladislav Reva
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"The Varying Instances of Disunity In Life"
Honorable Mention

Reese Rosebeck
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Imperfect Humans"
Honorable Mention
Portfolios

Annie Shao
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Point of View"
Honorable Mention

Anisha Silva
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"The Chaotic Tranquility of Self Growth, Injustice, and Redemption"
Honorable Mention

Juliana Sinobio
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Overcoming Negativity"
Silver Key

Cassandra Thanos
Meadows School, Grade 12
"The Creative Mind of a Budding Filmmaker"
Honorable Mention

Sophie Vansomphone
Bishop Gorman High School, Grade 12
"Growing Pains"
Gold Key
American Voices Nominees
American Voices
Nominees

Yasmine Aboudallah
Las Vegas Academy of the Arts,
Grade 12
"Tourist Attraction"
Personal Essay & Memoir

Ethan Hsiao
Palo Verde High School,
Grade 11
"Complicity or Solidarity: Dichotomous Interactions of the Asian and Black Communities"
Critical Essay

Poem Schway
Homeschool,
Grade 9
"The Debt"
Science Fiction & Fantasy

Lauren Sparks
"If a Tree Falls in a Forest"
Palo Verde High School,
Grade 11
Poetry