



**Wharton County
Junior College**

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ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT

WCJC students receive academic recognition awards

WHARTON, TEXAS – Wharton County Junior College students were recently recognized for their classroom achievements.

At the college's annual Academic Recognition Awards ceremony, instructors and administrators presented students with awards for outstanding achievement in particular fields of study.

Students were also recognized for achieving a high grade point average (GPA), with 71 students receiving Honors Certificates for earning a minimum GPA of 3.75 and 17 students receiving Highest Achievers of Academic Excellence Certificates for achieving a perfect GPA of 4.0.

Students receiving departmental awards during the ceremony included:

- Outstanding Student Administrative Assistant – Snehaben Tailor of Sugar Land
- Outstanding Student in Office Administration – Alline Grahmann of Sugar Land
- Outstanding Student in Biology – Amber Koehn of El Campo
- Outstanding Student in Government – Ala'a Al-Natour of Sugar Land
- Outstanding Student in Paralegal Studies – Elizabeth Fitch of Rosenberg
- Human Services Outstanding Academic and Service Award – Bailey Kovarek of El Campo
- Outstanding Student in Accounting – Lori Lee of Rosenberg
- Outstanding Student in Nuclear Power Technology – Denton Rawlins of Bay City
- Outstanding Student in Process Technology – Hunter O'Neal of El Campo
- Outstanding Student in Manufacturing Technology/Mechanical Technician – Arnulfo Mendoza of Wharton

Campus locations in ♦ Wharton ♦ Sugar Land ♦ Richmond ♦ Bay City ■ Extension Center in El Campo

- Outstanding Student in Electronics Engineering Technology – Johnathan Klotz of Wallis
- Outstanding Student in Chemistry – Daisy Enriquez of El Campo
- Outstanding Student in Construction Management – Antonio Quinones of Rosenberg
- Outstanding Student in Engineering Design – Amber Waldon of Needville
- Outstanding Student in Speech – Benjamin Kosler of Richmond
- Outstanding Student in English – Vanessa Grimaldo of Needville
- Outstanding Student in History and Geography – Cassidy Witham of Richmond
- Outstanding Student in Licensed Vocational Nursing – Roisha Hutchinson of Brazoria
- Outstanding Student in Radiologic Technology – Brittany Bock of Sweeny
- Outstanding Student in Surgical Technology – Madeline McSweeney of Van Vleck
- Outstanding Student in Dental Hygiene – Leann Campbell of Victoria
- Outstanding Student in Health Information Technology – Margaret Zambrano of Kingwood
- Outstanding Student in Early Childhood Development – Tiffany Maldonado of Sugar Land
- Outstanding Student in CISCO Certification – Rayon Austin of Houston
- Outstanding Student in Computer Science – Nicholai Tukanov of Sugar Land
- Outstanding Student in Network Administration – Samuel Olivares of Richmond
- Outstanding Student in Computer Simulation and Game Design – Steve Schnell of Sugar Land
- Outstanding Student in Digital Media – Talisa Galvin of Richmond
- Phi Theta Kappa Louise Sealock Award – Katherine Shriver of Bay City
- Outstanding Student Leadership Student Government Association – Moriah Johnson of Sugar Land
- Outstanding Student Leadership Student Government Association – Jazmine Walker of Houston
- Human Services Outstanding Academic and Service Award – Staci Garcia of Bay City
- Outstanding Music Major – Hannah Schoppe of El Campo
- Outstanding Student in Band – Taylor Ondrias of El Campo
- Outstanding Student in Choir – Justin Lewis of Sugar Land
- Outstanding Student in Drama – Megan Poffenbarger of Wharton
- Outstanding Student in Art – Tatiana Weakley of Needville

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