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**Four Montgomery Blair High School Seniors Honored in
National Hispanic Recognition Program**

Silver Spring, MD—Four Montgomery Blair High School seniors, one of whom is from the Montgomery Blair High School Science, Mathematics, and Computer Science Magnet Program, were selected on September 25 to be honored in the 2014 National Hispanic Recognition Program. The Blair Class of 2014 National Hispanic Recognition Program Scholars are Sabrina Bradford and Jared Collina of Takoma Park, Sadie Isakower of Bethesda, and Ivan Reimers of Silver Spring.

This scholarship recognizes outstanding Hispanic/Latino high school students and is sponsored annually by the National Merit Scholarship Corporation. Of the more than 250,000 Hispanic/Latino students who took the screening test for this award, the Preliminary SAT/National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test (PSAT/NMSQT) in October 2012, approximately 5,000 were honored in the National Hispanic Recognition Program. Their selection is based primarily on their score on the PSAT/NMSQT and their high school grade point average. These students represent the United States, Puerto Rico, the U.S. Virgin Islands, Guam, the Mariana Islands and the Marshall Islands, as well as U.S. citizens attending schools abroad.

National Hispanic Recognition Program Scholar and Blair Magnet senior Sadie Isakower reflects on her years in the Blair Magnet and looks eagerly ahead, “I feel honored to have received this award. Being part of the Blair Magnet has been an awesome experience, and I will never forget the wonderful teachers and friends I’ve met at Blair. The Magnet has totally changed how I think about real world problems, and I feel that because of this, my peers and I are at a definite advantage as we enter college.”

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Montgomery Blair High School Science, Mathematics, and Computer Science Magnet Program senior Sadie Isakower is one of the high school's four 2014 National Hispanic Recognition Program Scholars. (Photo courtesy of Sadie Isakower)

About The Montgomery Blair High School Magnet Foundation

This organization was founded by a group of concerned students, teachers, administrators, and alumni in 2008. Its purpose is to promote science, mathematics, and computer science education by supporting the Magnet Program at Montgomery Blair High School in its efforts to develop resources and refine practices needed to provide a rigorous and enriched education for students, staff, and the community at large. The Foundation is incorporated in the state of Maryland and is a 501(c)(3) tax-exempt organization.

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