

2022-23 Top Scholars per Ward

TORONTO – The Toronto Catholic District School Board (TCDSB) is pleased to announce the Top Scholars from each Ward for the 2022-23 academic year.

These top students exceeded provincial education standards by maintaining grade averages between 98% and 100%. These exceptional students not only demonstrated a strong commitment to their education but also persevered despite the ongoing challenges of recovering from the pandemic.

They will be heading into post-secondary institutions with confidence from graduating with high scores in a diverse range of courses.

Top Scholar for Ward 1

Mehar Singh Monsignor Percy Johnson Catholic Secondary School 98.83 per cent average

Top Scholar for Ward 2

Olivia Pellarin Michael Power-St. Joseph Catholic High School 99.67 per cent average

Top Scholar for Ward 3

Isabella Ianni St. Basil-the-Great College School 98.67 per cent average

Top Scholars for Ward 4

Amelia Campoli
Father John Redmond Catholic Secondary
School and Regional Arts Centre
100 per cent average

Honora Murphy
Father John Redmond Catholic Secondary
School and Regional Arts Centre
100 per cent average

Tano Nguyen
Father John Redmond Catholic Secondary
School and Regional Arts Centre

100 per cent average

Natalia Sulek
Father John Redmond Catholic Secondary
School and Regional Arts Centre
100 per cent average

Zachary Xerri Father John Redmond Catholic Secondary School and Regional Arts Centre

100 per cent average

Sophia Lezhanska Bishop Allen Academy 100 per cent average

Robert Zupancic Father John Redmond Catholic Secondary School and Regional Arts Centre

100 per cent average

Ryan Opresnik Bishop Allen Academy 100 per cent average

Top Scholars for Ward 5

Ananth Satkunarajah Brebeuf College School 99.67 per cent average Bomin Kim Loretto Abbey Catholic Secondary School 99.67 per cent average

Top Scholar for Ward 6

Vincent Lasi
St. Mary Catholic Academy
99.33 per cent average

Top Scholar for Ward 7

Alia Eiras Mary Ward Catholic Secondary School 99.67 per cent average

Top Scholar for Ward 8

Venise Rayzel Espina Francis Libermann Catholic High School 99.50 per cent average

Top Scholar for Ward 9

Rowa Ahmed St. Joseph's College School 99.50 per cent average

Top Scholar for Ward 10

Yianni Culmone Chaminade College School 99.50 per cent average

Top Scholars for Ward 11

Raffael Gil Dela Cruz St. Patrick Catholic Secondary School 99.33 per cent average Michel Herrera Viyella St. Patrick Catholic Secondary School 99.33 per cent average

Top Scholar for Ward 12

Bisrat Haile St. John Henry Newman Catholic High School

Vicente III Hernandez St. John Henry Newman Catholic High School

99 per cent average

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"The Top Scholars at TCDSB are a source of immense pride for all of us at the Board," says Nancy Crawford, Chair of the Board. "Through their dedication to hard work, these students have demonstrated what can be achieved when clear goals are in mind. We wish them the very best as they pursue their post-secondary studies and achieve their dreams."

"TCDSB's distinguished Top Scholars have unequivocally surpassed our Catholic Graduate Expectations," asserts Dr. Brendan Browne, Director of Education. "The unwavering commitment displayed by our Top Scholars towards their academics highlights their dedication, resilience, and perseverance in achieving their dreams. We offer our sincere gratitude to both the staff and families comprising our school communities for their unwavering support throughout this educational journey."

For bios and a complete list of all Top Ward Scholars, see our <u>Backgrounder</u>.