The 2019 McDermott Scholars

The 2019 class of Scholars is made up of 11 students from Texas, 6 from out of state, and 1 from Bangladesh.

Cady Baltz

Hometown: Germantown, TN
High School: Houston High School
Major: Computer Science
Taylor Crockett

Hometown: Allen, TX
High School: Allen High School
Major: Undecided

Harrison Dal Ponte

Hometown: Tucson, AZ
High School: BASIS Oro Valley
Major: Mechanical Engineering

Lydia Grant

Hometown: Cincinnati, OH
High School: Turpin High School
Major: Electrical Engineering
Areeba Hafeez

**Hometown:** Southlake, TX  
**High School:** Carroll Senior High School  
**Major:** Biology

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Elijah Harbut

**Hometown:** Huntington Woods, MI  
**High School:** International Academy  
**Major:** Biochemistry

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Paulina Hruskoci

**Hometown:** Shrewsbury, MA  
**High School:** Shrewsbury High School  
**Major:** Political Science
Pratik Koppikar

Hometown: Coppell, TX  
High School: Coppell High School  
Major: Molecular Biology

Avirut Mehta

Hometown: Sugar Land, TX  
High School: William P. Clements High School  
Major: Undecided

Bhaash Pathak

Hometown: Irving, TX  
High School: Coppell High School  
Major: Neuroscience
Neha Philip
Hometown: Lewisville, TX
High School: Hebron High School
Major: Neuroscience

Cari Reinert
Hometown: Wylie, TX
High School: Texas Academy of Math and Science
Major: Undecided

Anna Scully
Hometown: Keller, TX
High School: Central High School
Major: Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology
Ted Shi
Hometown: Overland Park, KS
High School: Blue Valley Southwest High School
Major: Biomedical Engineering

Katie Strand
Hometown: Frisco, TX
High School: Independence High School
Major: Mechanical Engineering

Khalid Hossain Tawohid
Hometown: Dhaka, Bangladesh
High School: UCSI International School Springhill
Major: Computer Science
Vivian Tran

**Hometown:** Austin, TX  
**High School:** Westwood High School  
**Major:** Biochemistry

Varun Venkat

**Hometown:** Frisco, TX  
**High School:** Independence High School  
**Major:** Electrical Engineering