The 2020 McDermott Scholars

The 2020 class of Scholars is made up of 6 students from Texas, 11 from out of state, and 1 from Ecuador.
Alejandro Barros

Hometown: Quito, Ecuador
High School: Heritage High School
Major: Biochemistry

Amulya Bhaskara

Hometown: Phoenix, AZ
High School: Paradise Valley High School
Major: Neuroscience

Tyler Burkhardt

Hometown: Reno, NV
High School: Davidson Academy
Major: Undecided
Shreya Chauk
Hometown: Irving, TX
High School: Uplift North Hills Preparatory
Major: Computer Science

Kara Curtis
Hometown: Gunter, TX
High School: Gunter High School
Major: International Political Economy

Olivia DiAcetis
Hometown: Duvall, WA
High School: Cedarcrest High School
Major: Undecided
Nigel Gray
Hometown: Okemos, MI
High School: Okemos High School
Major: Finance

Anisha Holla
Hometown: Frisco, TX
High School: Centennial High School
Major: Neuroscience

Nithya Jaisankar
Hometown: Troy, MI
High School: Athens High School
Major: Undecided
Michael Ji
Hometown: Spring, TX
High School: Klein High School
Major: Biochemistry

Sana Khan
Hometown: Austin, TX
High School: Westwood High School
Major: Biology

Lexis Khetsavanh
Hometown: Franklin, TN
High School: Centennial High School
Major: Undecided
Angela Li

**Hometown:** Broomfield, CO  
**High School:** Peak to Peak Charter School  
**Major:** Biomedical Engineering

Tori Moore

**Hometown:** West Palm Beach, FL  
**High School:** The Kings Academy  
**Major:** Biomedical Engineering

Isabella Palazuelos

**Hometown:** Oxnard, CA  
**High School:** Fillmore Senior High School  
**Major:** Cognitive Science
Thomas Pham
Hometown: Tucson, AZ
High School: BASIS Tucson North
Major: Healthcare Studies

Ann Elaine Rogers
Hometown: Sunnyvale, CA
High School: Archbishop Mitty High School
Major: Computer Science

Jeffrey Vancil
Hometown: Austin, TX
High School: John B. Connally High School
Major: Public Policy