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The Fine Arts Diploma Seal is awarded to graduating high school students who complete a Georgia Fine Arts Pathway and engage in additional fine arts or creative industry focus courses; fine arts-related extracurricular activities and community service; and the presentation of a Fine Arts Capstone Project. This is the first year that Hall County Schools has been eligible to offer the Fine Arts Diploma Seal, and we are proud of our 31 students who have achieved this honor!

Requirements for the HCSD Fine Arts Diploma Seal

- 1) Three credits in a single fine arts pathway to denote mastery in one art form
- 2) A fourth credit in either the same fine arts pathway, OR

A fourth credit with the same fine arts emphasis from the list of approved Creative Industry Skill-Focused Courses:

- CTAE courses
- Journalism
- Directed Study
- Work-based Learning
- Honors Mentorship
- 3) Involvement in two or more fine arts related extracurricular activities
- 4) At least 20 hours of arts-related community service
- 5) Presentation of the Fine Arts Capstone Project

HCSD 2018 Graduates Earning the Fine Arts Diploma Seal			
School	Fine Arts Area	Teacher's Name	Student's Name
Chestatee HS	Theatre	Jeff Kelly	Madison Heath
Chestatee HS	Band	Daniel Merck	Noah Merck
Chestatee HS	Band	Daniel Merck	Leila Findley
Chestatee HS	Visual Art	Veronica Martin	Elyse Metzdorf
Chestatee HS	Visual Art	Veronica Martin	Britney Hall
Chestatee HS	Visual Art	Veronica Martin	Vianca Bonilla
East Hall HS	Theatre	Aimee Jordan	Viviana Mata
East Hall HS	Chorus	Whitney Rylee	Michelle Black
East Hall HS	Chorus	Whitney Rylee	Lauren Passmore
East Hall HS	Chorus	Whitney Rylee	Jasmin Ruiz
East Hall HS	Band	Craig Cantrell	Chris Broome
East Hall HS	Band	Craig Cantrell	Ashley Castle
East Hall HS	Band	Craig Cantrell	Zyannah Cummings
East Hall HS	Band	Craig Cantrell	Ben Dean
East Hall HS	Band	Craig Cantrell	Katherine Merck
East Hall HS	Band	Craig Cantrell	Veronica Renteria
Flowery Branch HS	Theatre	Rane Tipton	Merrick Couch
Flowery Branch HS	Visual Art	Hilary Lamb	Savannah Whitmire
Flowery Branch HS	Visual Art	Hilary Lamb	Faith Reagin
Flowery Branch HS	Visual Art	Hilary Lamb	Genesis Coyra
Flowery Branch HS	Visual Art	Hilary Lamb	Whittney Palazzo
Flowery Branch HS	Visual Art	Hilary Lamb	Alondra Arevalo
Flowery Branch HS	Visual Art	Hilary Lamb	Brooke Lykins
West Hall HS	Visual Art	Erica Lackey	Katherine Buffington
West Hall HS	Visual Art	Erica Lackey	Helen Alejo
West Hall HS	Chorus	Tim Gale	Elijah Bowles
West Hall HS	Chorus	Tim Gale	Luke Decamp
West Hall HS	Band	Katy Wilson	Kelsey Albertini
West Hall HS	Band	Katy Wilson	Christian Barajas
West Hall HS	Theatre	Emily Taylor	Stephanie Patten
West Hall HS	Theatre	Emily Taylor	Elizabeth Taylor