

D-99 takes home medals at leadership conference

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DOWNERS GROVE - Twenty students from Downers Grove North and South high schools received medals at the Family, Career and Community Leaders of America state conference from April 7 to 9, according to a Community High School District 99 news release.

FCCLA is the career and technical student organization for family and consumer science students.

South student Josh Munoz-Abarca and North students Jade Gandhi, Taylor Kozarits and Abbey Testin all won Gold Medals and Most Outstanding in their competitions. Munoz-Abarca competed in culinary relish tray, Testin competed in fondant cakes and Gandhi and Kozarits both competed in fashion apparel display.

Other students who received medals include:

GOLD: North students Alexa Johnson [fashion], Elena Mendez [professional career image] and Claire Rowley [fashion]; and South students Nana Asamoah [personal career image] and Leslie Elena [frosted cakes]

SILVER: North students Yosmely Aguilar [international experience], Alice Bieda [frosted cookie], Kylie Daly [fashion apparel display], Kailey Nelson [frosted cakes], Priscilla Perez [fashion apparel display] and Brooke Stocki [freshman fashion apparel display]; and South students Fatimah Khan [international experience], Saba Siddiqui [international experience] and Tanvir Siddiqui [international experience]

BRONZE: North students Jill Krejci [fashion construction] and Anne Toner [international experience]