



The 11th Annual 4.0 & Above Program Qualified Students Are Eligible to Win Scholarships, a 2023 Toyota Corolla, and Other Assorted Prizes!

All those long hours spent hitting the books are already paying off! The Big Fresno Fair and the Office of the Fresno County Superintendent of Schools along with valued sponsors Friends of the Big Fresno Fair, Valley Children's Healthcare, EECU, Toyota, Chevron and iHeart Radio have partnered to give BIG REWARDS once again to high-achieving Fresno County students grades 8 - 12 with the 4.0 & Above Program.

The 4.0 & Above Program invites all Fresno County 8th - 12th grade students whose academic performance has awarded them a 4.0 grade point average or above as of June 2022 to The Big Fresno Fair for free on Opening Day, Wednesday, October 5, 2022. Qualified 8th grade students will have the chance to win Air Pods, Laptops and Visa Gift Cards! Then 9th - 12th grade students will have the chance to win those same prizes PLUS a 2023 Toyota Corolla. But that's not all; both groups will have the opportunity to win individual scholarships in \$1,500 or \$3,000 denominations, totaling over \$97,000! Prizes will be awarded during an official drawing at 6:30 p.m. in the Brian I. Tatarian Grandstand.

Scholarships include the following to date:

Chevron	Save Mart
EECU	Butler Amusements
Toyota	Haystack Consultants
Meyers Farms Family Trust	Louis & Tracy Brosi
Bob Smittcamp	Mid Valley Disposal
Valley Children's Healthcare	Nalchajian Orthodontics
Barbara & Robert Vartan Family	Saladino Family Foundation
Credit Card Guys	

All prizes are donated by community-minded companies and individuals who believe in rewarding academic excellence. This Program allows the Fair, its partners, and the community to recognize these students for all their hard work and incredible scholastic achievements. It also provides the opportunity for all Fresno County School District Superintendents, their Board Presidents, plus each public, private and charter Jr. High and High School Principal and their Campus Culture Directors to encourage students to work hard all year round to keep up their grades for a lifetime of rewards.

Last year we gave away a record number of scholarships to Fresno County students totaling \$87,000, plus other prizes were (6) laptops, (3) Apple iPads, (6) \$100 Visa gift cards and a new Toyota Corolla! Sunnyside High School student, Joanna Mendez was the lucky winner of the new car.

"We at The Big Fresno Fair believe that hard work should be rewarded. That is why The Big Fresno Fair is once again thrilled to celebrate and reward high-achieving students on Opening Day at our 4.0 Program" stated Lauri L. King, CEO of The Big Fresno Fair. "We look forward to celebrating these students and giving away some incredible prizes that will support their educational advancement"

Students will receive their 4.0 & Above Program brochure and entry pass by September 21 from their schools. If your 4.0 student has not received their brochure with pass, please contact your school. For official rules and presentation details, visit www.FresnoFair.com/4aboveprogram.