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Eight Students from St. John the Baptist D.H.S. Recognized By National Merit Program *Students Selected out of 1.5 Million Program Entrants*

WEST ISLIP, NY – Eight students from St. John the Baptist Diocesan High School have met the requirements to enter the 2012 National Merit Scholarship Program. With a selection Index score of 202 or above, each of these students is among the 50,000 highest-scoring participants of some 1.5 million program entrants. Because these high achievers have shown outstanding academic potential, they are being referred to two colleges or universities in the United States in which they are particularly interested.

“Our goal is to provide young people with a solid academic background that will enable them to attend the collegiate institution of their choice. Having the unique opportunity to be referred to their college of choice is a wonderful opportunity for these students. We are extremely proud that they have been selected to enter the National Merit Scholarship Program,” said Walter D. Lace, Principal.

National Merit Commended Scholars for the Class Of 2012

- Sean Campbell - Islip
- Emma Cleary - Smithtown
- Katelyn Dooley - Huntington
- Luke Goodman – Long Beach
- Robert Hansen – Islip Terrace
- Kevin Kruse – Port Jefferson
- Kayla Mathisen – Massapequa Park
- Ian Stewart - Babylon

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About St. John the Baptist Diocesan High School

About St. John the Baptist Diocesan High School: 1,700 students attend St. John the Baptist DHS, a college preparatory Catholic High School located on the south shore in West Islip. As part of the Diocese of Rockville Centre, St. John's offers a value-centered education that recognizes the unique talents and abilities of each child, while fostering a school environment that challenges students to reach their true potential. Open since 1966, St. John's offers a rigorous curriculum and extensive activity and athletic programs. Students have the opportunity to take numerous Advanced Placement classes and 99% of St. John's graduates continue on to higher education. For Mission Statement and additional information: www.sjbdhs.org