## SPECIAL MENTIONS 2023 - CONGRATULATIONS!

Kidus Alemu, 4<sup>th</sup> Grade, Shepherd Elementary, Takeisha Wilson Da'Leeyah Allen, 9th Grade, Columbia Heights EC, Ms. Jae and Ms. Belser Maeve Anderson, 4<sup>th</sup> Grade, Barnard Elementary, Alina Majer-Robbins Noah Beard, 6<sup>th</sup> Grade, Alice Deal Middle School, Michael Martini Erik Beltrán Abundis, 8<sup>th</sup> Grade, Cardozo EC, Byron Brower Elise Chrappah, 4<sup>th</sup> Grade, John Eaton Elementary, Anthony Tarzia Zeinab Dembele\*, 8<sup>th</sup> Grade, Ida B. Wells Middle School, Mrs. Alison Rice Elinor Foley, 4<sup>th</sup> Grade, Shepherd Elementary, Takeisha Wilson **Theodore Goodman**, 4<sup>th</sup> Grade, Shepherd Elementary, Takeisha Wilson Parker Healey, 4<sup>th</sup> Grade, Lafayette Elementary, Alison Dalton Destiny Herring, 8<sup>th</sup> Grade, Kramer Middle School, Ms. Ramble Ilwad H, 5th Grade, Noyes Elementary, Ariel Horton Sonia Izri, 4<sup>th</sup> Grade, Whittier Elementary, Bradford Stratton Lizmarlin Jimenez, 4th Grade, Barnard Elementary, Alina Majer-Robbins Jayden Johnson, 6<sup>th</sup> Grade, John Hayden Johnson MS, Vincent Gumina Yeabsera Kassu, 5<sup>th</sup> Grade, Whittier Elementary, Ms. Lee Wallin Daniel Leon-Lemus, 6<sup>th</sup> Grade, Macfarland Middle School, Ms. Texeira Ruth Martinez Majano, 5th Grade, Truesdell Elementary, Ciara Campbell Emelia Miller-Anderson, 5<sup>th</sup> Grade, Noyes Elementary, Ariel Horton Emery Miller, 5<sup>th</sup> Grade, Noyes Elementary, Ariel Horton Akihiro Noguchi, 5<sup>th</sup> Grade, SWW@Francis Stevens, Teressa West Enpei "Emily" Peng, 5<sup>th</sup> Grade, SWW@Francis Stevens, Teressa West Skylar Simmons, 5<sup>th</sup> Grade, Mary McLeod Bethune Day Academy PCS, Barbara Sutton Aasir Smith, 5<sup>th</sup> Grade, Noyes Elementary, Ariel Horton Harper Spahn, 4<sup>th</sup> Grade, Lafayette Elementary, Alison Dalton Adelaide Stitziel, 5<sup>th</sup> Grade, Murch Elementary, Margaret Deegan Serge Tchamo,\*\* 9<sup>th</sup> Grade, Banneker HS, Alina Majer-Robbins Mario Tello, 4<sup>th</sup> Grade, Barnard Elementary, Renee Calcagno Mercy Thomas, 5<sup>th</sup> Grade, Center City Brightwood PCS, Payton Persinger Damir Upshire, 8<sup>th</sup> Grade, Kramer Middle School, Ms. Ramble **Takyah White**, 4<sup>th</sup> Grade, Friendship PCS@BlowPierce, Shatavia Kelley Burdock Whitesides, 6<sup>th</sup> Grade, Macfarland Middle School, Ms. Texeira Anteliyah Wood, 8<sup>th</sup> Grade, Kramer Middle School, Ms. Ramble ChaMaree Woodland, 9th Grade, McKinley Technology HS, Ms. Linda Wallace

## Javae' Wright, 9<sup>th</sup> Grade, McKinley Technology HS, Ms. Linda Wallace Roland Wright, 5<sup>th</sup> Grade, Noyes Elementary School, Ariel Horton

\* Honorable Mention 2022, Special mention 2019, \*\* Third Place 2022, Honorable Mention 2021, 2019, 2018