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Five Educators Receive Aspiring Administrator Scholarship

(Frankfort, Ky) Five educators in Kentucky received scholarships to pursue education administration certification at Kentucky universities.

2018 Recipients are:

- Cory Dylan White, teacher in the Bowling Green Ind. School District, attending Murray State University
- Casimer Granz, instructional coach for Campbell County Schools, attending Northern Kentucky University
- Kelsey Tackett, teacher in the Floyd County School District, attending the University of Kentucky
- Bryan Downing, assistant middle school principal for Warren County Schools, attending Western Kentucky University
- Margot Smith, teacher in the Jefferson County School District, attending the University of Louisville

In partnership with Kentucky's public universities, KASA's Aspiring Administrator Scholarship is an annual program assisting those who aspire to become local school administrators in Kentucky, but who have not met the certification requirements. It is open to aspiring and experienced administrators.

Each scholarship will provide one graduate-level, three-credit-hour course taken during the summer of 2018.

“As a part of our mission to serve Kentucky schools and create the strongest education leaders in the country, we recognize that training at our premier universities is a critical component. It was with this in mind that we charted a path that would do more than instill the hope to become a school district leader; rather, we aimed to create an avenue for those hopes to become reality,” KASA Deputy Director Dr. Rhonda Caldwell said.

The Kentucky Association of School Administrators is the largest school administrators' group in Kentucky, representing more than 3,100 education leaders from across the commonwealth. Formed in 1969, KASA connects education leaders to policymakers, legislators, and other interest groups and provides numerous benefits and services to Kentucky's school administrators.

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