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Dear Supporters of the Bautista Memorial Scholarship Golf Outing:

With heartfelt appreciation, I thank you for your generous sponsorship of the Bautista Memorial Scholarship Golf Outing. Your investment benefits De La Salle students who are able to achieve their educational goals and attain a quality Catholic education rooted in the Lasallian tradition.

Last year, De La Salle student Jesus Cervantes '20, was awarded a \$1,000 scholarship through the Miguel & Elvira Bautista Memorial Scholarship Fund. Jesus graduated from his parish grammar school, St. Procopius, in the Pilsen neighborhood of Chicago. This year, the Bautista Memorial Scholarship will benefit two new students due to the overwhelming success of this year's golf outing!

We are experiencing a period of rapid growth at De La Salle. In August, we became a co-educational high school with more than 900 students calling 35th and Michigan home. Along with our facility expansion, we have also strengthened our academic foundation with additions to our curriculum as well as the introduction of "Project Lead the Way" where students can take classes in engineering and robotics. These enhancements to De La Salle's curriculum have begun with the entering Class of 2021!

As an important benefactor of the Bautista Memorial Scholarship Golf Outing, we aim to have your full confidence and trust. Again, thank you for your commitment in helping ensure that our students have opportunities to reach for and achieve the educational excellence that is critical on their journey to becoming future leaders.

If you have any questions or want to learn more about De La Salle Institute, please visit our website www.dls.org. You are always welcome, at any time to De La Salle Institute. I hope that you will plan a visit in the near future.

Sincerely.

Iris Gist Cochran

Director of Development

