



CASCWA

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Child Welfare & Attendance

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--A special message to CASCWA members and H.S. Counselors--

Our Anthony Brucia Success Award announcement is now available. It is a \$1000 *cash award* that is intended for a comprehensive or alternative high senior who has overcome adversity. Five will be awarded. The winners usually have low grades as a freshman but show great improvement by graduation. . They all have one thing in common—someone who guides them through the application process.

It would be greatly appreciated if you could help in identifying eligible applicants. Both comprehensive and alternative high school seniors are eligible. Our winners are always supported by caring staff counselors, coaches, special education, shop, Ag. or other staff who know their personal history. With their urging and assistance the student candidate has a greater chance of winning one of the cash grants.

It is our request that you forward this memo to those staff members who might assist in identifying the type of senior eligible for this award. Our WEB page has many examples of winning essays along with the application, deadline date and mailing address. Just do an internet search for “Anthony Brucia Success Awards” or hit this link: <https://cascwa.wildapricot.org/Anthony-Brucia-Success>

Throughout the years over \$200,000 has been awarded to deserving students. The winners can even receive additional CASCWA grants by continuing their education, For the right student, this is an easy award to win! Perhaps, your school has a winner!

Thank you,

Praxades Torres

President, San Joaquin Section of **CASCWA**

Anthony Brucia Success Awards Foundation

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If you have any questions, please email our scholarship chairman, Sergio Mendoza at Sergio.mendoza@burtonschoools.org or call him at 559-781-8032.