The College Board and Project Lead The Way are proud to share the results of the 2016-17 AP + PLTW Student Achievement. This achievement signals that a student is prepared for and interested in college and a career in a critical STEM-related field. Students who earn the achievement have demonstrated success in both academic and applied coursework and have experience applying advanced content knowledge to address real-world challenges. To receive the recognition, students must earn three qualifying scores in a pathway: one AP Exam score of 3 or higher; one PLTW End-of-Course assessment score of Proficient or higher; and a third qualifying score of either 3 or higher on the AP Exam or Proficient or higher on the PLTW End-of-Course assessment.

**TOTAL INCREASE IN AP + PLTW STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT FROM 2015-2016**

- More than 3,000 AP + PLTW Student Achievements awarded.
- 780+ in Computer Science
- 2,300+ in Biomedical Science
- 2 Students became the first to earn recognition in Computer Science
- 142% Increase in Biomedical Science
- 135% Increase in Engineering
- 75 Students received recognition in both Biomedical Science and Engineering
- 322% Increase in students from previous year

**STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT BY STATE**

**HIGHEST NUMBER OF AP + PLTW STUDENT ACHIEVEMENTS AWARDED**

- **SCHOOLS**
  1. Adlai E Stevenson High School | Illinois
  2. Wheaton High School | Maryland
  3. Frisco ISD Career and Technical Education | Texas
  4. Hamilton Southeastern High School | Indiana
  5. Montgomery County Public Schools | Maryland

- **DISTRICTS**
  1. Montgomery County Public Schools | Maryland
  2. District 125 – Adlai E Stevenson High School | Illinois
  3. Round Rock Independent School District | Texas
  4. Howard County Public School System | Maryland
  5. Frisco Independent School District | Texas

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