MEDIA ADVISORY

SELECT YONKERS PUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENTS INDUCTED INTO
YONKERS PARTNERS IN EDUCATION (YPIE) COLLEGE SUCCESS PROGRAM

WHAT:　　　Two hundred ninth-grade students from the Yonkers Public Schools will embark on their path to college as Yonkers Partners in Education (YPIE) Scholars, a community of students preparing for success in college and beyond.

At this first in-person Induction Ceremony since the pandemic, YPIE will welcome the Scholars Class of 2030, named for the year these students will graduate from college. This class was selected based on their drive, dedication, and focus on their future.

YPIE Scholars participate in rigorous academics and career exploration afterschool at the YPIE College Zone, and work with YPIE staff and volunteer mentors from across the community.

Incoming YPIE Scholars and their families are invited to the Induction Ceremony with partners from the Yonkers Public School District and the local community. During the ceremony, current YPIE Scholars will share their experiences and lead the new Scholars in taking the YPIE Commitment to Excellence oath.

The YPIE Scholars Induction Ceremony is a celebration of educational excellence and promising futures for our young people.

WHEN:　　　Thursday, December 15th
　　　　　　　6:00 - 7:30 PM

WHERE:　　　Riverfront Library, One Larkin Plaza, Yonkers, New York

PHOTOS:　　　YPIE Scholars will be available for photos and interviews

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ABOUT YONKERS PARTNERS IN EDUCATION (YPIE): Yonkers Partners in Education (YPIE) partners with students to ensure they are ready for, enroll in, and complete college. We confront the challenges of a low-income, urban school district by providing families with equitable access to the critical tools and services necessary for college success. In its 15th year, YPIE puts college within reach for thousands of Yonkers students. Learn more at ypie.org.