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**CLOVIS ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS
RECEIVE NEW MEXICO
HEALTHIER US SCHOOL CHALLENGE AWARDS**

The New Mexico Public Education Department announced today that eleven Clovis Municipal Schools received the HealthierUS School Challenge (HUSSC) award.

The U.S. Department of Agriculture commends Clovis Municipal Schools for their exemplary steps, leadership, and teamwork to make changes to their schools' nutrition environment, improve the quality of food served, provide students with more nutritious and healthy choices, and enhance their physical activity program.

Schools can apply for four different award levels: Bronze, Silver, Gold, and Gold Award of Distinction. The following schools were awarded HUSSC bronze designation:



- ARTS ACADEMY AT BELLA VISTA
- BARRY ELEMENTARY
- CAMEO ELEMENTARY
- HIGHLAND ELEMENTARY
- JAMES BICKLEY ELEMENTARY
- LA CASITA ELEMENTARY
- LOCKWOOD ELEMENTARY
- MESA ELEMENTARY
- PARKVIEW ELEMENTARY
- SANDIA ELEMENTARY
- ZIA ELEMENTARY



USDA United States Department of Agriculture
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In recognition of their achievement, each school will receive an award plaque, banner, and a monetary award in the amount of \$500. Additionally, the names of the schools will be proudly added to the HUSSC awardees list on the Team Nutrition HUSSC website.

The mission of the Clovis Municipal Schools, an alliance highly committed to educational excellence, is to equip each student with the knowledge and skills needed for a productive life of creative thinking, continuous learning, and exemplary character through challenging and engaging learning experiences led by a dedicated, unified team in vital partnership with family, church, and community.