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**Local Florida Virtual School® Student Graduates at Top of Class**

**Orlando, FL (May 31, 2018)** – Florida Virtual School (FLVS®), a statewide public school district in Florida, is proud to recognize local resident, Lauren Black, for finishing in the top five of the FLVS Full Time Class of 2018. There are 686 students in this year's graduating class.

"FLVS is a great school that worked closely with me to ensure my success, and that allowed me to work at my own pace and on my own time," said Black. "I'm so happy to be graduating, and I'm so proud of the things I've been able to achieve!"

Black plans to attend Pasco-Hernando State College (PHSC) to obtain her Associate's degree before transferring to a state university for her Bachelor's degree.

This year's graduation ceremony took place at the University of Central Florida (CFE Arena, 12777 Gemini Blvd N, Orlando, FL 32816) on Tuesday, May 29 at 3 p.m.

Black is a resident of Brooksville, FL.

For more information on Florida Virtual School, please visit <https://flvs.net/>.

**About Florida Virtual School Full Time (FLVS Full Time)**

FLVS Full Time is a statewide, online public school serving students in grades Kindergarten-12. As a fully accredited public school with a traditional academic calendar from August to June, FLVS Full Time offers comprehensive, full-time, tuition-free online learning for all Florida students. The school delivers a structured schedule with built-in flexibility through two options: FLVS Full Time Kindergarten-5 and FLVS Full Time 6-12. Courses are available online 24/7, allowing students the flexibility to study any time and any place. In addition, students meeting Florida graduation requirements are able to receive a standard Florida diploma. The combination of certified teachers, a proven curriculum, technology tools, and community experiences creates a supportive and successful online learning environment for families and students who want a personalized education. *FLVS Full Time offers grades Kindergarten-5 in collaboration with Connections Academy. To learn more, visit [www.flvsft.com](http://www.flvsft.com).*