

**THE NATIONAL HISPANIC INSTITUTE PRESENTS**  
**DIONISIO "DENNIS" CHAVEZ**  
**NEW MEXICO LORENZO DE ZAVALA**  
YOUTH LEGISLATIVE SESSION

**2024**



**JUNE 9-16, 2024**  
**UNIVERSITY OF NEW MEXICO**  
**ALBUQUERQUE**  
**STATE CAPITOL, SANTA FE**



**JOIN 150 TOP**  
**NEW MEXICO LEADERS**

- Collaborate with a community of 150 high school leaders.
- Engage in a weeklong quest to envision the future of New Mexico.
- Foster the development of personal, business, and professional skills.
- Master the art of engagement through asset based community equity building.



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SPECIAL THANKS TO  
SENATOR MICHAEL  
PADILLA



## WHO IS ELIGIBLE TO APPLY

- 10th and 11th grade students
- 3.2 GPA or higher
- Enrollment in a college-bound curriculum
- Attending a New Mexico high school

## PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

- Recent report card or high school transcript
- Completion of a Parent (or Guardian) Release Form
- \$25 Application Fee

## NO COST TO ATTEND

Funding for this program is made possible by the New Mexico Legislature. Students meeting the criteria and acceptance are named Dennis Chavez Scholars. They attend the 8-day residential program at UNM and visit the Capitol in Santa Fe at **NO COST**, except for transportation to and from the university campus.

Space in the 2024 LDZ is available on a first come, first serve basis. Applicants will be accepted monthly and confirmed a space by **March, 2024.**