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Arts and Humanities Award

Taylor Payne, of Abington, a violinist and a 12th grader at Fontbonne Academy, is one of 44 **Project STEP** music students who were recently honored with the National Arts and Humanities Youth Program Award. The award is the signature program of the President's Committee on the Arts and the Humanities.

Chosen from a national pool of more than 350 nominations and 50 finalists, **Project STEP** is one of 12 programs across the country to receive the award, which is the highest honor for such programs in the United States. COURTESY PHOTO/ABDI ALI

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