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EXCELLENCE IN STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT AWARD RECIPIENTS ANNOUNCED

The New Mexico School Boards Association (NMSBA) today announced recipients of the 2018 Excellence in Student Achievement Awards. The awards, sponsored by NMSBA, are presented to individuals selected by local boards of education throughout New Mexico who have played an important role in improving student achievement in their local school district. For specific information about award recipients, please contact the local school district. For additional information on the Student Achievement Award Program, please contact Joe Guillen, NMSBA Executive Director. Sixty-four (64) school boards participated in this year's program and one hundred six (106) award recipients were selected. Recipients are listed below and will be honored at upcoming school board meetings throughout New Mexico.

SCHOOL BOARD	RECIPIENT	CATEGORY
Alamogordo (2)	Angela Neff	Community Member
	Dave Dooling	Community Member
Albuquerque	Linda Bluestein	Administrator
Animas	Robin Moore	Teacher
Artesia	Tate Branch	Community Member
Aztec (2)	Bliss Schlueter	Staff Member
	Rachel Warren	Staff Member
Bernalillo (3)	Nina Quintana	Staff Member
	Dean Gallegos	Staff Member
	Amanda Olivas	Staff Member
Bloomfield	Kathy Gurule	Staff Member
Carlsbad	Nick Mills	Volunteer
Carrizozo	Lydia A. Serna	Elementary Teacher
Central	Dr. Deborah Waters	Volunteer
Chama	Shauna Martinez	Staff Member
Cimarron	Alberta Martinez	Staff Member
Clayton	Victoria Baker	Community Member
Cloudcroft	Debbie Dalton	Staff Member
Cobre	Willy Kerin	Community Member
Cuba (2)	Eleanor Brown	Staff Member
	Daniel Delgado	Staff Member
Deming	Alfredo Reyes	Staff Member
Des Moines	King Family In Memory of Sharon King	Community Member/Volunteer
Dexter	Mary Leininger	Administrator
Dora (2)	In Honor of Steve Rooney	Parent
	Becky Frazee	Community Member
Española (2)	Student Success Specialists	Staff Members
	Candice Harrison	Administrator
Estancia (2)	Julianne L. Halbert-Walker	Staff Member
	Tari Smith	Staff Member

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Eunice	Robin Stevens	Teacher
Farmington	Paul Pavlik	Staff Member
Floyd	Susan Nuckols	Staff Member
Gadsden (3)	Rina Viramontes	Staff Member
	Stephen Gabaldon	Teacher
	Carolyn Hauser	Teacher
Gallup (3)	Dale Dolloff	Staff Member
	Eileen Dolloff	Staff Member
	Priscilla Manuelito	School Board Member
Hagerman	Codi Montes-Dennis	Staff Member
Hatch	Alicia Ferrales	Staff Member
Hobbs	Willie Henry	Community Member
Jemez Mountain	Edward Painter	Principal
Las Cruces	Mayor Ken Miyagishima	Community Member
Logan	Patty Walker	Staff Member
Lordsburg (6)	Herman Baca	Staff Member
	George Burnett	Speech Pathologist
	Jonell Conway	Staff Member
	Ruth Garza	Staff Member
	Zulema Gutierrez	Staff Member
	Patrick Ramirez	Staff Member
Los Alamos (2)	Sue Rheinheimer	Staff Member
	Kathy Hipwood	Staff Member
Loving	Paula Wallace	Staff Member
Lovington	Krystie Arreola	Staff Member
Magdalena	Corine Madril	Staff Member
Maxwell	Yolanda Trujillo	Staff Member
Mesa Vista (6)	Javier Arellano	Staff Member
	Sylvia Gurule	Staff Member
	Teressa Sandoval	Staff Member
	Juliana Clayton	Staff Member
	Ernesto Valdez	Administrator
	Carmen Campos	Staff Member
Mora	Eugene Abeyta	Staff Member
Mosquero	Jane Roby-Trujillo	Staff Member
Pecos (2)	Brian Sandoval	Community Member
	Spencer Faunt	Staff Member
Penasco (2)	Michelle Esquibel	Retired Teacher
	Ambrose Mascareñas	Community Member
Pojoaque	Rachel Exposito	Administrator
Portales (2)	Julie Miller	Staff Member
	Caron Powers	County Coordinator
Quemado	Ricky Chavez	Staff Member
Questa (2)	Felipe Blea	Staff Member/Counselor
	Diane Leon	Teacher
Raton (2)	Jo Ahlm	Staff Member
	Linda Ortiz	Staff Member
Reserve	Vicki Shriver	Staff/Community Member

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Rio Rancho (3)	Terri Meier	Technology Director
	Martin Montano	Planner/Project Manager
	District Finance Department	Staff
Roswell	Chad Cole	Administrator
Santa Fe (2)	Eleanor Brenner	Community Member
	Nancy Davis	Administrator
Santa Rosa	Monica Basoa La Palma	Staff Member
Silver	Kelly Lamb	Staff Member
Socorro	Ana Mae Fleming	GRADS Manager
Springer	Lenore Montoya	Staff Member
Taos	Siena Sanderson	Community Member
Tatum	Nikki Henard	Community Member
Tularosa	Brenda Vigil	Superintendent
Vaughn (2)	Vicente Ranch, Inc.	Community Member
	Jack and Anna Props	Administrators
Wagon Mound	Priscilla Martinez	Community Members
West Las Vegas (3)	Michael Lopez	Staff Member
	Christina Lovato	Staff Member
	Evanglene Griego	Staff Member
Zuni (9)	Heron Othole	Staff Member
	Emmanuel Arreola	Teacher
	Dondi Ruiz	Teacher
	Lorna Singco	Staff Member
	Kathleen Trujillo	Staff Member
	Dionisio Singco	Staff Member
	Glenda Homer	Staff Member
	Alicia Benavidez	Instructional Coach
	Cody Seciwa	Student
