

Randolph County School System

“STAR³ Students” for May 2021

Coleridge Elementary School - Amanda Crabtree - 5th Grade

Coleridge Elementary School is proud to recognize Amanda Crabtree as our STAR³ Student for the month of May. She has shown tremendous improvement in school by having a growth mindset, striving to do her very best, turning work in on time, and having great grades on her report card. In addition, Amanda is a caring, considerate, and thoughtful student who strives to be her best. Amanda exemplifies what it means to be a Coleridge Rocket!

Eastern Randolph High School - Elijah Brown - 11th Grade

Eastern Randolph High School is proud to recognize Elijah Brown as our STAR³ Student for May. Elijah is a shining example of one who is always respectful, responsible, and doing the right thing. His teachers describe him as a joy to have in class and always prepared to help others. After high school Elijah plans to attend Guilford Technical Community College to pursue his passion and obtain a degree in Culinary Arts. We are truly proud of Elijah's accomplishments and know he will continue to be a leader at our school.

Farmer Elementary School - Wiley McDowell - 4th Grade

Farmer Elementary School is proud to recognize Wiley McDowell as our STAR³ Student for May. Wiley has come a long way and shown a lot of growth over his five years at Farmer. He has become a very responsible and capable student both in and out of the classroom. Wiley is self-motivated and always strives to do his best, especially when it comes to academics. Farmer Elementary is very proud of Wiley and happy to celebrate him as our STAR³ Student.

Seagrove Elementary School - Karissa Van Vliet - 3rd Grade

Karissa Van Vliet is a sweet student and a bright light when you see her. She is quiet, but always respectful and a hard worker. Despite the unimaginable adversity she has faced this school year, Karissa greets others with a sweet smile in the hallway or in class. She is a model student and a joy to be around. Karissa has had a very challenging year. Despite adverse circumstances, she walks in the door every day with a smile on her face ready to learn. She is always positive, hardworking, and kind to her peers. We all love being around her and our classroom would not be complete without her sweet spirit.

Southeastern Randolph Middle School - Joshua Watson - 7th Grade

All of Joshua Watson's teachers say he is a great student to have in class. He has made huge progress in all of his classes throughout the year in both in-person and remote learning. Joshua participates regularly in all of his classes. He is also a great help to the class and teacher when a substitute is needed. He is always willing to lend a helping hand to others. Joshua is kind to others, but also knows how to lighten the mood with his funny jokes. Southeastern Randolph Middle School is proud to have Joshua Watson as our STAR³ Student for May. Congratulations, Joshua!

Southmont Elementary School - Judith Sampson - 2nd Grade

Judith Sampson is a model student. All day, every day she demonstrates our school's 3 R's with ease. She is a caring person and has many friends. Judith works to the best of her ability in all of her classes. Judith is the first to volunteer to help and will complete each task in its entirety. She has made great relationships with students at our school who have disabilities and she treats them the same as everyone else. Judith is respectful, responsible, and ready every day at Southmont, and we congratulate her on being selected our school's STAR³ Student for May.

Southwestern Randolph High School - Maria Foust - 9th Grade

Southwestern Randolph High School is ecstatic to announce freshman Maria Foust as our STAR³ Student for May. Maria is conscientious and puts forth 150% effort in everything that she does. In schoolwork, cheerleading, and life in general, she manages to juggle a very full plate while keeping stellar grades. Maria is able to think outside the box and works hard every day. One of her teachers stated, "Maria has ambitions and goals and knows that education is at the center of meeting those goals. She wants to know the 'hows' and the 'whys' and is not afraid to ask." Maria is not only a star student academically, but she constantly has a smile on her face and quickly puts smiles on the faces of her classmates and teachers. She is kind, encouraging, and cares about others and their successes. Maria is a well-rounded student because of her character, intelligence, kindness, and willingness to be a friend to others.

Southwestern Randolph Middle School - Sydney Hall - 8th Grade

Sydney Hall represents Southwestern Randolph Middle School for our final STAR³ Student of the 2020-2021 school year. Although this year has been a difficult one across the board, Sydney continually demonstrates high character by working hard, reaching out for help when needed, and being a positive role model for classmates. She has worked hard to maintain excellent grades all year long. She is friendly, respectful, and a true joy to be around. Sydney Hall truly exemplifies what it means to be a STAR³ Student and we are proud to recognize her as our STAR³ Student for the month of May.

Tabernacle Elementary School - Caleb Carlile - 5th Grade

Caleb Carlile was chosen as Tabernacle Elementary School's STAR³ Student because of his exemplary growth during this school year. During the time students were face-to-face two days a week, Caleb completed all assignments in a timely manner and joined live meets, even during remote learning periods. Due to his hard work, Caleb has significantly improved in all subjects and is now a strong leader in his classroom. Caleb is a model student who always strives for excellence. For every new task he has a growth mindset and approaches each assignment with an "I can" attitude. Caleb is willing to help others when needed and always does so with a smile. We are proud to have Caleb Carlile represent Tabernacle Elementary as our STAR³ Student for May.

Uwharrie Ridge Six-Twelve - Cameron Wirt - 10th Grade

Cameron Wirt exemplifies all that a teacher could hope to have in class. Throughout this non-traditional school year, Cameron has given his best in all he has done. He is very well-rounded and has been gifted intelligence, wit, humor, and benevolence, as well as immense courage and perseverance. What sets Cameron apart from many others is that he never backs down. Not only is being a part of this age group difficult in a normal setting, but with the challenges of COVID on top of family tragedy and personal loss, Cameron has excelled and greatly surpassed any of the expectations given to him. He is such a pleasure to teach and his teachers know he will continue to soar and accomplish anything he sets out to do in life. He is an inspiration to all and reminds us to never give up and to keep moving forward.