

Randolph County School System "RCSS STAR Employees" for January 2018



Franklinville Elementary School - Michelle Shaw

Working as an Exceptional Children teacher, Michelle Shaw is a behind-the-scenes hero. She tries her best to be a model for her students and works hard each day to help students improve behaviorally and academically. She is loving, but also firm and consistent. Mrs. Shaw's numerous responsibilities do not hinder her availability for questions from staff and her willingness to assist others with strategies they can use. Mrs. Shaw is knowledgeable, and she shares her expertise with others in a way that makes them feel comfortable and valued. She works extremely hard for the students at Franklinville, giving countless hours to her profession. Michelle Shaw is making a difference at Franklinville Elementary School and we are proud to name her our STAR Employee for January.

Grays Chapel Elementary School - Christina Wilmoth

Christina Wilmoth, second grade teacher, is dedicated, eager to learn, and ensures learning is differentiated and focused for her students' specific learning needs. She finds resources for her team, plans ahead, and has become a leader on her grade level. Mrs. Wilmoth switched grade levels this year and her eagerness to learn the new curriculum has resulted in a smooth transition. She ensures all lessons are standard-based and driven by student learning and performance. Mrs. Wilmoth's positive outlook, motivation, and encouragement benefit her students greatly, and they love coming to school. Due to Mrs. Wilmoth's focus on data-driven instruction, her students are also goal driven. Her attitude about learning and leadership is reflected in her students and their drive to be successful. Grays Chapel Elementary School is blessed to have Christina Wilmoth on our Blue Hawk Team, and we congratulate her on being selected our STAR Employee for January.

Level Cross Elementary School - Sharon Coats

Veteran educator Sharon Coats is a teacher assistant in Mrs. Husband's kindergarten class, where she always does her job with a smile on her face and 100% effort. She is loved by students throughout the school and her positive attitude is contagious. Mrs. Coats is willing to drive a bus and has been the full-time substitute driver since the beginning of the school year. Ms. Coats gets along well with her peers and is a positive role model for other employees. At Level Cross Elementary School, we are lucky to have Sharon Coats, and we are proud to select her as our STAR Employee for January.

Liberty Elementary School - Sherri Johnson

As the head custodian at Liberty Elementary School, Sherri Johnson is truly a "jack of all trades." She begins each day opening the building and checking to make sure all is ready for staff and students. Ms. Johnson greets students each morning in the car rider line, and then delivers breakfast to pre-K classrooms. When a request is made of her, Ms. Johnson completes the task quickly and with high quality. She goes above and beyond to maintain high standards of cleanliness and maintenance for our school. Ms. Johnson is perhaps appreciated most for her friendliness and flexibility. Last summer, she re-arranged the summer cleaning schedule based upon a teacher request. Sherri Johnson takes pride in the school and in her work, and Liberty Elementary School is proud to name her our STAR Employee for January.

Northeastern Randolph Middle School - Autumn Foust

On the surface, Autumn Foust is a School Nutrition employee and a custodian. She also helps out as a substitute bus driver. Not always as obvious is Ms. Foust's far-reaching positive impact in the school community. As one teacher said, "Ms. Foust looks out for kids." She is a great communicator and gives students a positive experience in the cafeteria. Ms. Foust is kind, pleasant, and goes out of her way to engage everyone. She is a hard worker, thorough, and consistently goes the extra mile. Northeastern Randolph Middle School is pleased to select Autumn Foust as our STAR Employee for January.

Providence Grove High School - Karyle Miller

As a member of Providence Grove High School's first graduating class and now as a teacher, Karyle Miller continues to serve the community with distinction. Her relationship with students is the foundation of her teaching pedagogy. Never one to shy from a challenge, Ms. Miller seeks to reach all students to transform them into achievers. Earlier this year, she started a club for all students, calling them "the Goonies" in honor of the movie of the same name. Results are encouraging. Ms. Miller is daring in the classroom, seeking to challenge kids in their thinking and relating their studies to everyday activities. She relates well to students and is willing to try different activities. She is a hands-on teacher, working with kids in group settings and giving students voice and choice in their learning. The dynamism of Ms. Miller's personality and her knowledge of her craft combine to produce a well-planned, results-oriented classroom of achievement. She has already become a leader in the school with students and teachers alike. Karyle Miller is a consummate winner and achiever, and we congratulate her on being selected Providence Grove High school's STAR Employee for January.

Ramseur Elementary School - Anne Ellis

Anne Ellis is a veteran kindergarten teacher who is dedicated to supporting new teachers and helping students grow academically. She oversees the Beginning Teacher Program and over the past eighteen years at Ramseur she has been vital to providing a positive, encouraging school environment for students and staff. Ms. Ellis' classroom is a respectful, collaborative environment and she ensures her students have fun every day while learning. She is a creative, talented teacher who knows how to make new teachers feel comfortable and part of the school family. Anne Ellis is a true model teacher who is essential to the success of the Ramseur Elementary School and we are proud to present her with the STAR Employee award for January.

Randleman Elementary School - Pachovia Lovett

Pachovia Lovett is the school social worker for all three Randleman schools. She views social work as her calling, and that is evident in the way she goes about her responsibilities. Ms. Lovett is fearless in her advocacy of students' needs and is willing to have hard conversations with parents and stakeholders. She also is fun, bringing excitement to students in her innovative approaches to tackling problems, such as attendance and/or or academic progress. Ms. Lovett has a big heart and a big smile and works tirelessly to promote student success. We are proud to present Pachovia Lovett as Randleman Elementary School's STAR Employee for January.

Randleman High School - Craig Smith

Craig Smith is dedicated to ensuring that his students receive quality instruction. He constantly searches out ways to grow as an educator and works diligently to motivate his Math I students. Mr. Smith strives to use data to target his students' areas of strength and need, and is constantly looking for ways to improve performance in his classroom. He has earned the respect of colleagues, students, and families through his years of hard work and dedication to the Randleman community. Tiger Nation is proud to have Craig Smith serve our students and is honored to have him as our STAR Employee for January.

Randleman Middle School - Ginger Cromer

Randleman Middle School's STAR Employee truly embodies what it means to be a Student Advocate. In all Ginger Cromer does, students come first. She places great emphasis on students being present for learning. Her attendance contracts and regular meetings with individual students and parents have resulted in Randleman Middle School earning first place in middle school attendance for month two, and second place in months one and three. In addition, Ms. Cromer leads our girls club and maintains an extensive clothing closet, where she is able to provide for students' clothing needs. No matter the task, Ginger Cromer is always willing to step in and help, and we are excited to select her as Randleman Middle School's STAR Employee for January.