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2013	Elementary Education	Tina Bailey	Master's in Reading; Reading Specialist; Lead Teacher, Lamar through Niswonger Foundation; Lamar School Teacher of the Year	2013; 2020
2018	Elementary Education	Teona England	M.Ed. Elementary Education	May 2018
2004	Elementary Education	Rachel Cloyd	Master's degree (Adv Prac, SPED – 2009), Ed.S. degree; Lead math teacher for 8th grade math department at Liberty Bell Middle School, Johnson City Schools	2019
2018	Elementary Education	Emma Martindale	Lead Teacher, 1st grade team	
2020	Elementary Education	Jordan Williamson Moats	Leading efforts of West View Elementary in Limestone, TN, to become a STEM school: TVA STEM Grant for her classroom	
2020	Elementary Education	Hannah Hess	TVA STEM Grant for her classroom	
2012	Elementary Education	Ashley Rhea	TVA STEM Grant for her classroom	
2021	Elementary Education	Cameryn Booker	Began collaboration with STEM classes relative to the ETSU Eagle Cams	
2012	Elementary Education	Chelsie Pratt	Instructor at University School; has started as an adjunct for the STEM course	
2019	Elementary Education	Holly McAvoy	Co-author of article Making Stone Soup: A Collaborative Approach to Integrated STEM in <i>Science & Children</i>	
2020	Elementary Education	Alexis Kaczor	Co-author of article Making Sense of apparent brightness: An integrated approach in <i>Science & Children</i> 60(2), 28-31	
2004	Elementary Education	Jennifer Moore	Master's degree (Adv Prac, SPED – 2009), Ed.S. degree; Asst. Principal at Liberty Bell Middle School, Johnson City Schools	2020

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2021	Elementary Education	Cameryn Booker, T.J. Chase, Savannah Cleek, Audrey Pendola	Co-presenters of Making Stone Soup: A Partnership between Elementary Teachers, Pre-service Teachers, and Education Professors at 2020 Tennessee Science Teacher Association Virtual Conference	2020
2020	Elementary Education	Audrey Sanders	TVA STEM Grant Recipient	2020
2020	Elementary Education	Audrey Sanders	TVA STEM Grant for her classroom	2021
2022	Elementary Education	Michaela Slagle	Co-presenter of <i>Integrating STEM and Literacy with Computation in Elementary Education (iSLICEE)</i> at Mid-Atlantic ASTE Regional Conference in Blowing Rock, NC.	2021
2020	Elementary Education	Hannah Hess	Presented <i>Integrating STEM and Literacy with Computation in Elementary Education (iSLICEE)</i> . Virtual presentation at the 15 th Annual Tennessee STEM Education Research Conference.	2021
2020	Elementary Education	Hannah Hess	Co-presenter of <i>Integrating STEM and Literacy with Computation in Elementary Education (iSLICEE)</i> at Mid-Atlantic ASTE Regional Conference in Blowing Rock, NC.	2021
2019	Elementary Education	Erin Phillips	Co-author of article Flower pictographs: Integrating science and mathematics in primary school in <i>Teaching Science</i> , 68(3), 29-22	2022
2021	Elementary Education	Cameryn Booker	Co-presenter of <i>Building Community through the ETSU Eagle Cams</i> at the Tennessee Science Teacher Association Conference, Murfreesboro, TN	2022
2022	Elementary Education	Kailee Amburgey	Co-presenter of <i>Building Community through the ETSU Eagle Cams</i> at the Tennessee Science Teacher Association Conference, Murfreesboro, TN	2022

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2008	M.Ed. Elementary Education	Angela Self	Mentor Teacher of the Year Award	2023
2014	Elementary Education	Kimber Wright	Mentor Teacher of the Year Award	2023
1986	Elementary Education	Kim Cassell	Supervisor of the Year Award	2023
1991	Elementary Education	Missy Testerman	2023-24 Tennessee Teacher of the Year at TN DOE's Excellence in Education celebration	2023
1997	Elementary Education	Jacki Wolfe	Appointed Chief Student Supports Officer for Washington County Schools	2023
1991	Elementary Education	Missy Testerman	Named 2024 National Teacher of the Year	2024
2006	Elementary Education	Jamie Mains	Named 2024 Mentor Teacher of the Year: Elementary Education	2024
2003	Elementary Education	Kelley Harrell	TN Department of Education: Tennessee's 2024-25 Principal of the Year	2024-25

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1997	Early Childhood PreK-3	Dr. Tracey Crowe	Curriculum Specialist PreK-12/Early Childhood – Bristol Schools; Principal – Woodland Elementary; Principal and Early Childhood Director- Anderson Elementary; University of Arkansas Associate Professor Faculty Collegiality Award Recipient – 2017; Milligan College- Associate Professor	2000-2005; 2008-2013 Woodland; 2005-2006 Anderson; 2006-2008 Milligan
1996	Early Childhood PreK-3	Penny Reece	National Board-Certified Teacher; TN Core Coach	2004 and 2014; 2013
2001	Early Childhood PreK-3	Robin McClellan	Edd Educational Leadership; 9 years Principal Sullivan County; 6 years as Supervisor of Elementary Education Sullivan County; Teacher Leaders; Supervisor and Director of Voluntary PreK Sullivan County Schools	2005; 2005-2014; 2014-present
2007	Early Childhood PreK-3	Josh Davis	Kingsport Teacher of the Year; Kingsport Math Curriculum Specialist; Principal Sullivan County Schools	2009; 2009-2011; 2012 - Present
1996	Early Childhood PreK-3	Angie Baker	Elementary Principal – Sullivan County Schools; Sullivan County Principal of the Year; National Board- Certified Teacher	2011-2020; 2020; 2000
2007	Early Childhood PreK-3	Charity Hensley Pipkin	PhD Early Childhood Education	2015
2010	Early Childhood PreK-3	Kathy Broyles Meredith	Promoted to Director of Early Childhood Ministries for Holston Home for Children	2015
2014	Early Childhood PreK-3	Rachel Ellis (O’Kain)	Teacher of the Year, Fountain City Elementary School	
2015	Early Childhood PreK-3	Jordan Vance	District Teacher Leader, Unicoi County Schools	
1996	Early Childhood PreK-3	Nancy Miles	National Board-Certified Teacher; Johnson City Schools Teacher of the Year	

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1997	Early Childhood PreK-3	Holly Flora	Elementary Principal – Kingsport City Schools, Middle School Principal--Kingsport City School and Johnson City Schools	
2013	Early Childhood PreK-3	Randa Dunlap	PhD Early Childhood Education	2020
2020	Early Childhood PreK-3	Nathan Martin	Article Published – Science and Children – Exploring science phenomena in a play centered preschool classroom	Jan/Feb 2021
2020	Early Childhood PreK-3	Erin Rice	Article Published – Science and Children – The Worms are Dancing!	Apr/May 2019
2020	Early Childhood PreK-3	Lindsey Green	Outstanding Early Childhood Undergraduate Student	May 2020
2012	Early Childhood PreK-3	Brittany Gray	Mentor Teacher of the Year Award	2023
2011	Early Childhood PreK-3	Beth Sutton-Peavler	Tennessee Early Educator of the Year	2024

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2019	Physical Education	Phillip Trammel	Mentor Teacher of the Year Award	2023
2010	M.Ed. Special Education	Leslie Bowman	Diagnostician	2010
2013	M.Ed. Special Education	Melody Blevins	Adjunct Instructor	2013
1994	B.S. in Special Education	Leila Hubbard	Teacher of the Year, Dobyns-Bennett High School	2014
2004	M.Ed. in Special Education	Scott Lamie	Teacher of the Year, Bristol City Schools, TOPS	2015 & 2019
2008	B.S. in Special Education	Jeremy Hutson	Teacher of the Year, Hawkins County, Church Hill Middle School	2016-2017
2017	M.Ed. Special Education	Tanya Cable	Behavior position with their school system	2017
2012	M.Ed. in Special Education	Wilhelmina Van Dijk	Ph.D. in Special Education, University of Florida; Postdoctoral Scholar at Florida State University	August 2019 - 2021
2017	M.Ed. in Special Education	Tanya Cable	Completed doctorate in Education Administration at LMU	
2002	B.S. in Special Education	Will Overfelt	Board Certified Behavior Analyst (BCBA)	
2011	Special Education	Jimmy Burleson	Outstanding Mentor Teacher	2019
2011	Special Education	Jimmy Burleson	Kingsport City Teacher of the Year	2019-2020
2012	Special Education	Jordan Littleton Hughes	Principal of Boones Creek School	2019
2014	Special Education	Letia Phillipp	Pre-K Team Leader	2019
2017	Special Education	David Scherer-Emunds	Fellowship in international development of services for people with disabilities through Mosaic in Tanzania	2020

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2010	Special Education	Ross Lewis	Appointed Principal at Arab Primary School, Arab, Alabama	2020
2011	B.S. in Special Education	Alicia Blevins	Ed.D. in Special Education, University of the Columbians	2020
2022	B.S. in Special Education	Tatiana Ransom	Recipient of the Summer Research Fellowship from the Office of Undergraduate Research	2021
2014	Special Education	Wilhelmina Van Dijk	Assistant Professor, Utah State University	2021
2015	Special Education	Celia Street	Science Hill High School Teacher of the Year	2022
2015	Special Education	Taylor Montgomery	Mentor Teacher of the Year Award	2023
2006	Special Education: Bachelor of Science	Angela Livingston	Named 2024 Mentor Teacher of the Year: Special Education	2024
1978	M.Ed.: Special Education	Robbie Anderson	Celebrated 50 years with Johnson City Schools: Public Education Advocacy	2024
2018	B.S. in Special Education	Julia “Catie” Dean	Recognized by 98.5 WTFM and Milligan University as Teacher of the Year	2024
2011	B.S. in Special Education	Jimmy Burleson	Recognized as Kingsport City Schools District Building-Level Teacher of the Year	2025
2021	B.S. in Special Education	Cameron Phillips	Recognized as Kingsport City Schools District Building-Level Teacher of the Year	2025

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2014	Biology (Secondary Education Teacher Prep)	Olivia Guntrum	Recognized as Kingsport City Schools District Building-Level Teacher of the Year	2025
2017	Mathematics (Secondary Education Teacher Prep)	Aaron Gourley	Recognized as Kingsport City Schools District Building-Level Teacher of the Year	2025
2020	Biology (Secondary Education Teacher Prep)	Sherona Mims	Recognized as Kingsport City Schools District Building-Level Teacher of the Year	2025

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2019	Master of Arts in Teaching	John Miller	7th Grade Lead Teacher and Lighthouse Team Leader	
1992	Master of Arts in Teaching	Jeff Gray	Department Chair, AVID Coordinator, IBNA Homofaber and Humanities Area Leader, Team Leader, and Principal designee, TN State Teacher fellow	
2009	Master of Arts in Teaching	Ashley Carter	Elementary math teacher leader (2012- 2016); School Teacher of the Year and Elementary teacher of the Year at district level; Teacher of the Year for State of TN 2014- 15; Commissioner McQueen's Teacher Advisory Council for 2015- 2017; Math Trainer for State of TN for revised math standards for grades 3-5; Read to Be Ready Coach within district; presented at Upper East TN Council for Teachers of Mathematics as well as Niswonger Symposium	
2020	Master of Arts in Teaching – Job Embedded	Zachary Warren	1st place award at the 130th Annual Meeting of the Tennessee Academy of Science in the Science & Math Teaching, Oral Presentation.	2020
2013	Master of Arts in Teaching; Visual Arts K-12	Hailey Eaton	Mentor Teacher of the Year Award	2023
2016	Master of Arts in Teaching: Secondary Education K-12 Concentration	Hunter Graybeal	Named 2024 Mentor Teacher of the Year: Secondary Education	2024

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2016	M.Ed. School Librarianship	Brandi Hartsell	Blogs for Knowledge Quest, a journal for AASL; Co-Editor of TASL Talks	2020
2016	M.Ed. School Librarianship	Blake Hopper	Chair of a district affiliate of the American Library Association, President of TASL; interviewed and featured in an ALA publication; Chair of the AASL Affiliate Assembly	2020
2018	M.Ed. School Librarianship	Julie Halkiades	Librarian of the Month for March-Tenn. Assoc. of School Librarians	2020
2020	M.Ed. School Librarianship	Valerie Lee	Awarded the PEO International Inez Bailey scholarship, administered by the TN State Scholarship Committee	2020
2012	M. Ed. School Librarianship	Dustin Hensley	-2021 Library Journal's "Movers and Shakers"; -National Praxis Revision Committee member; -TASL Conference co-chair	2021-2022
2016	M. Ed. School Librarianship	Tim Womac	McMinn Central High School Teacher of the Year	2022
2020	M. Ed. School Librarianship	Kim Startup	Sumner County Teacher of the Year	2022
2016	M.Ed. School Librarianship	Blake Hopper	-Social Media Co-Chair for American Association of School Librarians Conference; -TASL Talks (podcast)	2022-2023
2021	M. Ed. School Librarianship	Lauren Fervier	Librarian Exemplar Lesson Planning Team; Knox County Ed Tech (LIIT) Cohort 2022; Personalized Learning Demonstration Teacher; Bonny Kate Elementary Teacher of the Year 2022; Knox County Elementary Teacher of the Year 2022-23	2022-2023

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2023	M.Ed. School Librarianship	Joanna Cyrier	Graduate Student Award	2023
2016	M.Ed. School Librarianship	Blake Hopper	Library Journal – Selected as 2023 “Mover and Shaker” – national recognition	2023
2023	M. Ed. School Librarianship	Noah Whitehead	ETSU Quillen Scholarship Award	2023-2024

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2015	M.Ed. in Reading	Rachel Bowman & Rachel Ayers	Dollar General Literacy Foundation Grant Recipient	2015
2013	M.A. in Reading	Tabitha Wandell	Reading Interventionist	2017 - present
2010; 2014	BSED: M.Ed. in Reading	Megan Burnette	Instructional Coach (2014 – 2017); 5 th Grade Lead Teacher (2019- 2020) Amherst Elementary School	
2012	M.Ed. in Reading	Kate Hall	Literacy teacher leader for Kingsport City Schools (2012-2016), Literacy Core Coach for State of TN (2013-2015), current associate principal (2019- present) worked for the state department 2016-2019 as R2BR coach consultant/interventionist; Presented at ETSU Early Childhood Conference (2009)	
2014	M.Ed. in Reading	Mindy Volk	Ed.D. Educational Leadership	2019
2016	M.Ed. in Reading	Kristina Dempsey	Ed.D. Educational Leadership	2019
2020	M.Ed. in Reading	Julianna Romanoski Mae Ng	Dollar General Literacy Foundation Grant Recipient	2020
2013	M.Ed. in Reading	Krista Linkous	Reading Specialist Ed.S. in Instructional Leadership	
2014	M.Ed. in Reading	Heather Jeffers	K-4 Teacher of the Year (WCDE) 2017-18; Revised 3-5 Math Standards Facilitator for First Core Region: Contracted by TN DOE (Summer 2019); Eastman Science & Mathelites graduate: Summer 2018 & Summer 2017; Served as RTI Interventionist for K-8 school: 2019-20 year	
2008; 2015	BSED in Elementary Education and MA in Reading	Lynnsey Metcalf	K-5 TPaCK Coach; RTI Coordinator, School-level Technology Ambassador, Certified Cognitive Coach®, TEAM Certified Evaluator; LETRS, Year- Long Reading Course Graduate; TN State Teacher Fellow	Current

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2016	M.Ed. in Reading	Holly Rolen	Reading Specialist	Current
2010	M.Ed. in Reading	Debra Brooks	Teacher Spotlight Award from Kingsport Times News and Sullivan East Teacher of the Year	2023
2012	M.Ed. in Reading	Angela Shelton	Named Professor of the Year by the Literacy Association of Tennessee	2024
2013	M.A. in Reading	Kristie Autrey	Curriculum Director, Mitchell County Schools; Ed.D. Educational Administration; National Board Certified; Thinking Maps trainer for Mitchell County; NCDPI Master Literacy Trainer; RRtCP trainer/ Corrective Reading Trainer	Current
2016	M.Ed. in Reading	Holly Rolen	Reading Specialist	Current
2017	M.Ed. in Reading	Hannah Brunson Miles	EdD Educational Instructional Technology	Current

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2016	Ed.D. Educational Leadership	Ashley Carter	Instructional Design Specialist (Instructional Coach 2016-current for K-5, all subjects)	
2017	M.Ed. Educational Leadership	Morgan Saunders	EdD Education Leadership	2017
2017	Educational Leadership	Heather Lemay	EdD in Administrative Endorsement	2017
2010	Educational Administration Endorsement	Dr. Nick Darnell	Appointed Assistant Principal at East Ridge Middle School, Hawkins County Schools; TN State School Board member	2019
2016	Educational Administration Endorsement	Dr. Brandon Williams	Appointed CTE Supervisor, Hawkins County Schools	2019
2020	Educational Administration Endorsement	Dr. Misty Sweat	Appointed Instructional Accountability Facilitator, Olympic High School, Charlotte, NC	2019
2008	Educational Administration Endorsement	Dr. Stacy Edwards	Principal Johnson Elementary, Kingsport City Schools, selected National Distinguished Principal	2019
2012	Educational Administration Endorsement	Dr. Krissie Turner	Appointed as Managing Director of Instructional Support for Instructional Partners. 2018	2019
2012	Educational Administration Endorsement	Dr. Jason Horne	Appointed Secondary Supervisor, Campbell County Schools.	2019
2013	Educational Administration Endorsement	Dr. Ashley Keys	Appointed Assistant Director, Secondary Supervisor, Washington County Schools	2019
2019	Educational Administration Endorsement	Dr. David Little	Appointed Assistant Principal, Daniel Boone High School, Washington County Schools	2019
2018	Educational Administration Endorsement	Dr. Cheryl McHone	Appointed Assistant Principal, West Allegheny High School, Pennsylvania	2019
2015	Educational Administration Endorsement	Dr. Christopher Winningham	Appointed Principal Allgood Middle School, Putnam County Schools	2019
2021	Educational Administration Endorsement	Michele Murray	Appointed Principal, Emmet Elementary, Sullivan County Schools	2019

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2016	Educational Administration Endorsement	Dr. Dawn Mendonca Meskil	Promoted to NC Preschool Exceptional Children (619) Co-Coordinator with the Department of Public Instruction	2020
2019	Educational Administration Endorsement	Jennifer Pangle	Appointed assistant to the principal at Lincoln Elementary, Kingsport City Schools	2020
2019	Educational Administration Endorsement	Misty Keller	Appointed assistant to the principal at Roosevelt Elementary, Kingsport City Schools	2020
2013	Educational Administration Endorsement	Dr. Philip Wright	Appointed principal at Roosevelt Elementary, Kingsport City Schools	2020
2014	Educational Administration Endorsement	Dr. Jim Wernke	Appointed principal at Fall Branch Elementary School, Washington County Schools	2020
2016	Educational Administration Endorsement	Mark Merriman	Appointed principal at Lamar School, Washington County Schools	2020
2013	Educational Administration Endorsement	Dr. Rachel Heaton	Appointed assistant principal at Grandview Elementary School, Washington County Schools	2020
2014	Educational Administration Endorsement	Leila Hubbard	Appointed assistant principal at Boones Creek Elementary School, Washington County Schools.	2020
2004	Educational Administration Endorsement	Dr. Holly Flora	Appointed principal at Liberty Bell Middle School, Johnson City Schools	2020
2012	Educational Administration Endorsement	Dr. Josh Davis	Appointed principal at West Ridge High School, Sullivan County Schools. Dr. Davis served as principal of Sullivan North High School from 2017-2020	2020
2014	Educational Administration Endorsement	Brandon Williams	Tennessee CTE Director of the Year Pioneer Award	2021
2021	Educational Administration Endorsement	Michele Murray	Sullivan County Principal of the Year	2021

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2014	Educational Administration Endorsement	Jonathan Fields	Sullivan County Middle School Principal of the Year	2021
2012	Educational Administration Endorsement	Josh Davis	Sullivan County High School Principal of the Year	2021
2012	Educational Administration Endorsement	Josh Davis	Selected to participate in the 2022 Prospective Superintendents' Academy	2022
2020	Educational Administration Endorsement	Misty Sweat	Vice President of Education Carolinas Aviation Museum	2022
2018	Educational Administration Endorsement	Kyle Loudermilk	Kingsport City Schools Principal of the Year	2022
2010	Educational Administrative Endorsement	Nick Darnell	Principal East Ridge Middle School Hamblen County Schools	2022
2012	Educational Administrative Endorsement	Josh Davis	Secondary Principal of the Year Sullivan County Schools	2022
2014	Educational Administrative Endorsement	Jonathan Fields	Middle School Principal of the Year Sullivan County Schools	2022
2021	Educational Administrative Endorsement	Michele Murray	Elementary School Principal of the Year – Sullivan County Schools	2022
2016	Educational Administrative Endorsement	Ashley Davis	Principal, David Crocket High School Washington County Schools	2022
2012	Educational Administrative Endorsement	Jason Horne	Prospective Superintendents Academy	2022
2007	Educational Administrative Endorsement	Chris Hampton	Tennessee Principal of the Year	2022
2008	Educational Administrative Endorsement	Stacy Edwards	Kingsport City Schools Principal of the Year	2023
2008	Educational Administrative Endorsement	Michael Hubbard	Kingsport City Schools Supervisor of the Year	2023

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2008	Educational Administrative Endorsement	Michael Hubbard	Kingsport City Schools Supervisor of the Year	2023
2007	Educational Administrative Endorsement	Chris Hampton	Superintendent Kingsport City Schools	2023
2017	Educational Administrative Endorsement	Michele Murray	Appointed Principal, Fairview Elementary, Williamson County Schools	2023
2014	Educational Administrative Endorsement	Holly Flora	Appointed Kingsport City Schools Chief Academic Officer for Elementary	2023
2019	Educational Administrative Endorsement	Whitney Pearson	Appointed Assistant Principal for Indian Trail Middle School, Johnson City Schools	2023
2011	Educational Administrative Endorsement	Ruafika A. Cobb	Named North Carolina's Western Region 2023 Principal of the Year	2023
2012	Educational Administrative Endorsement	Steve Barnett	Recognized as Superintendent of the Year for the Tennessee First District	2023
2011	Educational Administrative Endorsement	Nick Darnell	Recognized by TN Board of Education for his work in serving on the Board	2023
Enrolled	Educational Administrative Endorsement	Amber Ogle	2023-2024 Teacher of the Year Sevier County High School	2023
2024	Educational Administrative Endorsement	Samantha Satterfield	2023-2024 Teacher of the Year Sevier County High School	2023
2018	Educational Administrative Endorsement	Kelley Hall Harrell	Named Kingsport City Schools Principal of the Year	2024
1993	Ed.D.: Educational Leadership and Policy Analysis	Robbie Anderson	Celebrated 50 years with Johnson City Schools: Public Education Advocacy	2024
2010	Ed.D.: Educational Leadership and Policy Analysis	Jason Horne	Named Assistant Director of Schools for Administration at Greeneville City Schools	2024

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2018	Ed.D.: Educational Leadership and Policy Analysis	Kelley Harrell	Finalist for 2024-25 Principal of the Year	2024
2011	Ed.D.: Educational Leadership and Policy Analysis	Ginger Christian	Recipient of Celebration of Research Award for Public Impact and Engagement by ETSU	2024
1999, 2018	B.S.: Modified SPED; M. Ed: Educational Leadership and Policy Analysis	Shannon Blevins	Love Chapel Elementary's Teacher of the Year	2024-2025
2003	Ed.D.: Educational Leadership and Policy Analysis	Holly Flora	Named District Supervisor of the Year for 2025, Kingsport City Schools	2025
2010	M.Ed.: Educational Leadership and Policy Analysis	Shanna Hensley	Named District Principal of the Year for 2025, Kingsport City Schools	2025
2007	Ed.D.: Educational Leadership and Policy Analysis	Christopher Hampton	Kingsport City Schools Superintendent: named TSSAA School District Administrator of the Year, Athletic District 1 as part of the annual A.F. Bridges Sportsmanship Awards	2025
Enrolled	Ed.D.: Educational Leadership and Policy Analysis	Katie Kimbro	SPED Teacher at D-B Excel; named District Teacher of the Year for Grades 9-12	2025
2006	M.Ed.: Educational Leadership and Policy Analysis	Jaclyn Wilson	Named Director of Early Childhood Programs (Head Start and PreK) for Carter County Schools	2025
Enrolled	Ed.D.: Educational Leadership and Policy Analysis	Katie Kimbro	Recognized as Kingsport City Schools District Building-Level Teacher of the Year	2025