

Agenda Request Form

Cherokee County School District

Meeting Date
August 11, 2016

Agenda Item Number
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Title
Recognition of Johnston ES as a National Common Sense Digital Citizenship Certified School and Media Specialist Angel Ginn as a National Common Sense Digital Citizenship Certified Educator
Requested Action
Recognize Johnston ES as a National Common Sense Digital Citizenship Certified School and Media Specialist, Angel Ginn as a National Common Sense Digital Citizenship Certified Educator
Summary Explanation and Background
<p>Common Sense, a national nonprofit organization dedicated to helping kids and families thrive in a world of digital media and technology, recently recognized Johnston ES as a Common Sense Digital Citizenship Certified School! This honor recognizes efforts in teaching digital literacy and citizenship to young people and engaging the entire school community.</p> <p>Johnston ES, which is led by Principal Amy Graham, demonstrated its commitment to taking a whole-community approach to preparing its students to use the immense power of digital media to explore, create, connect and learn, while limiting the perils that exist in the online realm, such as plagiarism, loss of privacy and cyberbullying.</p> <p>Johnston ES has been using Common Sense Education's innovative and research-based digital citizenship resources. The resources teach students, educators and parents tangible skills related to Internet safety. The free resources are currently used in more than 90,000 classrooms nationwide.</p> <p>Johnston ES Media Specialist Angel Ginn led the efforts on this project. She has earned recognition as a Common Sense Digital Citizenship Certified Educator.</p>
Major System Priority
Attracting and Retaining the Best Teachers and Support Staff
Financial Impact
N/A
Exhibits: (List)
N/A

Board Action
<i>(For Official School Board Records Only)</i>

Source of Additional Information	
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By: _____ (School Board Chairman)