

MEMORANDUM

TO: The Honorable Members of the State Board of Education

FROM: Janet Barresi, State Superintendent

DATE: October 25, 2012

SUBJECT: 2012 Blue Ribbon Recipients

The No Child Left Behind-Blue Ribbon Schools Program honors public elementary, middle, and high schools that are either academically superior or that demonstrate dramatic gains in student achievement to high levels. The Blue Ribbon Program sets a high standard that should be a goal for all improving schools and schools striving for high student performance.

The following schools for 2012 have met the requirements of the Blue Ribbon Schools Program and are to be commended for their hard work, efforts, and dedication to the students of Oklahoma.

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Attachment

OKLAHOMA STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

OKLAHOMA'S BLUE RIBBON SCHOOLS 2012

All schools nominated for the 2012 Blue Ribbon Award met state requirements in both Reading and Math as set forth in the Oklahoma ESEA Flexibility Waiver

Exemplary High Performing – schools in the top 10 percent of the state with at least 40 percent disadvantaged students.

Tracy McDaniel, Principal
KIPP College Prep School
Oklahoma City Public Schools
1901 Northeast 13th Street
Oklahoma City, OK 73117-3613
Phone: (405) 425-4622

James Roberts, Principal
Pratt Elementary School
Sand Springs Public Schools
301 West 35th Street
Sand Springs, OK 74063-2816
Phone: (918) 246-1550

Jason Hayes, Principal
Santa Fe High School
Edmond Public Schools
1901 Southwest 15th Street
Edmond, OK 73013-2230
Phone: (405) 340-2230

Cody Simmons, Principal
Waurika Elementary School
Waurika Public Schools
600 Educational Avenue
Waurika, OK 73573-0299
Phone: (580) 228-3531

Exemplary Improving – schools with at least 40 percent disadvantaged students that have dramatically improved student achievement to high levels.

Karen Heizer, Principal
Hoover Elementary School
Enid Public Schools
2800 West Main Street
Enid, OK 73073-5143
Phone: (580) 977-6143

Taf Morphis, Principal
Hulbert Elementary School
Hulbert Public Schools
316 Rider Lane, P.O. Box 188
Hulbert, OK 74441
Phone: (918) 772-2501