Randolph County School System
“RCSS STAR Employees” for January 2019

Franklinville Elementary School - Sandy McMasters
Custodian Sandy McMasters works hard with a smile every day. She makes everyone in the building - both students and staff - feel like family. Mrs. McMasters soars above by helping out wherever she can. It is not uncommon to see her involved in helping with baby showers, adding decorations to classrooms, purchasing materials for teachers, and even supporting our PTO by purchasing items at fundraisers. Taking pride in her work, Mrs. McMasters makes sure that she keeps Franklinville "looking good." She takes on additional responsibilities and never complains. She has the students, staff, and school's best interest at heart in everything she does. Mrs. McMasters works behind the scenes to achieve this and is an integral part of the Cardinal family. Congratulations to Sandy McMasters, Franklinville Elementary School’s STAR Employee for January.

Grays Chapel Elementary School - Shelley Stover
Lead teacher Shelley Stover supports teachers, staff, and students in various ways. Her positive attitude, compassionate heart, and helping hand provide a collaborative and positive school culture. Mrs. Stover meets with each grade level on a weekly basis during their Professional Learning Team time to inform, support, guide, and direct teachers in addressing each grade level’s curriculum standards. She delivers professional development to teachers and assists in planning and organizing Title I family nights. Mrs. Stover provides teachers with additional instructional resources, assists with our Reading 3D technical problems, and organizes and analyzes school assessment data to share with grade level teachers and administrators. As testing coordinator, she plans, trains, schedules, and administers all testing. Grays Chapel Elementary School is proud to recognize Shelley Stover as our STAR Employee for January.

Level Cross Elementary School - Danielle Brewer
Danielle Brewer goes way beyond her duties as secretary/treasurer. She is diligent in everything she does, from paying bills and ordering materials to assisting teachers during guided reading and remediation/enrichment time. Mrs. Brewer is very detail-oriented and crafty. She interacts well with students, staff, and community members. Mrs. Brewer has been instrumental this year in working with our climate committee to improve the climate at our school. She has arranged treats for staff on special occasions, meals, and celebrations. Mrs. Brewer has a positive attitude when answering the phone and greeting school visitors. She helps keep the school running smoothly. Congratulations, Danielle Brewer, Level Cross Elementary School’s STAR Employee for January.
Liberty Elementary School - Joe Swaim
Joe Swaim is a pre-kindergarten teacher assistant at Liberty Elementary School. He is a kind and nurturing male role model to our youngest students. His infinite patience and love for his students is evident in all he does. In addition to his primary role in the classroom, Mr. Swaim wears many hats that have a positive impact on the entire school. He greets buses every morning and sends them safely on their way every afternoon. Mr. Swaim is always on call with his two-way radio to respond to a variety of emergencies around the school. He completes every task with a smile and has a consistently positive attitude. We are proud to name Joe Swaim Liberty Elementary School’s STAR Employee for January.

Northeastern Randolph Middle School - Chris Rose
Social Studies teacher Chris Rose is active in the community and represents Northeastern Randolph Middle School with professionalism and enthusiasm. Supporting all students, Mr. Rose focuses on the positives in each child’s life. He reminds children that regardless of circumstance, there is always something good that can be used as an anchor. Mr. Rose believes in coaching for the long-term outcome. He stresses the importance of keeping an eye on the future while working in the present. He believes that goals equal purpose, and he instills those values in students. Mr. Rose also has a strong presence in our athletics programs. He works tirelessly all year to support athletes and helps them to balance demands. Mr. Rose exemplifies commitment and dedication and constantly seeks ways to help himself grow as an educator. Chris Rose is a respected member of the Northeastern Randolph Middle School, and we congratulate him on being selected our STAR Employee for January.

Providence Grove High School - Danny Martin
Danny Martin, physical education teacher and athletic director, is a dedicated staff member who leads in and out of his classroom. His love for Providence Grove High School is unmatched. Mr. Martin is a professional who takes the time to provide guidance and support to our coaches and works to ensure student-athletes have what they need to be successful. He continues to help our school and athletic programs move forward and his hard work does not go unnoticed. Providence Grove High School is grateful for all Danny Martin has done for our Patriots and we are honored to have him as our STAR Employee for January.

Ramseur Elementary School - Doely Watkins
Doely Watkins exemplifies the characteristics of a STAR Employee. She is responsible and helpful and constantly communicates with parents and families at Ramseur Elementary School to keep them informed. As the data manager, Ms. Watkins works diligently with staff to keep all attendance, demographics, and information in order. She is welcoming to those in the community, goes above and beyond to support teachers and staff, and regularly helps with parent translations. It is Ms. Watkins’ hardworking, dedicated nature and love for her job that make her a Ramseur STAR Employee. We are lucky to have Ms. Watkins as part of our school family and we would not function as smoothly without her. Congratulations to Doely Watkins, Ramseur Elementary School’s STAR Employee for January.

Randleman Elementary School - Katie McMichael
Katie McMichael has taught both second and third grades. As chair of her grade level, Mrs. McMichael is an invaluable resource to her peers, sharing ideas readily and encouraging others. Her students love her, because they know how fiercely she cares about their success. She sets high standards and makes learning fun. In addition to her classroom duties, Mrs. McMichael serves as Multi-Tier System of Supports chair, overseeing strategies and differentiation of learning for our students. She is a positive force in our school, willingly taking on extra responsibilities and doing so with a smile. Mrs. McMichael is in charge of our Drama Club and recently took over for another staff person in directing both the Drama Club and Student Chorus in our town’s Christmas tree lighting and the school’s holiday play. Randleman Elementary School is proud to select Katie McMichael as our STAR Employee for January.
Randleman High School - Poppy Cox
Poppy Cox is a dedicated, positive force at Randleman High School. She serves as lead mentor to novice teachers and has created for them a support system consisting of monthly meetings, guest speakers, and a comfortable environment to share and grow. As our Parenting and Child Development and Early Childhood Education teacher, Mrs. Cox provides students with important life skills and promotes teaching. She incorporates hands-on activities into her classes, seeks opportunities for students to volunteer at local daycares and elementary schools, and promotes positive interaction with young children. Mrs. Cox sponsors our Junior Civitans chapter as a way to encourage students to get involved and give back to the community. She is respected by her colleagues and valued by everyone at our school. Congratulations to Poppy Cox, Randleman High School’s STAR Employee for January.

Randleman Middle School - Jennifer Prince
Randleman Middle School’s STAR Employee, Jennifer Prince, is an outstanding educator with a heart for serving all students. She is an innovative teacher who plans engaging, relevant lessons in which students are able to develop and enhance their 21st century skills. Ms. Prince’s excitement for learning is contagious and students love being in her class. She serves on the leadership and Olweus teams and regularly supports her students by attending Multi-Tier System of Supports meetings. She is a loyal colleague who is willing to step in and help, no matter the task. Students and staff alike can always count on Mrs. Prince to have a smile on her face and a word of encouragement. We are excited to select Jennifer Prince as Randleman Middle School’s STAR Employee for January.