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GLENDALE UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT AND SCHOOLS RECOGNIZED FOR HIGH ACHIEVEMENT IN STUDENT SUCCESS

*California Districts Selected for Prestigious Honor Roll Issued By
a National Campaign of Business and Education Leaders*

GLENDALE CA. - Glendale Unified School District has been selected by Educational Results Partnership (ERP) and the Campaign for Business and Education Excellence (CBEE) as one of **13** public school districts in California to receive the title of 2015 Honor Roll School District.

The Honor Roll is part of a national effort to identify higher-performing schools and highlight successful practices that improve outcomes for students. School districts receiving this distinction have demonstrated consistent high levels of student academic achievement, improvement in achievement levels over time and reduction in achievement gaps among student populations. For school districts with high schools, the Honor Roll recognition also includes measures of college readiness.

In addition to the District's Honor Roll recognition, 19 Glendale Unified School District schools have been selected by Educational Results Partnership (ERP) and the Campaign for Business and Education Excellence (CBEE) among **1,714** public schools in California to receive the title of 2015 Honor Roll school. They are:

Star Schools:

Clark Magnet High School
Glendale High School
Hoover High School
Wilson Middle School
Balboa Elementary School
Cerritos Elementary School
Columbus Elementary School
Edison Elementary School
Franklin Elementary School
Glenoaks Elementary School
Jefferson Elementary School
Keppel Elementary School
Mann Elementary School
Marshall Elementary School

Muir Elementary School
RD White Elementary School

Scholar Schools:

Crescenta Valley High School
Rosemont Middle School
Monte Vista Elementary School

The Honor Roll is part of a national effort to identify higher-performing schools and highlight successful practices that improve outcomes for students. Schools receiving this distinction from leaders in the California academic and business communities have demonstrated consistent high levels of student academic achievement, improvement in achievement levels over time and reduction in achievement gaps among student populations. For High Schools, the Honor Roll recognition also includes measures of college readiness. The Honor Roll is comprised of two different awards, the “Star Schools” Award and “Scholar Schools” Award.

Star Schools are those with significant populations of socio-economically disadvantaged students that have shown a significant increase in grade-level proficiency over time. Scholar Schools are schools that are showing significant levels of academic achievement, but do not have a significant socio-economically disadvantaged student population.

The business community is also recognizing a subset of the Honor Roll that has both high percentages of low-income students and high levels of math and science achievement. STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Math) Honor Roll schools will receive special recognition of their accomplishments. The following school received the added distinction of STEM Honor Roll: Clark Magnet High School.

“We are so proud to be recognized by leaders in the California business community as an Honor Roll District and to have so many of our schools recognized,” said Winfred Roberson, Superintendent. “Our teachers and administrators work tirelessly to keep the focus on high expectations and student academic achievement and to continuously improve our practices. This hard work and dedication is paying off for all of our students, no matter their background.”

Dr. Amina Gharpetian, Board of Education President, "We appreciate the hard work of our teachers, administrators and staff who work so tirelessly to successfully prepare our students for their futures. Glendale USD has outstanding students and schools, and as a board we are incredibly proud."

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