

STUDENTS OF THE MONTH - JANUARY

High School Students of the Month:



Anika Weurding, daughter of Lisa and Derek Weurding:

Anika is a quiet listener, and highly prepared, she works hard, and asks questions when needed. She is fabulous! Consistently fastidious and earnest in her academic work, Anika exemplifies the characteristics of the ideal student. Her passion for learning and dedication to producing high quality work will lead Anika to great places.

Graedy Miller, son of Heather and Jeremy Miller:

Graedy is exuberant. He is prepared, kind, and always in a good mood. He is an excellent musician and a student that is excited to learn, and always trying to be better than the day before.

Middle School Students of the Month:

Vannessa Smidt; Daughter of Ronald Smidt and Stephanie Garrison:

Vannessa has been going above and beyond in her classrooms and has been selected for "Student of The Month" for the month of January, by Mrs. Barkovich. Vannessa is always thinking about how she can help people and be a better person. For a 5th grader, Vannessa is very mature and wise beyond her years. Vannessa displays several character traits that exemplify what it takes to be Student of The Month! She is responsible, eager to learn, safe, respectful to her teaches and peers, helpful, and a role model in all the classrooms that she attends daily. Vannessa can always be counted on to be honest and do the right thing. Not because she wants the recognition, or attention, or a prize; she does it simply because it is the right thing to do and she knows it. Thank you for ALWAYS showing positive behaviors in the classroom and being an outstanding student and friend to your classroom peers. Congratulations Vannessa! We are proud of your success this year.

Evelina Martini; Daughter of Tami Martini:

When nominating Eve for student of the month, two words came up repeatedly: hard working. Eve has a tremendous work ethic; she is willing to put in the effort it takes to succeed, even if others around her are not. She comes into class excited to be there and is consistently kind and caring. She is focused and eager to do well and is an asset to every class she is in, especially band and choir where kindness and consistency benefits everyone in the room. We are proud to teach her and happy to see her each day!

Brock Peterson; Son of Corey and Bethany Peterson:

This month, the 7th grade team is pleased to announce Brock Peterson as our Student of the Month! Brock has demonstrated excellent work ethic and is consistently giving a high level of focus throughout classes--even when others around him are off-task. Teachers can count on Brock to do the right thing, and to give it his best effort every time. Mrs. Gear specifically mentioned that Brock is "always nice" to his peers, a trait that is consistent in all his classes. Mr. Tony Karsen also added this: "Brock Peterson, AKA Peterbilt (the semi-truck) brings positive energy, consistent high effort, and is willing to work with any and all peers." For these reasons, we are happy to congratulate Mr. "Peterbilt" as our Student of the Month! Keep the hard work rolling!

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Ethan Ferrell; Son of Eric and Lacey Ferrell:

For the month of January, the eighth grade teachers nominate Ethan Ferrell for Student of the Month. Ethan came back from the New Year ready to get back to work! He has a positivity and calm demeanor that we all see and appreciate in our classes. Ethan shows Responsibility in class when he participates and helps the conversation to keep moving forward. He has also shown this past month especially Respect to his peers by being a positive leader in class and helping others get back on track and not talking or doing something else when we are teaching. We are all very excited to have Ethan in class this year and admire his easy-going personality. Keep up the wonderful work, Ethan!