

DEMAREST PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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Demarest Public Schools receive Future Ready School Certification

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Demarest Middle School and Luther Lee Emerson School Receive Prestigious Designation

As part of its ongoing approach to developing 21st century learners who can succeed in an increasingly challenging college and career environment, the New Jersey Department of Education is fostering a cohort of schools that earned the distinction of being considered “Future Ready.” With over 2500 schools found in New Jersey, only 104 schools received the designation and the Demarest Board of Education is proud to announce that both Luther Lee Emerson (LLE) and Demarest Middle School (DMS) received this prestigious honor for the second year. “This certification was far more rigorous than the equivalent 2017 certification that both schools received during the inaugural Future Ready cycle”, said Supervisor of Curriculum, Instruction and Assessment, Ms. Kelly Stevens. A detailed narrative of what makes LLE and DMS Future Ready was submitted, as well as a video for each school. The LLE video was created by Mr. Nerkizian and Mrs. Karrenberg with the 4th grade newscasting team. The videos can be found on the district homepage: <https://demarestsd.schoolwires.net>

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In the photo are (l. to r.) Ted Alevrontas, Demarest Board of Education Trustee, Diane Holzberg, Demarest Board of Education President, Christen Governale, Demarest Board of Education Trustee.