

Randolph County School System “STAR³ Students” for May 2024



Coleridge Elementary School – Morgan Coleman

Morgan shines brightly at Coleridge Elementary School with her kindness, always ready to lend a hand, and go above and beyond to excel in her tasks. Not only is she diligent in her work, but she is also a passionate learner who constantly seeks new knowledge to share with her classmates. Her nurturing spirit extends beyond her work to the meaningful connections she builds with staff and peers. With her infectious enthusiasm for learning and her genuine interest in caring for others, Morgan's presence makes Coleridge Elementary School a better place. We are so glad Morgan is part of our Rocket Family, and we are so proud to call her our STAR³ student for May.

Eastern Randolph High School – Omarrius Little

Eastern Randolph High School is excited to recognize Omarrius Little as our STAR³ student for May. Omarrius is the epitome of what it means to be a STAR³ student. He is respectful to his peers and adults, responsible in his schoolwork and commitments to his school, and does the right thing when no one is looking. Omarrius is also very involved in his school and community. He is the vice president of the Junior class, a member of the Randolph County LIFT program, a Beta Club member, and works part-time at the NC Zoo. Omarrius is also a standout athlete and plays football, runs track, and wrestles for the Wildcats. He has a top 10 GPA in the Junior class and hopes to attend UNC Chapel Hill one day and major in social work or nursing. Omarrius makes our school a better place each day with his positive attitude and we look forward to what the future holds for this STAR³ Wildcat.

Farmer Elementary School – Avery Freeman

Avery is a dependable, kind, responsible, and respectful young man. He comes to school each day with a positive attitude and is ready to learn. He constantly goes above and beyond within the classroom. From stacking a student's chair, helping someone with a math problem they don't understand, to simply telling another student "Good job, Avery is always looking for ways to help and encourage others without being asked. Every day Avery quietly does the right thing without expecting anything in return. We are so proud of Avery and are happy to recognize him as Farmer's Star³ student for May.

Seagrove Elementary School – Madison Foland

Madison Foland is one of the kindest, most respectful, and well-mannered students in third grade. She never complains and is always willing to help a teacher or a classmate. She always has a smile on her face and is a good friend to all. We are excited to announce Madison as our Star³ student!

Southeastern Randolph Middle School – Fatima Almanza-Quiroz

Meet Fatima, an exemplary 6th-grade student at Southeastern Randolph Middle School whose remarkable qualities shine brightly in every aspect of her academic journey. Fatima's unwavering dedication and tireless work ethic are evident in every assignment she undertakes, demonstrating a level of diligence that sets her apart. Beyond her impressive academic achievements, Fatima's respect towards her peers and educators is commendable, fostering an inclusive and supportive learning environment. Coupled with her intelligence, Fatima's humble demeanor and willingness to assist others make her a beacon of inspiration and a true role model for her fellow Wildcats. Southeastern Randolph Middle School is proud to have Fatima Almanza-Quiroz as our STAR³ Student for May.

Southmont Elementary School – Itzayana Dominguez Mondragon

Southmont Elementary recognizes Itzayana Dominguez Mondragon as our Star³ Student. Itzayana has grown so much this year! Although she was unsure of herself in many ways at the beginning of the year, Itzayana has put forth great effort to learn to communicate with her classmates and teacher. In the words of her second-grade teacher, Mrs. Elizabeth Strider, "Watching Itzayana grow in oral language development, reading, and writing has been exciting! She has a wonderful personality and a heart of gold! She is full of kindness, always willing to help, and respects the rules and expectations set before her. Itzayana gives her best no matter the challenge!" As a Southmont Mustang, Itzayana strives to be ready, responsible, and respectful each day and we are proud to honor her as our Star³ Student!

Southwestern Randolph High School – Alex Perdue

Alex Perdue is a 10th-grade student at SWRHS. Alex is a confident young man and very well-known throughout Southwest for many different reasons. He is a friend to everyone, a hard worker, and is always willing to help anyone in need. Alex loves to be involved and participate in the daily announcements. This has not always been an easy thing for him as he never enjoyed reading aloud to a large audience. With lots of practice, and his love of all things weather, Alex has become the official weatherman of SWRHS. He reports the weekend weather every Friday during the announcements and will give an official forecast anytime someone asks. Alex has also become a beloved member of our Varsity Baseball team as Manager. He encourages his teammates to do their best and to always have fun. While Alex has had to learn to overcome many challenges in his life, he has done so with a positive attitude and a smile on his face. He is becoming more independent every day and is an absolute joy to be around. We are proud to have Alex Perdue as our Star³ Student.

Southwestern Randolph Middle School – Caylee Kinlaw

Eighth-grader Caylee Kinlaw is a wonderful student who aspires to do well in school. We are so proud of the young lady that she has become. She has grown so much over the years, especially this 8th-grade year. She has overcome a lot in her personal life and came out of the other side a well-rounded, hard-working student. We continue to be in awe of her persistence and what she has achieved thus far and can't wait to see what she does in high school and beyond! SWRMS is proud to call Caylee Kinlaw our STAR³ student.

Tabernacle Elementary School – Peytin Hawks

Peytin is a well-mannered, well-behaved student and is always kind. She is very helpful and does a great job with Safety Patrol duty in the morning and afternoon with opening doors and telling everyone good morning or to have a great afternoon. She is always on time and ready to go. Peytin always has a smile on her face and gets along with others. She works hard in the classroom and does her best at all times. Peytin is a sweet, well rounded young lady. She comes to school every day with a positive attitude, works her hardest in every subject, and is always looking for ways to improve. She is kind to everyone she meets, including other students, teachers, and staff members. She goes above and beyond in the classroom and in all she does. Peytin also makes sure that everyone is being treated with kindness and respect. Peytin is always polite, respectful, and cares about others and her grades. She is a wonderful example of what it means to be a Tabernacle Cougar and why she was selected as Tabernacle's Star³ Student.

The Virtual Academy @ Randolph – Dayanise Angueira Hernandez

Dayanise has demonstrated a high standard for completing her Science assignments this semester. She completes assignments on time and comes to class consistently. In her groups, she is supportive and considerate to the members when completing school tasks. Dayanise is a wonderful student. She is always prepared and participates during class. She is bold to share even when she may not be correct. She gives her best effort in everything she does. She has shown tremendous growth throughout this school year through her iReady data and Check-In data. Dayanise embraces virtual learning. She is self-disciplined and self-motivated, which is reflected in her daily attendance and participation in her Google Meets. She advocates for her educational needs and never hesitates to email her teachers or the principal when she has questions. Dayanise is truly a joy to teach. The staff at The Virtual Academy @ Randolph is honored to have Dayanise Angueira Hernandez as our Star³ student.

Uwharrie Ridge Six-Twelve – Kingsten McDowell

Kingsten is one of the most respectful students on our campus and works hard every day. Without realizing that someone was looking he has been observed opening the door for others and picking up a piece of trash that wasn't his and throwing it away. Some of the things his teachers say include: "Kingsten is a respectful student. He completes all assignments with fidelity. He works hard both as an individual and when he is part of an academic group he is flexible and acclimates well to any classroom structure/environment. He is a deep thinker and challenges teachers in the best way possible as his responses will often bring about new insight to a topic". "Kingston helps the other students at his table group without being asked to help his friends. He just does it naturally". We are pleased to have Kingsten McDowell as Uwharrie Ridge Six-Twelve's Star³ student.

