
Title I Distinguished Schools Recognition

The Background:

The National Title I Distinguished Schools Program has been selecting examples of superior Title I schools from all states for national recognition since 1996. Each year, Tennessee selects two schools for recognition – one for success in closing achievement gaps, and one for outstanding academic achievement.

The schools recognized demonstrate a wide array of strengths, including team approaches to teaching and learning, focused professional development opportunities for staff, individualized programs for student success, and strong partnerships between the school, parents and the community.

This year's schools were recognized at the National Title I Conference in Salt Lake City, Utah in February, 2015. The following two schools in Tennessee have been recognized as Title I Distinguished Schools for the 2014-2015 school year.

For Outstanding Academic Achievement

E.E. Jeter Elementary

Shelby County Schools
Paulette Bond - Principal
7662 Benjestown Road
Millington, TN 38053

For Exemplary Work in Closing Achievement Gaps

Cummings School

Shelby County Schools
Lisa Frieson - Principal
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The Fiscal Analysis Impact:

This item has no financial impact on an LEA.

The Recommendation:

For information purposes only; no action required.