
2019 Blue Ribbon Schools Recognition

The Background:

The National Blue Ribbon Schools Program recognizes public and private elementary, middle, and high schools based on their overall academic excellence or their progress in closing achievement gaps among student subgroups. Every year the U. S. Department of Education seeks out and celebrates great American schools, schools demonstrating that all students can achieve to high levels. More than 8,500 schools across the country have been presented with this coveted award. The National Blue Ribbon School award affirms the hard work of students, educators, families, and communities in creating safe and welcoming schools where students master challenging content. The National Blue Ribbon School flag gracing an entry or flying overhead is a widely recognized symbol of exemplary teaching and learning.

This year's schools were recognized by the U. S. Department of Education on Nov. 14-15, 2019 in Washington DC. The six schools in Tennessee that have been recognized as Blue Ribbon Schools for 2019 are:

Lockeland Design Center Elementary
Davidson County Schools
Principal Christie Lewis
105 South 17th Street
Nashville, TN 37206-1914

Campus School
Shelby County Schools
2019-20 Principal Dr. Rebecca Scott
2018-19 Principal Dr. Susan Copeland
535 Zach Curlin Street
Memphis, TN 38152

Crockett Elementary
Williamson County Schools
Principal Bronwyn Rector
9019 Crockett Road
Brentwood, TN 37027

Maxine Smith STEAM Academy
Shelby County Schools
Principal Michael Demster
750 E Pkwy S
Memphis, TN 38104

McFadden School of Excellence
Rutherford County Schools
Principal Clark Blair
221 Bridge Ave.
Murfreesboro, TN 37129

Sequoyah Elementary School
Knox County
Principal Alisha Hinton
942 Southgate Road
Knoxville, TN 37919

The Recommendation:

For information purposes only; no action required.