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LOCAL DISTRICT TEACHERS OF THE YEAR ANNOUNCED

CHEYENNE - Teachers from 31 districts around Wyoming are receiving their District Teacher of the Year Awards from the Wyoming Department of Education (WDE). Each district winner is a semifinalist for the 2015 Wyoming State Teacher of the Year, which will be selected by Oct. 1, 2014, and will represent Wyoming nationally.

While some districts chose not to nominate teachers for the award, most districts put forth some of their best teachers to be recognized for their outstanding work and service to the children of Wyoming.

Teachers from each district who participated have been chosen, and their names are listed below by district. Recipient specific releases have been sent out by region and are available here: <http://edu.wyoming.gov/communications/press-release-archives/>

Semifinalists receive \$1000 and a crystal apple award in recognition of their achievement. Congratulations to all the winners, and thank you to all teachers in Wyoming.

- Big Horn County SD 1, Burlington: Gerald George, Burlington Middle and High.
- Big Horn County SD 2, Lovell: Nichole Blain, Big Horn County School District #2.
- Big Horn County SD 3, Greybull: Ted Menke, Greybull High.
- Big Horn County SD 4, Basin: James Hoffman, Riverside High.
- Campbell County SD 1, Gillette: Kathy Stephens, Hillcrest.
- Carbon County SD 1, Rawlins: Kathy Butler, Rawlins Elementary.

- Converse County SD 1, Douglas: Cheri Haefele, Douglas Primary .
- Converse County SD 2, Glenrock: Sunny Fleck, Grant Elementary.
- Crook County SD 1, Moorcroft: Michelle Davis, Moorcroft Elementary.
- Fremont County SD 2, Dubois: Jason Horn, Dubois Schools.
- Goshen County SD 1, Torrington: Josh Jackson, Goshen Middle.
- Hot Springs County SD 1, Thermopolis: James Cramer, Hot Springs High .
- Johnson County SD 1, Buffalo: Mary Jean Wodahl, Meadowlark Elementary.
- Laramie County SD 2, Burns: Cindy Downey, Burns Elementary.
- Park County SD 1, Powell: Marsha Neubert, Powell elementary schools.
- Park County SD 6, Cody: Kari Pinney, Sunset Elementary.
- Park County SD 16, Meeteetse: Christine Horsen, Meeteetse School.
- Platte County SD 1, Wheatland: Renee McKain, Libbey Elementary.
- Platte County SD 2, Guernsey: Rosanna Davison, Guernsey-Sunrise Elementary.
- Sheridan County SD 1, Dayton: Patricia Mischke, Tongue River High School.
- Sheridan County SD, Sheridan 2: Lorna Poulsen, Sheridan Junior High.
- Sublette County SD 1, Pinedale: Christine Zakotnik, Pinedale High.
- Sweetwater County SD 1, Rock Springs: Karen Carter, Walnut Elementary.
- Sweetwater County SD 2, Green River: Desi Pampuch, Monroe Middle.
- Teton County SD 1, Jackson: Amy Asbell, Colter Elementary.
- Uinta County SD 4, Mountain View: Dustin Rees, Mountain View High.
- Uinta County SD 6, Lyman: Candice Rollins, Urie Elementary.
- Washakie County SD 1, Worland: Lori Feather, Southside.
- Washakie County SD 2, Ten Sleep: Dustin Stephenson, Ten Sleep.
- Weston County SD 1, Newcastle: Tyler Bartlett, Newcastle Middle.
- Weston County SD 7, Upton: Rhonda Knapp, Upton Elementary and Middle Schools.

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