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Nine New Jersey Schools Earn Blue Ribbon Award from the U.S. Department of Education

Trenton, NJ – The New Jersey Department of Education announced that nine New Jersey schools earned the national Blue Ribbon award for high student achievement. The U.S. Department of Education today announced the recipients of the award, which recognizes schools for overall academic performance.

"We are always glad to celebrate the success of our New Jersey schools and acknowledge their commitment to teaching and learning. New Jersey is one of the top states for education because our schools focus on improving the outcomes for all students," said Dr. Angelica Allen-McMillan, Acting Commissioner of Education. "I applaud the nine newest Blue Ribbon Schools for their focus on students' well-being and achievement."

National Blue Ribbon Schools are honored at an annual awards ceremony in Washington, D.C., where each receives a plaque and flag to signify its exemplary status. Details of the schools that received the Blue Ribbon designation are provided on the U.S. Department of Education's <u>website</u>.

The New Jersey schools receiving the 2022 National Blue Ribbon Schools designation include:

County	District	School
Bergen	Cliffside Park School District	School #4
Bergen	Englewood Cliffs School District	Upper School
Camden	Gloucester Township Public Schools	Glendora Elementary School
Essex	West Orange Public Schools	Redwood Elementary School
Mercer	Hopewell Valley Regional School District	Stony Brook Elementary School
Middlesex	Metuchen Public School District	Edgar Middle School
Monmouth	Marlboro Township School District	Frank Defino Central Elementary School
Morris	Randolph Township School District	Center Grove School
Union	Scotch Plains-Fanwood School District	McGinn Elementary School





