



SUPERINTENDENT COMMENTS

June 2, 2022

Shannon Grants for Innovative Projects Award Ceremony - August 19, 2022

Three Charlottesville City Schools teachers will receive grants from the Edgar and Eleanor Shannon Foundation for Excellence in Public Education. Totaling \$6,938, the grants make possible innovative educational projects.

Charlottesville grant-winners are:

- Catherine Gray, Clark Elementary School, \$5,000 for “We Take Care” to promote school-wide, community-oriented learning opportunities and service opportunities.
- Samantha Pagni, Charlottesville High School, \$1300 for “Mind Your Biz,” an entrepreneurial project for special education art classes
- Maggie Pfuntner, Walker Upper Elementary School, \$638 for “STEM Bins for All” to bring STEM supplies into everyday learning





2022 Retirees

Please join me in honoring and thanking all our retirees (shown below with location and years of service in Cville Schools):

- Paula Culver-Dickinson, Division Administration Annex (19 years)
- James Gordan, Adult Education (19 years)
- George Inge, Greenbrier Elementary School (15 years)
- Susan Muse, Buford Middle School (20 years)
- Elizabeth Petry, Greenbrier Elementary School (8 years)
- Margaret Roach, Buford Middle School (22 years)
- Eileen Sims, Jackson-Via Elementary School (3 years)
- Ramona Spinner, Jackson-Via Elementary School (31 years)
- Cynthia Swensson, Buford Middle School (3 years)
- Laura Thomas, Charlottesville High School (40 years)
- Mary-Elizabeth Via, Buford Middle School (12 years)
- Carolyn Washington, Walker Upper Elementary (30 years)
- Karen Wilson, Charlottesville High School (29 years)



Thanks to these folks for their contributions to our schools – and thanks to all of you. Working together, we each do our part to build a strong and supportive school community.

2022 CATEC Completer Ceremony



2022 PROGRAM COMPLETERS AND PARTICIPANTS		
Automotive Body Technology Tinae Alexander Aguilaz William Steven Amaya Martinez Darien Sean Bennett Richard Phineas Bell Thomas Lee Bottenfield Bryson James Hugh Clifford Alexander Paige Covington Leah Kristine Debernardia* Diego Alexander Fernandez-Perez Gavin Alexander Fisher Chase Grant* Josue Hernandez-Cruz* Bryce Johnson* Zachary Johnson* Keshawn Allen Oyle Weston Wade Payne David Pena-Vallencina* KazZuan Lamonte Randolph Sayer Jonath Rutine Tonya Lynn Shifflett* Ahmir Abel Thomas* Pedro Ariel Trigo Vargas Ricardo Weaver	Automotive Service Technology Jason Benjamin Atkins* Austin James Barrows* Shawn Patrick Houchens Shawn Robert Jones* William Lawson Kenneth Parrell Mawyer Ethan Mason McDonald* Noah Tye Miller Case Walker Norford Brook Alexander Peery Angel Kevin Reyes-Kemero Marlo Yovani Rivas Alexandre Warner*	Cosmetology Reyenne Altieri Nyah Israel Brown* Nyonnika Carter Yamillet Dominguez Valdespina Jessica Garcia-Perez Tyana Harris Amber Nicole Houchens* Kaitlyn Rose Kaplan Cadelaine Marquez* Nichel Alejandra Morales Fieroz Yessica Lueth Quintanilla Arevalo Juliana Roebuck*
Emergency Medical Technician Henry Harper Acton* Grayson Thomas Berger* Karen Bernardo-Zamora Whisker Adan Calhough Lillian Teresa Daleo Clark* Norah Elizabeth Comanighon Sierra Alexandra Crenshaw Michael Fernando Flores Rivas Jesse Garland Braeden Thomas Garrett* Zachary Austin Hall Sarah Jane Haney* Duke Maria Hernandez Aguilaz Aidan Richard Hopkins Kaleb Gene Humphries Joseph Spencer Just* Ryan Gregory Kennedy* Matthew Warren Klenworth Grace Noelle Kohler* Kean Jacob Macgill* Harrison Dornady Mitchell* Stewart Franklin Payne Laura Nicole Rubendall* Nehemiah Duane Allan Rutan Brittany Sanchez Alexandra Keam Snodgrass Amberly Deal Stancil* Jaden Davante Stepp* Colin James Thorp* Dilcia Johana Villavic David Eric Christian Zartler	Certified Nursing Assistant Joseline Alejandra Abundo Gomez @ Kamryn Brown Irma Juana Cedeño-Clare Elesia Latoya Cooper Charlotte Cox Leah Hope Marie Craig Helen Sofia Dominguez Kierstyn Leigh Jordan Frazier Kelvin Gonzalez Nora Valeria Guerra-Reinos Elizabeth Hayslett Alexis Kayles Henderson Kashaf Hidayat* Katrina Elizabeth Holland-Robinson TaMarah Jenkins Jaelle Jordan Keanuana Lee Jania Nicole Lindsay Savannah Brooke Marsh* Briana Mayen-Rodriguez Ariella Milstein Gabriela Alin Morales Karyah Lakiera-McNee Morrison Cintya Ordóñez-Padilla* Dulce Aracely Pena Mendez Genesis Abigail Pena Mendez # Lizbeth Giselle Quintanilla Flores Najay Reeves Stephanie Nicole Rivera-Cano Josselin Abigail Rosa-Castillo* Nachele Anoni Rusk Milet Alejandra Sanchez Dulce Sanchez-Ramirez* Haley Kane Shifflett Aaliyah Nicole Grace Williams	Fire Science Macy Joyden Rainbow Allmon Ky David Clancy* Ryan John Paul Dalp Carter Anderson Hall* Cameron Robert Leslie Ledgerwood Amontee Ryal McCoy* Leroy Hodges MacLachlan Myers* Derek Xander Pistor* Victor Kaino Valoval* Professional Culinary Arts Kaitlyn Renee Bishop* Jami Garcia Perez Maria De Los Angeles Gomez Dargann McClinton Lewis Jenna Karen Scholl Veterinary Science Collin Patrick Barnett* Ashara Naomi Brice* Josephine Annai Clay* Skylar Grace Davis Angelina Davis Kimberly Ruth Dodson* Jordan Elaine Foley* Destine Nicole Galling Victoria Rose Keller Judith Lopez-Chavez* Briana Taylor Marsh Angelina Martinez* Makenzie Helen Miller* Ashleen Hill Pearson Mackenzie Shay Powell* Kyla Rose* Megan Danielle Spradlin* Brianna Nicole Summers Desha Rielle Williams*
<small>* Completer with Distinction ~ CATEC Technical Education Honor Society @ Albemarle County Rotary Club Scholarship # CATEC Foundation Scholarship o Leslie Hughes Walton Foundation Scholarship</small>		



Charlotteville-Albemarle Technical Education Center (CATEC) celebrated 148 completing students' achievements at its Completer Ceremony on May 31 at the Martin Luther King Jr. Performing Arts Center. Students from eight CATEC high school programs, representing six local high schools, walked across the graduation stage at 7:00 pm.

Student speakers included Cosmetology student Nyonnika Carter, from Charlottesville High School.

Congratulations to the 2022 CATEC Completers!



Reconfiguration Update

Charlotteville Middle School Modernization

- Signed Contract by the City
- Following approval by the City Council, plans have been moving forward for the redesign of the current Buford Middle School into a modern middle school serving grades 6-8.
- Budget Allocation of \$68.8 million
- Planning will gear up this summer
- VMDO Architects is working closely with stakeholder to solicit input and complete design development by early August.



Pride Month



Why Pride Month is Important?

- Safe
- Affirmed
- Included
- Welcomed
- Respected