

2021 Regular Session

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 165

BY SENATOR WOMACK

COMMENDATIONS. Commends the Teacher of the Year from schools located in Senate District 32 on "Teacher of the Year Day" in the Louisiana Senate.

1 A RESOLUTION

2 To commend the Teacher of the Year from schools in Senate District 32 for exemplary and  
3 dedicated service on "Teacher of the Year Day" in the Louisiana Senate.

4 WHEREAS, excellence in teaching is the result of commitment, dedication,  
5 inspiration, patience, creativity, hard work, and the highest order of professional integrity;  
6 and

7 WHEREAS, research clearly demonstrates that teachers are paramount to student  
8 achievement and it has been estimated that a teacher has two to three times the impact of any  
9 other school factor; and

10 WHEREAS, Teacher of the Year programs were created as a means to publicly  
11 honor and recognize the critical role of instructional excellence in ensuring student success  
12 in school and in life; and

13 WHEREAS, the outstanding educators named Teacher of the Year for schools  
14 located in Senate District 32 are as follows:

15 Whitney McElroy, Caldwell Parish High School

16 Penny Buckalew, Caldwell Parish Junior High School

17 Krista Drummond, Union Central Elementary School

18 Tara Banks, Franklin Parish High School

