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## THE LINDALE INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT EDUCATING EVERY CHILD EVERY DAY

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## LINDALE HIGH SCHOOL TEACHER EARNS NATIONAL BOARD CERTIFICATION

## **PRESS RELEASE**

Lindale High School teacher, Renee Ramsey, has been recognized for her completion of the National Board for Professional Teaching Standards program. The National Board Certification is the most respected professional certification available in education and provides numerous benefits to teachers, students, and schools.

"I am so thankful for all of the support from my family, colleagues, and administration," said Ramsey. "They helped me in my journey to become a National Board Certified teacher."

The National Board Certification was designed to develop, retain and recognize accomplished teachers and to generate ongoing improvement in schools nationwide. Under the guidance and mentorship of Board-certified colleagues, candidates for Board certification submit evidence that their practice meets the Five Core Propositions and National Board Standards, a body of knowledge that is maintained by teachers. Practicing teachers, through a peer-review

process, then assess their submissions. Board certification, as in all other professions, is a hard-earned distinction practitioners bestow on each other.

"I enjoyed this challenge which helped me grow as an educator and further hone my classroom skills."

Eligible National Board Certified teachers will earn a Recognized designation on their Texas educator certificate.

"Mrs. Ramsey is a phenomenal educator," said Lindale High School Principal Jeremy Chilek. "She is very passionate about education."

Ramsey is an English and US History teacher at Lindale ISD. With this endorsement, she will receive extra compensation through Teacher Incentive Allotment funds from the state.

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