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# American School Counselor Association Announces 2018 RAMP Schools For immediate release – May 17, 2018

ALEXANDRIA, VA. – This year, 140 schools will receive the Recognized ASCA Model Program (RAMP) designation during a special ceremony at the American School Counselor Association's Annual Conference in Los Angeles, Calif. The schools will be honored on July 16, 2018, for making an exemplary commitment to comprehensive school counseling programs.

The RAMP designation, awarded for aligning with the criteria in the ASCA National Model, recognizes schools committed to delivering a comprehensive, data-driven school counseling program and an exemplary educational environment. Since the program's inception, more than 800 schools have been designated as RAMP recipients.

This year, Indiana surpassed the record number of RAMP designations for one state in a given year, with 69 schools receiving the honor. RAMP-designated schools are now in 40 states across the country. The RAMP designation is good for five years, after which time schools must reapply to maintain their RAMP status.

"This year's RAMP honorees have shown their commitment to students and the school counseling profession," said Jill Cook, ASCA assistant director. "These schools used data to drive their program development and implementation so all

students can achieve success. RAMP designation distinguishes these schools and encourages school counselors nationwide to strive for excellence."

The 2018 RAMP schools are:

## Alaska

Soldotna High School, Soldotna

# California

Livingston Middle School, Livingston

#### Colorado

Sagewood Middle School, Parker

#### **Florida**

Henry H. Filer Middle School (School of Distinction), Hialeah Herbert A. Ammons Middle School (School of Distinction), Miami Lamar Louise Curry Middle School, Miami Park Vista Community High School, Lake Worth Venetia Elementary School, Jacksonville

# Georgia

Crawford W. Long Middle School, Atlanta
Ferguson Elementary School (School of Distinction), Duluth
Georgia Connections Academy, Duluth
J.J. Daniell Middle School, Marietta
Lanier Middle School, Sugar Hill
Liberty Middle School, Cumming
M.H. Mason Elementary School, Duluth
McEachern High School, Powder Springs
Miller Elementary School, Warner Robins
Palmer Middle School, Kennesaw
Pebblebrook High School, Mableton
Shiloh Middle School, Snellville

#### Hawaii

Leihoku Elementary School, Waianae Makaha Elementary School, Waianae Waianae High School, Waianae

# Idaho

Lakevue Elementary School, Nampa South Junior High School, Boise

#### Illinois

John J. Lukancic Middle School, Romeoville Marine Leadership Academy at Ames, Chicago Romeoville High School, Romeoville Southside Occupational Academy, Chicago

#### Indiana

Bailly Elementary School, Chesterton Boone Grove High School, Valparaiso Brebeuf Jesuit Preparatory School, Indianapolis Brummitt Elementary School, Chesterton Cardinal Ritter High School, Indianapolis Caston Junior/Senior High School, Fulton Center Grove High School, Greenwood Central Elementary School, Indianapolis Central Elementary School, Beech Grove Chesterton High School, Chesterton Chesterton Middle School, Chesterton Connersville Middle School, Connersville Connersville Senior High School, Connersville Crown Point High School, Crown Point East Washington Elementary School, Pekin Eastbrook Elementary School, Indianapolis Fishback Creek Public Academy, Indianapolis Guion Creek Elementary School, Indianapolis Hamilton Heights Middle School, Arcadia Indiana Connections Academy, Indianapolis Jackson Elementary School, Valparaiso John Adams High School, South Bend Kesling Middle School, La Porte Klondike Middle School, West Lafayette Ladoga Elementary School, Lagoda Lake Central High School, St. John LaPorte High School, LaPorte Lawrence Central High School, Indianapolis Lawrence North High School, Indianapolis Lester B. Sommer Elementary School, Crawfordsville Liberty Elementary School, Chesterton Liberty Intermediate School, Chesterton Lincoln Middle School, Indianapolis Lowell Senior High School, Lowell Madison Consolidated Junior High School, Madison Martinsville High School, Martinsville Mishawaka High School, Mishawaka New Albany High School, New Albany New Augusta Public Academy South, Indianapolis New Market Elementary School, New Market Newton Yost Elementary School, Porter North Montgomery High School, Crawfordsville North Putnam High School, Roachdale

Northridge Middle School, Crawfordsville Oak Hill Elementary School, Lowell Plainfield Community Middle School, Plainfield Pleasant Hill Elementary School, Crawfordsville Prairie Heights Senior High School, LaGrange Providence Jr./Sr. High School, Pendleton Roachdale Elementary School, Roachdale Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic School, Fort Wayne Scottsburg Elementary School, Scottsburg Scottsburg Middle School, Scottsburg Snacks Crossing Elementary School, Indianapolis Southmont Jr. High School, Crawfordsville Southport High School, Indianapolis Southwestern Elementary School, Shelbyville Southwestern Junior Senior/High School, Shelbyville Union County High School, Liberty Vienna-Finley Elementary School, Scottsburg Walnut Elementary School, New Ross Westchester Intermediate School, Chesterton Western Boone Jr./Sr. High, Thorntown Western High School, Russiaville Wheeler High School, Valparaiso White River Valley Elementary School, Worthington White River Valley High School, Switz City White River Valley Middle School, Lyons Wilbur Wright Middle School, Munster

# Maryland

Calverton Elementary School, Beltsville Melwood Elementary School, Upper Marlboro

#### **Minnesota**

Capitol Hill Gifted and Talented Magnet, St. Paul Saint Paul Music Academy, St. Paul Washington Technology Magnet, St. Paul

#### Nevada

Lucile Bruner Elementary School (School of Distinction), Las Vegas

#### **New Jersev**

Arthur Stanlick Elementary School, Wharton Cozy Lake School, Oak Ridge Ellen T. Briggs Elementary School, Lake Hopatcong Estell Manor School, Estell Manor Jefferson Township High School, Oak Ridge White Rock Elementary School, Oak Ridge

#### **North Carolina**

Dillard Drive Middle School, Raleigh
Enloe Magnet High School, Raleigh
J.D. Clement Early College High School, Durham
Southern Alamance High School, Graham
Vernon Malone College & Career Academy, Raleigh
Wakefield High School, Raleigh
West Millbrook Middle School, Raleigh
Zebulon GT Magnet Middle School, Zebulon

# **North Dakota**

Red River High School, Grand Forks

#### Ohio

Ridgeview STEM Jr. High, Pickerington Wadsworth Middle School, Wadsworth

# Pennsylvania

Northley Middle School, Aston

#### **South Carolina**

Mauldin Elementary School, Simpsonville Richland Northeast High School, Columbia Taylors Elementary School, Taylors

#### **Texas**

Byron Nelson High School, Trophy Club

### Vermont

Thetford Academy, Thetford

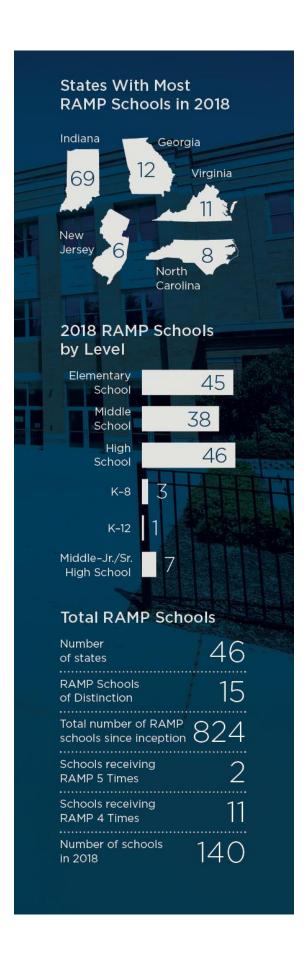
# Virginia

Albemarle High School, Charlottesville
Brookland Middle School, Henrico
Burke School, Burke
George P. Mullen Elementary School, Manassas
Hardin Reynolds Memorial School, Critz
Liberty Middle School, Clifton
South County High School, Lorton
Stone Hill Middle School, Ashburn
The Nokesville School, Nokesville
Thomas A. Edison High School, Alexandria
W.T. Woodson High School, Fairfax

#### Washington

Woodland Elementary School, Puyallup

**Wyoming**Greybull Middle School, Greybull



RAMP applications are reviewed once a year by a panel of school counseling professionals, who assess the school counseling programs in 12 different areas of expertise. The next submission deadline is Oct. 15, 2018. For more information on the program, visit www.schoolcounselor.org/ramp

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#### **About the American School Counselor Association**

The American School Counselor Association (ASCA) is a nonprofit, 501(c)(3) professional organization based in Alexandria, Va. ASCA promotes student success by expanding the image and influence of school counseling through leadership, advocacy, collaboration and systemic change. ASCA helps school counselors guide their students toward academic achievement, career planning and social/emotional development to help today's students become tomorrow's productive, contributing members of society. Founded in 1952, ASCA has a network of 51 state associations and a membership of nearly more than 32,000 school counseling professionals. For additional information on the American School Counselor Association, visit www.schoolcounselor.org.