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Celebrating Our National Board Certified Teacher All Stars!

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SPOKANE, WA – NorthEast Washington Educational Service District (NEWESD) 101 is proud to celebrate the 29 newly certified and 98 recertified National Board Certified Teachers representing 21 districts across our northeast Washington region!

This school year, Washington state placed 2nd in the country for the percentage of National Board Certified Teachers (NBCTs) at 20.23%. Additionally, our state ranked 3rd and 4th in the nation for the most recertified and new NBCTs (respectively), and FIRST in the nation for the number of NBCTs who maintained accreditation at 1,179.

"Every year, Washington state ranks highly when it comes to new and recertified teachers, and this year is no exception," said Robert Roettger, NEWESD 101 Superintendent. "We are so proud of our teachers in all of our Districts who continue to show their commitment through these achievements."

Of the 59 Districts represented supported by NEWESD 101, 45 have teachers that are certified by NBCT standards. Big congratulations to East Valley, Evergreen, and Spokane Public Schools for the commendable achievement of having at least 20% of their teachers hold National Board Certification in 2023.

To view list of newly certified and recertified National Board Certified Teachers in northeast Washington, click [here](#).

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About NorthEast Washington Educational Service District (NEWESD) 101

NEWESD 101 promotes educational excellence by delivering essential, cooperative services to 59 public school districts, 45 state-approved private schools and four charter schools across northeast Washington in Adams, Ferry, Lincoln, Pend Oreille, Spokane, Stevens and Whitman counties.

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