



BULLITT COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS
DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNICATIONS

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MEMO

TO: Bullitt County Board of Education

CC: Ange Burnett

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RE: **Student Recognitions: STLP State Winners**

Tonight, we are here to celebrate the incredible talent and 'vibrant learning' taking place within our classrooms. On April 24th, over 220 of our students took over Rupp Arena for the 2026 STLP State Championship. They didn't just attend; they led.

We had 12 schools represented—eight elementary and four middle—proving that the path to being future-ready starts early in Bullitt County. I would like to specifically recognize our state-ranking champions who stood at the top of a field of 20,000 participants:

- AI On-Demand: Hebron Middle: Liam Kellie (1st Place)
- AI On-Demand: Old Mill Elementary: Evelyn Wagner (1st Place)
- Racing to the Future: Hebron Middle: Anderson Maderic (1st Place)
- Logo Design: Hebron Middle: Devin Midkiff (2nd Place)
- Screenshot: Old Mill Elementary: Ainsley Lawrence (2nd Place)

These students are the living embodiment of our Graduate Profile. They are Effective Communicators who pitched complex ideas to expert judges. They are Innovative Problem Solvers who engineered solutions for real-world issues. And they are Community Contributors who use technology to advocate for vital causes like our 'Attendance Matters' campaign.

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To the staff members and coaches who dedicated countless hours to support these journeys: thank you. You are the engine behind this success.

To our students: you have proven that Bullitt County is a leader in digital literacy and innovation. You are truly 'Moving Forward,' and we could not be prouder of you.

Congratulations!

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