



# 2025 NATIONAL ESEA DISTINGUISHED SCHOOLS

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## CATEGORY 1

Exceptional student performance and academic growth

Arley, AL	Meek Elementary School
Tama, BIE	Meskwaki Settlement School
McClave, CO	McClave High School
Woodstock, GA	Carmel Elementary School
Montpelier, ID	AJ Winters Elementary School
Pocatello, ID	Edahow Elementary School
Avon, IN	Sycamore Elementary School
Cawker City, KS	Lakeside Elementary School
Opelousas, LA	Magnet Academy for Cultural Arts
Aberdeen, MD	Hall's Cross Roads Elementary School
Lanesborough, MA	Lanesborough Elementary School
Marysville, MI	Morton Elementary School
Duluth, MN	Harbor City International School
Puckett, MS	Puckett Elementary School
Hannibal, MO	Oakwood Elementary School
Bridgeport, NE	Bridgeport Elementary School
Loving, NM	Loving Elementary School
Kennedy, NY	Paul B.D. Temple Elementary School
Asheville, NC	West Buncombe Elementary School
Finley, ND	Finley-Sharon Elementary School
Hebron, ND	Hebron Elementary School
Steubenville, OH	Wells Academy
North, SC	North Middle/High School
Society Hill, SC	Rosenwald Elementary School
Tyndall, SD	Tyndall Elementary School
Memphis, TN	Medical District High School
Maryville, TN	Porter Elementary School
San Antonio, TX	IDEA Carver College Preparatory
Houston, TX	School of Science and Technology Advancement
Richmond, VA	Franklin Military Academy
Pasco, WA	Ruth Livingston Elementary School
Cashmere, WA	Vale Elementary School
Morgantown, WV	Mylan Park Elementary School
Waukesha, WI	Banting Elementary School
Milwaukee, WI	Hmong American Peace Academy
Cheyenne, WY	PODER Academy

## CATEGORY 2

Closing the achievement gap between student groups

Peach Springs, AZ	Valentine Elementary School
Norwich, KS	Norwich Elementary School
Herndon, KY	South Christian Elementary School
Baton Rouge, LA	Liberty Magnet High School
Lexington Park, MD	George Washington Carver Elementary School
Ackerman, MS	Ackerman Elementary School
Goodman, MO	Goodman Elementary School
Omaha, NE	Adams Elementary School
Star Lake, NY	Clifton-Fine Central School
Fayetteville, NC	Seventy-First Classical Middle School
Cuyahoga Heights, OH	Cuyahoga Heights Elementary School
Sterling, VA	Park View High School
Cheyenne, WY	Alta Vista Elementary

## CATEGORY 3

Excellence in serving special populations of students (e.g., homeless, migrant, English learners, etc.)

Tuscumbia, AL	New Bethel Elementary School
Fort Difiante, AZ	Window Rock High School
Choctaw, BIE	Pearl River Elementary School
Denver, CO	DSST: Cedar Middle School
Norcross, GA	Paul Duke STEM High School
Speedway, IN	Frank H. Wheeler Elementary School 4
Crofton, KY	Crofton Elementary School
Everett, MA	Webster School School
Warren, MI	Frontier International Academy - Elementary
Mankato, MN	Franklin Elementary School
Jersey City, NJ	Golden Door Charter School
Belen, NM	Dennis Chavez Elementary
Milbank, SD	Milbank Elementary School
Hyrum, UT	Lincoln Elementary School