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The Northshore School District is excited to share that 17 Northshore educators recently achieved National Board Certification.

Please let us know if we can be of further assistance.

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Northshore Educators Achieve National Board Certification

Bothell, Wash. – Seventeen Northshore educators recently achieved National Board Certification. The Northshore School District now has 188 National Board Certified Teachers districtwide.

National Board certification is recognized as the gold standard in teacher certification believing higher standards for teachers mean better learning for students. The certification process is designed to develop, retain, and recognize accomplished teachers, as well as generate ongoing improvement in schools. National Board Certified Teachers must successfully complete four components which are reviewed by trained teachers in their certification area. The components include three online portfolio entries and a computer-based assessment taken at a testing center. The following are Northshore's newly certified National Board educators:

- Jillian Bennett, Science/Early Adolescence
- Shelley Heathman, Generalist/Early Childhood
- Sarah Phillips, English as New Language/Early and Middle Childhood
- Molly Kutsick, Mathematics/Early Adolescence
- Lauryn Doty, English Language Arts/Early Adolescence
- Kathryn Hicks, Mathematics/Early Adolescence
- Lindsey Yates, Mathematics/Early Adolescence
- Ardath Miller, Exceptional Needs Specialist/Early Childhood through Young Adulthood
- Kendra Hoerst, English Language Arts/Early Adolescence
- Magdalene Oruoja, Exceptional Needs Specialist/Early Childhood through Young Adulthood

- Elizabeth Feuer, Exceptional Needs Specialist/Early Childhood through Young Adulthood
- Lindsay Moffitt, Mathematics/Adolescence and Young Adulthood
- Cynthia Klemczyk, Science/Early Adolescence
- Catlyn Caldart, Exceptional Needs Specialist/Early Childhood through Young Adulthood
- John Messner, Social Studies-History/Adolescence and Young Adulthood
- Brittany Martin, Art/Early Adolescence through Young Adulthood
- Alicia Herron, Generalist/Middle Childhood

Earlier this school year, [13 Northshore educators earned National Board Certification renewal.](#)

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