



Cherokee County School District's Exemplary ESOL Teacher



Coury Frush
E.T. Booth Middle School



Mr. Frush has taught ESOL for two years, and during that time, he has demonstrated exceptional dedication, skill, and passion serving multilingual learners. His commitment to his students is evident in every aspect of his teaching, and he consistently employs high-impact strategies and designs lessons that effectively convey content, engage students, and involve them deeply in the learning experience. His classroom environment is nurturing and inclusive where all students feel accepted and valued.

Mr. Frush serves as a school wide leader and advocate for multilingual learners. His initiative to lead professional development sessions for non-ESOL teachers, educating them about the unique needs and expectations of language development has fostered a culture of understanding and has inspired others throughout the school community. His innovative approaches, advocacy efforts, and unwavering commitment to the well-being and academic achievement of multilingual learners embody the qualities of an exemplary educator.

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Each year, one exemplary ESOL teacher serving and supporting English learners is selected from each district. Mr. Frush will be recognized on GaDOE social media, websites, and conference platforms and receive a Certificate of Recognition from State School Superintendent, Richard Woods.

Requirements

- ESOL certified/endorsed teacher currenting teaching ELs
- Demonstrates leadership, perseverance, and commitment to making a difference in the school, community, and lives of students