Wheatland Elementary Receives Special Award

As the Superintendent of Schools, it is my pleasure to announce that Wheatland Elementary School has been recognized by the Kansas State Department of Education as being among the top 5% of elementary schools in Kansas and is a recipient of the 2011 Governor's Achievement Award. WES is one of 43 elementary schools in the state to receive this prestigious award. To qualify for the award, the school must:

- Achieve the Standard of Excellence in both reading and math;
- Make Adequate Yearly Progress in both reading and math plus maintain an attendance rate of at least 90%;
- Have scored in the top 5% on both the Kansas State Reading Assessment and the Kansas State Math Assessment.

This award is a tribute to the efforts and dedication of our students and staff members. It also speaks highly of the parents and the Wheatland communities in general. High levels of achievement are not possible without the support and involvement of parents and community. I congratulate the students, staff and communities for this outstanding accomplishment.