



**Maryland Educators of Gifted Students, Inc.**

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**MARYLAND EDUCATORS RECEIVE MEGGY AWARDS FROM THE MARYLAND  
EDUCATORS OF GIFTED STUDENTS' ORGANIZATION**

Columbia, Maryland - Four Maryland educators receive 2023 MEGGY Awards! This annual award recognizes educators who demonstrate exemplary commitment and contribution to the field of gifted and talented education and to highly able students in the state of Maryland. Administrators were delighted that their teachers were honored with this award!

This year's MEGGY Award recipients represent Frederick County Public Schools and Prince George's County Public Schools.

The recipient in the category of "Gifted and Talented Education Curriculum" is as follows:

- Anna Gurnett, Office of Advanced Academics, Frederick County Public Schools.

The recipient in the category of "Outstanding Educator in the Field of Gifted and Talented Education" is as follows:

- George Milan, Kenmoor Middle School, Prince George's County Public Schools.

The MEGGY Award recipients in the category of "Providing Learning Environments that include Opportunities for Students to Demonstrate Academic and/or Creative Talent" are as follows:

- Erica Bair, Longfields Elementary School, Prince George's County Public Schools.
- Janet Viana Clarke-Green, Benjamin Tasker Middle School, Prince George's County Public Schools.

The Maryland Educators of Gifted Students recognized MEGGY Award recipients with a certificate, monetary award, photograph on the organization's website ([www.megs.org](http://www.megs.org)), and recognition at the annual Maryland State Conference on Gifted and Talented Education Conference, which held its virtual "kick-off" on October 20, 2023.

Educators who receive this award must be nominated by a colleague or administrator and must work in public or private educational settings in Maryland.