

September 2018 Student of the Month

Student		Staff Member	Why are you selecting this student?
Luke	Allman	Ryan Hendryx	Luke did an excellent job of studying for his Unit 1 Test, and his grade reflected that effort. Luke is taking responsibility over his education, and is doing an excellent job in Biology.
Sahabi	Ansari	Cindy Heckel	He really works hard to understand the material. Is always willing to ask for help and to come in for extra help during Star, before school, and during study hall. Love his effort! ...And it is paying off!
Lyra	Bailey	Connie Poston	In the short time I have known Lyra she has impressed me with the level of responsibility she demonstrates in all she does. Lyra is one of those students who pushes herself academically and has set large goals for herself. She is the epitome of responsibility!
Stephanie	Baker	Andrea Teevan	Stephanie goes above and beyond to get things done in and out of the classroom. She has taken a Leadership role in Hosa and thrives when tasked with a task. She truly is a responsible student.
Stephanie	Baker	Danielle Myers	Stephanie is always willing to help anyone who needs it and she greets everyone with a smile.
Louis	Bell	Cynthia Cullom	Louis was new to Center Grove last year as a junior, however, he quickly adapted to CG and is well respected by his peers. Being a minority student, he has adjusted to being a small group represented at CG. I had the opportunity to witness a student question his intelligence last year and he handled the situation with grace. He truly is a bright young man with a great future ahead of him.
Charlie	Bemis	Heather L Hart	After being absent, Charlie checked canvas, watched the instructional video, filled out his note guide and completed his homework all before coming back to class. Great Job!!!!
Elizabeth	Boas	Heidi Shackelford	Elizabeth is a very responsible young lady. Because of this trait she is also reliable. As my TA, she jumps in when needed and is proactive about asking where she can be useful. She will help with students as well as just basic classroom needs. I can count on her. This is a great quality to have! :)
Morning (her name as listed in Skyward is Vivian)	Bolger	Lauren Widbin	Morning has repeatedly shown responsibility through communicating with me via email. When she was absent, she emailed ahead of her return to schedule a meeting with me during STaR so that she could get caught up. When she has had questions, she has not hesitated to email me or speak with me at school to clarify her understanding so that she can complete her work to her best ability. I appreciate her responsibility in taking ownership over her learning through email and in person communication!

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Brianna	Brown	Angela Chaplin	Student took on responsibility to see me at the beginning of the year to make sure she is on course for her Associate's degree in the EC program. She thinks it is now time to get serious and willing to do what it takes to achieve that goal. In previous semesters she has earned mostly "C's and B's". She currently has all "A's and 2 - B+'s". She is doing a FANTASTIC job of getting back on course.
Jacob	Bruce	Lesley McDougal	Great leadership in our college literature class, Lit 100!
Drake	Buchanan	Michele De Luna	He worked very hard to prepare for missing school for a National Team trip.
Cameron	Buckmaster	John Moore	Cameron is always prepared for class. He completes his homework assignments and is ready to ask and answer questions about them. He also prepares well for tests and quizzes.
Lee	Burleson	Kadi Miller	Lee is a wonderful student! He always comes to class ready to work to make his artwork the best it can be. He will also work on it out of class and really go above and beyond for the project. I've enjoyed having him in class, and I can't wait to see the art he makes throughout the semester!
Aleecia	Canary	Hannah Dodson	Ally has had a rough start to the school year. She is battling severe allergic reactions to an unknown source and has missed multiple days of school. She never lets her health become an excuse; she works hard to communicate with me about missed assignments and turn in her missing work.
Olivia	Cantrell	Jennifer Pickell	Olivia not only does a great job in the classroom, but she is involved in many activities and takes on duties effortlessly and follows through on her commitments.
Elayna	Cantrell	Jessica Goodman	Elayna is an incredibly responsible student. Her goal is to do well and be successful in her academics. But outside of academics she shows maturity and responsibility as well! She has so many activities that she is involved with, but she makes time to keep up her grades, be kind and caring to others, and set a great example at CG.
Breanna	Carlson	Dawna Montgomery	Has been a huge help with a special needs student in the foods lab. She was not asked, but took it upon herself to always be his assistant. That is so helpful for me with all the students I have in my classroom.
Jacob	Casey	Holly White	His family has suffered many hardships throughout his high school years, yet he continues to come to school, he tries as hard as he can to complete all of his homework to the best of his ability, he always has a good attitude, he volunteers with Special Olympics, ...

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Mitsuki	Chimura	Erin McNeill	Mitsuki speaks three languages. She is always available to help translate English to Spanish or Japanese and always volunteers to take responsibility for showing her new classmates how to navigate CGHS. Our ENL program would be lost without this student.
Da'Shawn	Clark	Michael Fellow	Student took extra time to ask for clarification on an assignment to make sure he understood the assignment and was willing to go back and make the needed corrections to improve his understanding of the content.
Ana	Cook	Kevin Schuessler	Her incredibly positive attitude when working with others and even on the hot parking lot after school during rehearsals! She never lets her talent override her ability to be compassionate for others.
Dylan	Cravens	Jonathan Rogers	Dylan missed school for a time this month but was very prompt in making up a test. He was dedicated and took the test in STaR. His performance is strong in my class and he has shown that he takes his responsibilities seriously
Catherine	Crowder	BettieBedan	I had Catherine in class last year in Honors Algebra 2. Catherine was frequently absent due to health issues. She was always extremely responsible about make up work. Catherine always had her homework completed when she returned. If Catherine had questions about it, she asked. Catherine always scheduled her make up tests and quizzes in a timely manner.
Carter	Dillon	Mike Bishop	This student helps me out without being asked and takes care of the work without needing oversight. She's awesome!
Audrey	Djuricich	Jane McMurrer	Audrey take full responsibility for her actions in class and out of class. She is 100% prepared every day while always being thoughtful and respectful of her classmates and of her teacher.
Audrey	Djuricich	Samantha McDaniel	Audrey has done an outstanding job transitioning to the high school. She is always on top of her homework, knowing what she needs to work on during study hall and reaches out for extra assistance without any prompting as well. Great job!!!
Bailey	Dodson	Meaghan Krukemeier	Bailey is always so on top of things! She has been very proactive with her college plans, and makes sure that she has everything aligned perfectly. She is one of the most responsible seniors that I have the pleasure of working with! Good Work, Bailey!
Sierra	Downey	Cindy Coakley-Vidal	She is the kind of Spanish student who goes beyond class activities and calls her friend in Spanish IV in another district to practice speaking Spanish. She also recently e-mailed me to let me know she got a point less than what I entered in Skyward on her quiz.

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Elena	Eberwine	Jennifer Dice	Elena is one of the dance captains in Sound System. She is also on the dance team and is one of the most responsible students I have. She is always in communication with me regarding conflicts and makes up material missed on her own prior to the next rehearsal. In addition, Elena is a great leader with a servant to help her classmates improve!
Luis	Escobar	Cale Hoover	Luis is consistently engaged in class and never hesitates to ask questions when needing clarification. He is excellent at asking for help when needed. He has clearly taken responsibility for his education.
Luis	Escobar	Veerkamp	Luis worked diligently and was very responsible during Anatomy last year. He always took responsibility for what he did or did not get done. He did his best. I liked that so much about him that he is my student aide this year! I knew he would be very careful and responsible in doing the tasks I asked. Great young man.
Griffin	Finchum	Elsner	He was very proactive about missing a test for choir and even offered to take it in advance
Lilly	Fischer	Duncan Baumgart	She works hard, comes in for help regularly, asks a TON of questions, and does basically what a teacher wishes all their students would do.
Megan	Fosnot	Jenna Carroll	Meg is an athlete on the girls golf team and has had to miss my class on occasion to participate in tournaments. Meg has shown great responsibility in asking me what she is going to be missing in class, going as far as to ask me to send work in advance if possible. She is proactive, asks questions when she is out of class via Canvas, and is always caught up when she returns to class. She is a responsible young woman and a pleasure to have in class!
Meg	Fosnot	Julie Coyne	Meg has had to miss my class for golf a few times this year. She always lets me know she will gone and is prepared for class when she returns. Great job Meg!!!
Brandon	Fritz	Joe Siderewicz	Brandon is not only very responsible but very mature for his age. Brandon always has his assignments complete and his answers are in great detail. He participates in class discussion each day and is truly a class leader. Brandon showed great responsible on "Meet The Teacher" night by not only coming but bringing his Grandmother, who is in wheelchair, so that she could attend as well!

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Ashlyn	Glover	Stephanie Paul	I am so proud to nominate Ashlyn Glover for student of the month specifically for her responsibility. She is a remarkable young lady who is extremely responsible! She is currently a straight "A" student (I just checked her grades), active member and leader in Show Choir, and she dances more than 10 hours a week at the Dance Refinery. She accomplishes all these things with such grace and apparent ease...she makes it all seem so easy! I can't begin to imagine how she keeps track of everything and meets all her deadlines, but she does! What's even more impressive is that she maintains all these things like a professional. She participates in each activity to her fullest and gives 110 percent to each and every single thing she's involved in. She is kind, well spoken, helpful, dependable, and RESPONSIBLE! I could not be more proud of this young lady and all her accomplishments!
Dylan	Godsave	Kara Heichelbech	Dylan was very responsible regarding his seat waiver. He was absent for a few days to participate in an amazing learning opportunity. His grades were low due to missing assignments, but we agreed he could earn his seat waiver back once the assignments were submitted. He was not only responsible with his make-up work, but he was also responsible with his seat waiver privilege. I was very proud of him!
Tyler	Greene	Janet Washburn	Tyler is always prepared for Spanish class and participates often.
Josh	Hatfield	Jeff Buckmaster	Josh is one of the most responsible young men I have had in class. He goes about his business in a mechanical fashion. You never have to ask Josh something twice, or do I have to worry that he will not be prepared for all his classes. He has done a great job in high school and is well prepared for college.
Jacqueline	Henderson	Ashlee Vitz	Jacqueline, or Jack Skelington as I have dubbed her, is a beautifully responsible student both in French class and in drama. She is always prepared with a positive attitude and willing spirit when she walks into class. Even though she catches onto French quickly, she always uses her class time to either work on French or help her classmates if they are still struggling. On top of this, she has all but become my secretary for drama. She makes reminders, helps me to stay focused when I'm trying to put out a dozen metaphorical fires at once, checks in with me, and does absolutely anything I ask her to help out. She impresses me every day. I am wildly proud of her and she is extremely deserving of this honor.
Kerysten "Jaide"	Hey	Laura Johnson	I am very proud of Jaide. She has taken on the responsibility that she is the only one that can assure that she graduates in the Spring. Her progress is soaring and she keeps pushing herself to succeed her goal.

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Jaclyn	Hickman	Rebecca Gant	Jaclyn is always on top of her work and makes time to visit during STaR if she has any questions or wants to go over items we are learning. She keeps her papers organized and ready to go, and her grades show her excellent responsible attitude!
Emma	Hoffman	Barbara Gnagy	Emma is an excellent student. She manages her classwork along with the major time commitment that goes along with being a member of marching band. Emma never asks for special consideration or extra time to complete work. She lives up to her responsibilities and always does her best!
Sam	Hohlt	Kellie May	Sam does an Awesome job being a peer tutor. He is always prepared, willing to participate in any job/activity. Sam knows the routine and is proactive in assisting with preparing an activity or task. Sam is great with the students in my Life Skills class and genuinely a nice guy. My students look forward to Sam coming to class and enjoy interacting with him.
Carter	Holzer	Brent Schulz	Carter has shown great strides with his responsibility and effort towards class. He has taken on the course and has vast improvements within IED. The growth from the beginning of the semester until now had has a vast improvement and the responsibility I've seen is tremendous. Great job!
Seth	Jasek	Mr. Riley	Seth demonstrates responsibility by always asking excellent clarifying questions in Spanish class. I always stress the importance of asking questions when something is unclear or confusing, yet few students actually do so. This not only benefits Seth, but also other students in the class.
Kylie	Jenkins	Melissa Warner	Kylie missed three days of school earlier this semester. However, each day she was gone, she checked Canvas and emailed with questions or asking for clarification so she could stay caught up with class. She was proactive in asking for the notes we had done in class that day, and she returned with all of her work completed. In addition, every email she sent was respectful and professional, which is not always the case with student emails. It was very much appreciated!
Camryn	Johnson	Nathan Fry	Continually performing above expectation in Advanced Ceramics, and Advanced Drawing and Painting. Is not only on pace with her assignments, but is actually ahead of where she is supposed to be. Is a great role model for the Ceramics 1 Students: she is often helping them work through their problems in class. Also is doing well in Fiber 2 from what I have seen of her work.
Ethan	Jones	Adam Gaff	Ethan has worked very hard at not missing any more homework assignments this semester. He has focused on being the most responsible possible!

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Kayla	Liford	Ashley Bennett	Kayla has made sure to come in during star to get help before quizzes and tests in Algebra 2. I had Kayla last year in Algebra 1, second semester, she started to use star for help. This year she did not wait to get help from me.
Brianna	Limbrune	Catie Zenor	I am selecting Brianna because she takes initiative to complete work for the theater department and goes above and beyond what is asked of her.
Destiny	Lister	Amy Wingler	Destiny does everything in her power to keep up with her math work. It is always done and she utilizes her resource class to get help where needed.
Destiny	Lister	Cheyenne Gilbert	I am selecting this student for responsibility because she is a transfer and is only staying with us for a couple months but that doesn't stop her from working hard. She is always on time when turning in work, she helps other students with their work, and anytime she misses school she makes sure she talks to all her teachers about what she missed and gets it turned in as soon as possible. Destiny is very responsible and is very hard worker.
Kynzee (America)	Littell	Sommer Meyer	She is always prepared for class with her homework complete. She is willing to help others in the class & always volunteers answers. I enjoy having her in my biology class.
Ally	Lollar	Troy Dice	Always properly prepared for class with an attitude ready to learn
Alexa	Maki	Kelly McCarry	Alexa has come so far. She came to me today worried about missing this coming Friday for her brother's military graduation. She was concerned it wasn't excused and what she might miss by being out. She took the initiative to be a responsible student and make sure her absence would be okay.
Brandon	Martin	Kraig Kitts	Upon returning from a field trip, rather than sit in his class and hang out with his friends for the rest of that period, he came down to my room and started working on a project that the rest of his field trip classmates missed a day of work on.
Rebecca	May	Brooks Bowers	She has turned in all her work, has a 100% in class, and even arranged her job shadow even though we haven't gotten to that part of our curriculum yet. This exemplifies responsibility.
Sarah	Morrison	Tasha Vessely	Great TA, helping reorganize my storage space!
Ivana	Nguyen	Tracy Buck	Ivana is in my Internship program. She always turns in her time sheets and assignments on time. She is interning with a dermatologist and aspires to become a doctor some day.
Josephine	Nitschke	Alyssa Coleman	She has really stepped up since the start of school. Focusing better than ever in class, and working hard to stay up to date. Very proud of her!
Whitney	Nystrom	Wes Dodson	she is so on top of her work. she is going to be gone on a field trip in two weeks and is already trying to get her makeup work

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Ben	Oesher	Paul Clodfelter	He always responsible, completes his work, and is very contentious.
Abigail	Patton	Greg Valenta	Abigail consistently does highly detailed work and sets the standard for performance in our Computers in Design and Production class. She freely helps others who may need some assistance.
Sam	Petty	Mrs. Perkins	Sam took the opportunity to help me clean up trays that other students left behind on tables in the cafeteria. Thank you for being such a responsible student.
Michelle	Poe	Jared Norman	I am selecting Michelle Poe as my September student of the month because I believe that she always exemplifies responsibility. As an underclassman in Surround Sound, if I asked something of the group, Michelle would make sure that it would get accomplished. This in turn lead her to have the responsibility of costume manager during her junior year. She was always sure that everything was hung up properly and that all the costumes were put back in the closet at the end of a period or concert. In her senior year, she was selected as one of the company managers for Surround Sound and thus far has done an excellent job. She is one of my most responsible students and shows it every single day in class.
Kathryn	Porter	Debbie Nolan	I met Kathryn this summer when she was walking the halls and trying to find her classes. She is a freshman who moved to Center Grove schools last spring in eighth grade. She didn't know many people and was a little nervous. She has done a great job fitting into our school. She is using STAR to get passes for help and attending many club meetings. We have a new student who does not speak English. She sits by Kathryn who is doing a great job of making Diane feel welcome to our school. They use a translator on the iPad to discuss school, to answer questions, help with homework and to have social conversations. Kathryn saw a student in the room who was vaping. She wanted to let me know about it but was also worried about having students find out that she told me. She sent an e-mail to let me know. She has shown that she is responsible in many ways. Great job!
Kathryn	Porter	Drew Garrison	Kathryn has taken tremendous responsibility in trying to improve her math grade. She has been constantly asking questions, coming to STAR, and has been seeing a tutor to get extra help. Even though math has been a struggle, she has been an awesome advocate for herself in trying to raise her scores.
John	Prophet	Daniel Weems	His ability to stay focused and take responsibility for his education.
Shelby	Riddle	Adam Clark	Shelby has made a plan and has stuck with it every day. She is one of the students I trust the most. She is honest and trustworthy and is taking advantage of all opportunities presented to her this year. I am so proud of the growth she has made.

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Xander	Roedeske	Jaime Lidy	Xander is a 10th grader and has grown leaps and bounds since his 9th grade year. He struggled a lot last year with homework and social skills. Xander has AMAZING grades this year and has work so hard! His social skills have improved and he is really taking his academic seriously. He is so much more responsible and so worthy of this award!
Lindsey	Rose	Stuckmeyer	Lindsey is very responsible in all that she does. She is always prepared, engaged, and proactive in getting everything done that she needs. She is exceptional at communicating with teachers ahead of time and making sure she is on the same page with the expectation and it shines through in her success in class as well as her ability to be a responsible student and citizen.
Jackson	Schott	Becki Kerr	Jackson is not content to stay where he is. He is owning his education. He is setting goals for improving his grade. He has come into star and has gotten a "study partner". Keep up the good work, Jackson!
Hannah	Sendek	Josh Smith	She was responsible enough to ask for notes and homework for the week she will be out of school.
Andrew	Shaub	Alice Thompson	Andrew missed the day of a quiz. The very next class period we had, he came to me first thing and explained that he knew he had missed a quiz and immediately scheduled a time to make that quiz up. He showed up the next day with his pass and took the quiz. He was very responsible and knowledgeable about what he had missed and made sure he made the work up.
Margaret	Slover	Casey Tedrow	CG Lifesavers has been a team of teachers that walk in the AFSP Walk every year. However, there has been a recognition among those staff that students could/would also be involved if they knew about it AND that there is great concern for mental health issues for students at CG. The vision has been to start a club as a way for students to get involved. We wanted to have a booth at the Club Fair, for example. I asked one of my STaR students who came to the walk last year if she'd be willing to run the booth at the club fair. She was...and since she has taken off as a leader, developing plans for getting students involved, recruiting, helping to lead the callout meeting, drafting emails, and helping create a vision for what the club looks like. She has a passion for mental health awareness, and she is working diligently to provide a real resource for students to get involved with an important cause. That initiative, follow-through, creative thinking, and passion all speak to her responsibility.

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Jenna	Small	Josh Torres	Jenna has done an incredible job as the president of our Tri-M Music Club. She has scheduled several college professor visits and worked to create a wonderful plan for the entire year. Her leadership has been truly inspiring!
Trenton	Smith	Lisa Brinkman	Trenton has shown great effort and responsibility in his World Lit Class. He is asking for help when needed, participating in class discussions and completing assignments independently. I'm proud of Trenton for showing much improvement this month and I hope he keeps up the good work!
Kailyn	Spitler	Alan Hagedorn	Kailyn has a keen interest in learning. Learning is a self-responsibility. She understands that each individual is responsible for acquiring their own education. "The responsibility of knowing is sharing."
Veronica	Strange	Mr. Surface	Veronica has shown a great deal of responsibility by taking on the role of Captain of the Robotics Team, being a member of the Cross Country Team (a new sport for her), taking three AP classes her senior year, and maintaining a part-time job. But not only is she doing all of those things, she is thriving as an individual and student. Her participation in AP 12, on a daily basis, makes the class and her peers better. I am grateful to have her in class, and I believe she is deserving of Student of the Month.
Elena	Strube	Lindsay Miller	Isha shows responsibility in all aspects of school. You can rely on her to do what needs done and do it well. She has taken ownership of her service academy application process and made sure that each piece is done on time.
Chloe	Walsh	Chris Frampton	Chloe is ALWAYS prepared for class and is one of the most responsible students I have ever had. She has to miss class periods frequently due to a chronic illness, but is always on top of the material upon her return! It is clear that she spends a great deal of time and effort on her schoolwork and recognizes its importance!
Chloe	Walsh	James McAdams	Chloe is struggling with health issues and a busy school schedule, but she always emails when absent, comes to my room to pick up assignments and makes arrangements to catch up on missing work. I admire her responsibility and initiative!
Ryan	Ward	Eric Moore	One of the most responsible and hard working young men I have ever had in PE class
Emma	West	Courtney Gradert	Emma is one of the most responsible students I know. She always works hard to meet deadlines and is always studying for upcoming tests. She knows how to balance school and her job and still maintain awesome grades. The best trait about Emma is how she is so kind to others. She is a bright spot in my day and am so lucky to have her in class.

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Isaac	Wickham	Summer Ehresman	I have had Isaac in class for multiple years and he is a student I trust completely. He takes responsibility for his work in class, his share of partner projects, and his extra curricular activities as well. If he makes a mistake he admits it and then works on fixing it. As a teacher it is a pleasure to have Isaac in class!
Katy	Williams	Jennifer Casselman	Katy is very responsible when it comes to her school work, job training, and other areas throughout her day. She never needs reminders to complete homework assignments or missed work due to an absence. She reaches out to teachers through email if she has questions. During her job training experience she has shown improvement and was given the responsibility of running the cash register. Katy is also responsible for helping another student throughout the day - getting the student to and from classes, helping the student remember what they ate for lunch, and much more. When I think of what I want in a responsible student, I think of Katy!
Riley	Williams	Nick Lyon	After two Units, Riley has a perfect 100% in Algebra I.
Dave	Williamson	Karen Gerhart	Dave is a new student here at CG, and he seems as if he has transitioned well. He is very responsible in class. He always will volunteer--even when no one else will. He is outgoing, and he will always ask questions if he needs clarification. He emails at times if he needs clarification on homework too. And, he always has his homework completed. He is very responsible!
Justin	Xu	Karen Fruits	Justin is a very responsible student. He has always been available to help his classmates with their homework questions. He also took on the responsibility of teaching his classmates when I was absent. He is a very thoughtful person who will always step up to the plate to help others!