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Dear University Families,

It is with great pride that I share this celebratory news with you. We learned today that we have earned designation as a Four Star School for the 2016-2017 school year. We are one of four schools in MCCSC to receive this designation. Below I will share with you the article that can be found on the Indiana Department of Education website. Thank you for celebrating this with us. This achievement belongs to all of us. Parent involvement, participation, and support is an essential component of the success of University Elementary.

Sincerely,

Dr. Gretchen Morgan
Principal, University Elementary

Indiana Department of Education Announces 2016-2017 Four Star Schools
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INDIANAPOLIS – The Indiana Department of Education announced today the 2016-2017 Four Star Schools. The Four Star Schools designation is designed by the Department to recognize great schools in Indiana.

“Receiving designation as a Four Star School signifies a pursuit of academic excellence among students, educators, and the administration,” said Dr. Jennifer McCormick, Indiana Superintendent of Public Instruction. “I am honored to recognize these Four Star Schools for their hard work and dedication in preparing their students for a bright and prosperous future.”

The Four Star School Award has been in existence for 30 years. To receive Four Star designation, a school must receive an “A” on the state’s A-F accountability system, have excellent ISTEP pass rates, carry an overall high graduation rate (if applicable), and show success in closing achievement gaps. A total of 238 schools received the award.



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