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I would like to nominate, and recognize, Jessica Winslow for the I Love Teaching Award. Mrs. Winslow exudes a love of teaching. Everyone she comes in contact with knows how ardent she is about education.

Mrs. Winslow has energy that is unrivaled. She channels her energy into creating amazing learning experiences for her students and helping them to not only learn academically, but also become better people. Jessica has embraced the 7 Habits from Leader In Me in her own life and has been able to infuse them into her lessons. Because of this, her students understand the importance of applying the 7 Habits in their own lives. It is exciting to see how much passion the students have for learning and improving after having been in Mrs. Winslow's class for a year.

Mrs. Winslow's love for her students is demonstrated in so many ways. One particular way is through the time she takes to build individual relationships with her students. As she does so, a unique culture is created in her classroom where everyone comes together and synergizes for the success of all. Because Mrs. Winslow takes time to build relationships, her students see the value in doing so, and they follow her lead to build stronger relationships amongst themselves.

Jessica loves learning new strategies and techniques to use in her classroom. She is careful to evaluate new techniques and do what is best for students. When she learns something useful she is so enthusiastic to share it with colleagues and friends. As she does so, she helps them build their capacity while gleaned new insights on how to improve her teaching as well. Jessica inserts herself into all school activities and brings her energy to help create learning opportunities for everyone in the school and community. Her love of education is what continues to drive her to be a better teacher.

I can exuberantly recommend that Jessica Winslow receive the I Love Teaching Award. Her passion and energy for teaching and learning are contagious. She absolutely loves teaching and has been able to share that love with everyone she rubs shoulders with.

Sincerely

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