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EMPLOYEE RECOGNITION PROGRAM

## MEET THE April 2024 Winners



**Angela Faarup**

Special Education Teacher, DHS

Angela is housed at MJHS and works with our young adults who are 18+, working on life skills, advocacy and employability skills as they transition to adulthood and independence. For example, students do a non-paid internship with Moody Gardens working in various work skills such as food/beverage, laundry/housekeeping, retail/inventory, guest services and ticketing. Students participate in non-paid on the job experience at Goodwill. Vocational Rehabilitation Financial Management Contractor AEM, LLC. comes to the class to provide financial awareness activities on Fridays. Through the Christina Sullivan Foundation, students are provided cooking classes once a week for 6 weeks. All of this is arranged and managed by Angela, along with lessons she plans on IEP goals and skills that the students work on in class. Angela is making a BIG impact!

● Mr. Gary is one of our custodians on our campus, and he is truly such a gem of a person. He always so happy, positive, and kind. You can always catch him singing a tune while he is working, and it will bring a smile to your face. He is so friendly with the students and is so patient with all of our messes. He is retiring in March, and I want him to know that he has made an impact on our school and Dickinson ISD.



**Gary Steadman**

Custodian, BMS



**Frankie Williby**

Instructional SpEd Para,  
KELE

She goes above and beyond to when working with our SPED students. She makes sure our student are cared for, treated properly and accommodations are met. Ms. Williby assists all our students when they need help. She adapts quickly to whatever schedule changes may arise to ensure our students transition calmly with minimal issues. Ms. Williby shows kindness, patience, respect, and empathy with all staff and students on our campus. You can often find her sliding down the slides or chasing the students around on the playground during recess. You can tell she really cares about them as she helps them meet their goals at school.