



ELIZABETH PUBLIC SCHOOLS
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Dear Abraham Lincoln School No. 14 Community,

We are proud to announce our school's nominees for the Governor's Educator of the Year Program. This award highlights educational innovation, student achievement, exemplary teaching, and important services outside the classroom environment that lead to student success. This celebratory program recognizes our state's best teachers and educational services professionals who will be recognized at the Union County Office of Education.

We are proud to announce that the 2019 Governor's Teacher of the Year for Abraham Lincoln School No. 14 is Ms. Rossy McNamara. Ms. McNamara has served the students of Elizabeth Public Schools since 2006. She is currently our Kindergarten Bilingual teacher. She is very active in supporting and developing new teachers and has been instrumental in involving the community. Ms. McNamara is an advocate for all students, believes that all students can achieve excellence, and we are proud that she is part of the Abraham Lincoln Team!

The 2019 Governor's Educational Service Provider of the Year for Abraham Lincoln School No. 14 is Dr. Ruben Lambert. Dr. Lambert has served the students of Elizabeth Public Schools since 2014. Dr. Lambert currently serves as School No. 14's psychologist. He serves students who have social/emotional problems and counsels these students to react appropriately to their feelings. He interacts with parents on a daily basis and is regularly praised by parents, students, and staff members. His expertise and guidance in dealing with difficult situations has helped School No. 14's students and teachers soar. Dr. Lambert is a passionate educator and our school community is fortunate to have him as part of the Abraham Lincoln Team!

Please join us in celebrating these two amazing professionals for the work they have done, and continue to do, for our school community and district.

Sincerely,



John J. Byrne

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