

**RESOLUTION OF DISTINGUISHED RECOGNITION
2022 ALABAMA SCHOOL COUNSELING PROGRAM OF DISTINCTION
KIMBERLY POWELL AND NATALIE WARD
SCHOOL COUNSELORS
BELFOREST ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
BALDWIN COUNTY SCHOOL SYSTEM**

WHEREAS, the Alabama School Counseling Program of Distinction recognizes school counseling programs that demonstrate an exemplary level of implementation of a comprehensive, data-driven school counseling program; and

WHEREAS, the program components align with the Comprehensive Counseling and Guidance Model for Alabama Public Schools and the American School Counselor Association National Model; and

WHEREAS, comprehensive developmental school counseling programs are considered an integral part of the educational process that enables all students to achieve success in school; and

WHEREAS, the Alabama School Counselor Association recognizes Belforest Elementary School, Baldwin County School System, as a 2022 Alabama School Counseling Program of Distinction; and

WHEREAS, the American School Counselor Association (ASCA) recognizes Belforest Elementary School, Baldwin County School System, as a 2022 Recognized ASCA Model Program (RAMP):

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Alabama State Board of Education does hereby commend Kimberly Powell and Natalie Ward, the school counselors of Belforest Elementary School in the Baldwin County School System, on achieving the status of an Alabama School Counseling Program of Distinction in 2022.

Done this 12th day of October 2023