

## **RESOLUTION HONORING 2024 A+ COLLEGE READY SCHOOLS OF EXCELLENCE**

**WHEREAS**, A+ Education Partnership's A+ College Ready program, in partnership with the Alabama State Department of Education, recognizes schools that demonstrate exemplary implementation of A+ College Ready program components; and

**WHEREAS**, A+ College Ready proudly partners with secondary schools to raise academic expectations and instructional rigor, to empower school leadership to create strong academic school cultures, to support educators to deliver high-quality instruction in well-equipped classrooms, to prepare a diverse pipeline of students for challenging curricula, to open the doors to Advanced Placement coursework for all students, regardless of circumstance, and to increase student academic success, as evidenced by growth and achievement on the PSAT 8/9 and/or the number of qualifying scores on AP exams; and

**WHEREAS**, the high schools listed below met or exceeded their individual goals for qualifying scores on the spring 2024 Advanced Placement (AP) exams by increasing the number of AP qualifying scores; and

**WHEREAS**, the middle schools listed below met or exceeded their individual goals on the PSAT 8/9 exam; and

**WHEREAS**, A+ College Ready recognizes the Schools of Excellence for their outstanding academic achievement and unwavering ardent commitment to the A+ College Ready program goals:

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, That the Alabama State Board of Education does hereby commend the following schools on achieving the status of an A+ College Ready School of Excellence in 2024.

**Baldwin County School System**

Foley High School

**Birmingham City School System**

John Herbert Phillips Academy  
W.J. Christian School

**Etowah County School System**

Hokes Bluff Middle School

**Fort Payne City School System**

Fort Payne Middle School

**Hartselle City School System**

Hartselle High School  
Hartselle Jr High School

**St. Clair County School System**

Moody High School

**Walker County School System**

Bankhead Middle School

Done the 14th day of November 2024