



## Media Advisory

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### **Northwest ISD's Granger Elementary Named 2012 "School of Character," Students Recognized at School Assembly on Friday**

Kay Granger Elementary School, which earned the official "School of Character" designation on Wednesday, January 18, is hosting an awards assembly tomorrow, Friday, January 20, where students will receive academic awards and be recognized for being students with character.

- WHO:** Kay Granger Elementary School Students and Staff  
Nearly 400 students in third- through fifth-grades will participate in an assembly at 1:30 p.m. on Friday, January 20
- WHAT:** Kay Granger Elementary School is one of two elementary schools in Texas that earned the 2012 "School of Character" award by the Texas Elementary Principals and Supervisors Association (TEPSA). TEPSA made the announcement yesterday, and Granger Elementary will now be considered for recognition as a National School of Character.  
  
Staff and students will celebrate their School of Character honor at their Wrangler Round-Up awards ceremony where students receive awards for each grading period. Students will be wearing their school T-shirts that exemplify the campus culture that led to the School of Character honor. The shirts say "Be a Hero: Do the Right Thing." (see attached photos)
- WHEN:** Friday, January 20, 1:30 p.m.
- WHERE:** Northwest ISD's Kay Granger Elementary School  
12771 Saratoga Springs Circle  
Keller, 76244
- WHY:** In partnership with the Character Education Partnership (CEP), the State School of Character program recognizes elementary and middle schools demonstrating outstanding character education, reflecting positive results in classroom behavior and high-achieving academics. Granger Elementary will be recognized at a TEPSA district region meeting this spring.
- NOTE:** If you plan to attend the Wrangler Round-Up assembly, or if you need directions, call Lesley Weaver at 817-846-0145.

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