



THE CITY OF OKLAHOMA CITY

Resolution

WHEREAS, Lauren Yount has been named Teacher of the Month for December 2022 by The Oklahoma City Public Schools Foundation and Rotary Club of Oklahoma City; and

WHEREAS, Lauren is a Sixth and Seventh Grade Science and AVID teacher at Classen School of Advanced Studies Middle School, where she has developed her philosophy of creating equitable classrooms where both students and teachers are valued; and

WHEREAS, Lauren has acquired a Masters of Education in Teaching English as a Second Language from the University of Central Oklahoma, a Masters of Education in Higher Education from the University of Oklahoma and a Bachelors of Arts in Applied Communication from Oklahoma Baptist University; and

WHEREAS, Lauren became dually certified in early childhood and elementary education in 2015 and has since gained experience teaching various grades including Kindergarten, Second Grade, Fifth Grade, and now Sixth and Seventh Grade; and

WHEREAS, Lauren considers it her responsibility to meet her students where they are by providing a space where they know they are enough, where they can make mistakes, ask questions and learn together without fear of judgment; and

WHEREAS, Lauren truly believes that when a student knows they are supported by a teacher not only in the classroom but in all aspects of their life, it can greatly improve the student-teacher relationship.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Council of The City of Oklahoma City that they do hereby recognize and commend Lauren Yount on her selection as December 2022 Teacher of the Month by The Oklahoma City Public Schools Foundation and Rotary Club of Oklahoma City.

Adopted by the Council and Signed by the Mayor of The City of Oklahoma City this 6th day of December 2022.

Attest:

David Holt
Mayor David Holt

Amy K. Simpson
City Clerk

