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WESTSIDE HIGH SCHOOL EDUCATOR NAMED 2017 BIBB COUNTY TEACHER OF THE YEAR

October 10, 2016

MACON, GA – Dominique Nichols, a teacher from Westside High School, has been named the 2017 Bibb County Teacher of the Year. He was named Bibb's Teacher of the Year at an annual banquet celebrating Bibb County's 2016-2017 Teachers of the Year on Monday, October 10, at Mercer University.

Mr. Nichols has taught various English and Language Arts classes at Westside High School since 2013. Currently, he is teaching World Literature to sophomores and Advanced Placement Literature and Composition to seniors. He holds a Bachelor of Arts in English from Fort Valley State University and a Master of Arts in Teaching Secondary English Education from Georgia College and State University.

As Bibb County Teacher of the Year, Mr. Nichols will now compete for the title of 2018 Georgia Teacher of the Year. Other finalists for Bibb County Teacher of the Year were Ronny Fuerniss, Heritage Elementary School; Connie McCain, Rutland Middle School; Darryl Silas, Northeast High School; and Marissa Rondina, Rutland High School. Mr. Fuerniss was named runner-up for Bibb County Teacher of the Year.

Thank you to these organizations for supporting Bibb County's Teacher of the Year event!

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