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CCSD principal named Regional Principal of the Year by Magnet Schools of America

*Award recognizes principals' commitment to ensuring students achieve at high levels
through theme-based education*

LAS VEGAS – Magnet Schools of America (MSA) announced that Dr. Anne Grisham, principal of Sandy Searles Miller Academy for International Studies, has been named one of its 2015-16 Regional Principals of the Year. The annual award recognizes Magnet School principals from MSA's eight regions, who have demonstrated a strong commitment to maximizing learning opportunities for all students through theme-based education, while also setting high expectations within their schools and communities.

Dr. Grisham will be recognized during an awards ceremony at MSA's 34th National Conference, to be hosted by Miami-Dade County Public Schools in Miami on May 3-7, 2016. She is also in the running for the National Magnet School Principal of the Year award, which will be announced on the last day of the national conference.

Miller Academy for International Studies is an International Baccalaureate school with an emphasis on STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics). Honored every year since 2008 by MSA, the school recently received a 2015-16 MSA Magnet School of Excellence Award. The MSA Magnet School of Excellence Award is the top merit award category given to a select group of Magnet schools across the nation that have demonstrated the highest level of excellence in all facets of the merit award application.

This school year, the Clark County School District earned a record 25 merit awards from MSA. To see the list of CCSD schools who received merit awards and to learn more about MSA, visit magnet.edu.



Sandy Searles Miller Academy for International Studies Principal
Dr. Anne Grisham was named Regional Principal of the Year.

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