



March 25, 2013

Lewis Carter
Superintendent
Monroe County Schools
309 Emberton Street
Tompkinsville, KY 42167

Congratulations! We are proud to announce that the following school has been recognized as a **2012 NCEA Higher Performing School:**

Gamaliel Elementary

Recognition as an NCEA Higher Performing School indicates a school's deep commitment to raising student achievement and putting more students on the path to college and career readiness—regardless of socio-economic barriers or any other obstacles that might otherwise impede success. These schools stand out as shining examples of what can be achieved when staff, students and parents work together toward a unified goal of preparing students for life after high school.

To learn how we identify higher performing schools, visit the Kentucky page on our website at www.nc4ea.org.

Also available on our website:

- Online press kit
- Complete list of 2012 NCEA Higher Performing Schools for Kentucky
- College and Career Readiness Charts, school-level performance against our research-based College and Career Readiness Targets, for every public school in Kentucky

Thank you for your ongoing efforts to better serve your schools, teachers, and students.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Angela Hall Watkins". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Angela Hall Watkins
ACT, Client Relations