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UNIVERSITY VIEW ACADEMY NAMED A 2019 ASCEND MATH GOLD MEDAL RECIPIENT

Shreveport, LA 5/6/2019 Ascend Education announced today that University View Academy in Baton Rouge, LA will receive a 2019 Gold Medal.

The Gold Medal Award was established in 2010 to honor the schools or districts that best demonstrate a dedication to ensuring that all students become successful at math. The strategies employed by this year's Gold Medal honorees made use of Ascend Math, an online individualized math instructional resource, to accelerate math learning and improve standardized test scores.

University View Academy, a 100% virtual public school, stresses student engagement is a challenge since many middle and high schools students have limited supervision. Teachers found reports easy to track student progress and offer encouragement or remediation as needed. Within a month of using Ascend, students experienced level progression in their custom study plans with an average gain of nearly 52%.

In her submission for University View Academy Eugenia Cardozo wrote, "Students are beginning to "like math again" and are more self-confident and engaged!"

"Congratulations to University View Academy students for the perseverance and hard work that led to their exceptional results," said Kevin Briley, CEO of Ascend Education. "We are extremely proud of the important job the educators at University View Academy are doing to help their students succeed in math, gain confidence and positively advance in life."

University View Academy will be featured on the Ascend Math website throughout the next year. The complete honor roll can be viewed at http://ascendmath.com/gold_2019.

About Ascend Math®

Ascend Math is personalized online math instruction that provides each student with a unique study path through skill gaps at each level. Individual study plans are prescriptive, adaptive, and automatically assigned. In addition, Ascend Math provides all the interactive instruction each student needs. Students using Ascend fill skill gaps quickly and often improve one to two grade levels the first few months. Real time data makes progress monitoring easy and gives teachers a quick snapshot on what needs to happen next.

Ascend Math is written to rigorous state standards. Instruction is delivered in a logical math sequence and students can progress at their own pace and track their own progress and success. Ascend Math® is

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