

Mississippi Teachers honored at White House

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Jeanette Simmons of South Pontotoc Elementary School in the Pontotoc County School District received the Presidential Award for Excellence in Mathematics and Science Teaching. Amy Ellis of Starkville School District was the other recipient representing Mississippi. This year's awards were presented to teachers in grades K-6. "Jeanette Simmons is a great science teacher and she is very deserving of this award," said Anna Guntharp, principal at South Pontotoc Elementary.

Information was submitted by the Pontotoc School District.