



Highlights

282

Student Recipients



46

Participating Employers



10

Rutherford County Schools Participated



100%

Guaranteed Interviews



Summary

The purpose of the Work Ethic Distinction is to address the needs that industry has for employees who have both technical and employability/soft skills. The Work Ethic Distinction is a proactive solution to the challenge employers have in hiring individuals who are prepared for the world of work. Students who obtain this distinction are proving that they are both college and career ready. To receive the Work Ethic Distinction a student must earn a minimum of 20 points out of a possible 40 points on the industry developed employability standards and a regular high school diploma. Earning a Work Ethic Distinction and meeting job-related requirements will guarantee an interview with participating Rutherford County employers.

The Rutherford County Chamber and Rutherford Works are partnering with Rutherford County Schools to support students earning this distinction by recruiting companies who will guarantee an interview to students who have earned this distinction and who meet the job specific requirements for an open position.

Who Earned It

Blackman	34	Holloway	3	Riverdale	32
Central Magnet	82	LaVergne	31	Siegel	31
Eagleville	5	Oakland	19	Smyrna	25
				Stewarts Creek	20

