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## **West Main Elementary Choir Receives a Superior Rating at Plano Music Festival**



Lancaster, TX/Lancaster ISD

On Monday, April 29, 2013, 32 students from the West Main Elementary Choir received a 1<sup>st</sup> Division "Superior" rating at the Pride of Texas Music Festival in Plano, Texas.

Choirs and bands competed in the festival throughout the day; the competition for each group was its music. The West Main Choir performed a two-part arrangement of Circle of Life with "Nant' Ingonyama" from Disney's The Lion King and Jackson 5 two-part medley arrangement of, "I Want You Back / ABC."

The choir performed before a panel of three judges in which each judge used the following rubric to rate how well the music was performed - I (Superior), II (Excellent), III (Good), IV (Fair), and V (Poor).

Congratulations to the following West Main Elementary Choir students for receiving a 1<sup>st</sup> Division "Superior" rating at the Pride of Texas Music Festival!

### **Grade Levels for the West Main Choir ranged from 2<sup>nd</sup> – 4<sup>th</sup>**

Allison Alexander	Arryon Allen
Brice Boyer	Cameron Boyer
Jamia Byars	Leslie Compean
James Davis	Jatalia Dears
Tony Evans	Breanna Fisher
Christalyn Ford	Ann Franklin
A'NyJah Gay	Kayla Harris
Daelan Houston	Anita Izaguirre
Michael Lundy	Maxwell Makey
Victoria Martinez	Courtney Massingill
Karina Meza	Jamaya Parker



James Parker  
Khari Powell  
Nicole Solorio  
Capreecia Stanley  
Nelson Vanegas

Tristan Pless  
A'Kera Reed  
De' Ericka Spencer  
Abraham Vanegas  
Stewart Williams

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