

## Senate Resolution 32

By: Senators Miller of the 49th, Wilkinson of the 50th, Unterman of the 45th, Gooch of the 51st and Ginn of the 47th

## A RESOLUTION

1 Commending Amanda Studer, Gainesville City School System's 2018-2019 Teacher of the  
2 Year; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, nothing is more vital to the future of our state than the education of our young  
4 people, and Amanda Studer exemplifies the selfless dedication that is characteristic of our  
5 finest teachers; and

6 WHEREAS, Amanda earned a bachelor's degree in business marketing from North Georgia  
7 College & State University, now the University of North Georgia, in 2004, and a master's  
8 degree in early childhood education from Brenau University in 2009; and

9 WHEREAS, she began her professional teaching career with Gainesville City Schools in  
10 2010, teaching third grade, and has earned certifications and endorsements in special  
11 education curriculum, English for Speakers of Other Languages, and reading; and

12 WHEREAS, Amanda instills confidence in her students by creating and sustaining a safe  
13 space in her classroom so her students feel secure to make mistakes and to learn from them;  
14 knowing teachers have a huge impact on how students see themselves, she teaches  
15 perseverance while celebrating strengths and successes; and

16 WHEREAS, beyond her classroom duties, Amanda has served as a grade level chair and  
17 intern supervisor and has served on a social committee, leadership team, and school  
18 governance council, all confirming her outstanding dedication to her school, system, and  
19 profession; and

20 WHEREAS, Amanda Studer has been honored with numerous awards for teaching  
21 excellence, including the Master in Teaching award by Featherbone Community, Mundy  
22 Mill Learning Academy Teacher of the Year, and Gainesville City School System's Teacher  
23 of the Year for 2018-2019; and

24 WHEREAS, in recognition of such remarkable contributions to the education and welfare  
25 of Georgia's students, it is abundantly fitting and proper for this body to honor the  
26 extraordinary accomplishments and academic achievements of this outstanding educator.

27 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body  
28 commend Amanda Studer, Gainesville City School System's 2018-2019 Teacher of the Year,  
29 and express their most sincere best wishes for continued success.

30 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed  
31 to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to Amanda Studer.