

Senate Resolution 547

By: Senators Orrock of the 36th, Dixon of the 45th, Hickman of the 4th, Halpern of the 39th,
Parent of the 42nd and others

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Commending Christy Todd, the 2024 Georgia Teacher of the Year; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, nothing is more vital to the future of our state than the education of our young
3 people, and Christy Todd exemplifies the selfless dedication that is characteristic of our
4 finest teachers; and
- 5 WHEREAS, Christy Todd is a highly praised music technology teacher at Rising Starr
6 Middle School, tirelessly directing an extraordinary amount of time and talent toward
7 guiding students to a brighter future; and
- 8 WHEREAS, Christy Todd has earned distinction for teaching excellence as a result of her
9 dedication to her students and her profession and has been honored as the 2024 Georgia
10 Teacher of the Year; and
- 11 WHEREAS, as the 2024 Georgia Teacher of the Year, she will speak to the public about the
12 teaching profession, serve as an ex-officio member of the State Board of Education, and
13 participate in the competitive selection process for the 2024 National Teacher of the Year;
14 and

15 WHEREAS, in addition to her work as a teacher, she has further served as the founder of the
16 Fayette County Public Schools' Community for Creativity (CFC) initiative, through which
17 students can learn how to create songs, podcasts, videos, audiobooks, and more; and

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

21 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
22 commend Christy Todd, the 2024 Georgia Teacher of the Year, and express their most
23 sincere best wishes for continued success.

24 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
25 to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to Christy Todd.