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## **NEWS RELEASE**

## Franklin Public Schools Honors Franklin Fire Department & Franklin Health Department

The Franklin Public Schools Board of Education recently recognized the **Franklin Fire Department** and **Franklin Health Department** for their support of the district's schools.

The company was honored as part of the <u>Wisconsin Association of School Boards 2025 Business</u>
<u>Honor Roll program</u>. The program recognizes local school district business partners that support their local schools by providing resources or additional learning opportunities for students and staff.

Over the past school year, it has been exciting to see partnerships with two city departments grow and have our students gain real life experience in specialized career areas. The **City of Franklin Fire Department** started a cadet program this past school year and had 3 students participate. They were able to get first hand experience of what this career entails and that experience will be invaluable to their future career planning decisions.

Additionally, the **City of Franklin Public Health Department** took on 2 student interns. These interns got to see the inner workings of public health.

"These invaluable experiences have helped students make a better decision for their future," shared **Andy Thompson**, Community Experience Coordinator. "We very much appreciate these opportunities with the City of Franklin for our students!"

Franklin Public Schools is honored to acknowledge the **Franklin Fire Department and City of Franklin Health Department** for their generous support in helping to prepare the students of our community to be our future leaders.



L-R: Ann Sepersky (FPS), Debbie Larson (FPS), Maqsood Khan (FPS), Andy Thompson (FPS Community Experience Coordinator), Shannon Anthoine (Franklin Fire Dept), Mike Spragg (FPS), Angie Bier (FPS), Mary Yank (FPS)



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