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### McAuley's DeVoto Recognized as Nobel Educator

Mother McAuley Social Science teacher Mary DeVoto has been selected as a Claes Nobel Educator of Distinction by the National Society of High School Scholars (NSHSS). A role model to pupils, DeVoto was nominated by sophomore Taylor Jones for outstanding dedication and commitment to excellence in teaching. The Claes Nobel Educator of Distinction Award recognizes teachers who have made a lasting difference in their classrooms by encouraging students to strive for excellence. Ms. DeVoto has served the McAuley Community in the Social Science department for 25 years.

This award, bestowed by the Society upon the recommendation of a student member of the NSHSS, gives the students the opportunity to recognize and thank their academic mentors. "Dedicated educators who exhibit a commitment to excellence deserve our highest praise and appreciation," said NSHSS Chair Claes Nobel. The National Society of High School Scholars was established by Mr. Nobel, a senior member of the family which established the Nobel Prizes. Currently there are more than 300,000 Society members in over 50 countries. NSHSS also provides scholarship opportunities for deserving young people.

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