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WSE Teacher Is Finalist for Award

Walnut Springs Elementary Facilitator for Learning and Innovation Marisa Vickery is one of three statewide finalists for the "High Impact Teacher of the Year" award presented by TCEA.

Mrs. Vickery has taught at Walnut Springs Elementary for eight years and 18 years overall. At WSE she is in her fourth year as Facilitator of Learning and Innovation, a role that includes serving as a resource for teachers to assist with instructional strategies, overseeing the school's library functions, and leading campus technology initiatives. Previously Mrs. Vickery taught kindergarten and first grade at the school. Before coming to DSISD she spent five years in Austin ISD. She also taught Computer Design at the middle school level in San Diego.

A native of San Diego, Mrs. Vickery earned her bachelor's degree in Psychology from San Diego State University and did graduate work at Texas State University.

The award will be announced on Feb. 7 at the TCEA Educator Awards reception.