



We Build Futures Award

June, 2018



Patience Burton

*Guidance Counselor
Neshaminy High School*

In your nomination, the following were highlighted:

- You have outstanding communication skills and help to provide the social and emotional support so necessary for our high school students;
- You are student and family centered – maintaining important, regular connection with those who you are responsible to support;
- You are a student advocate in all the work that you do and, especially, in your leadership of the Transgender Practices differentiate supervision initiative at Neshaminy High School; and
- You are mobile -- always on the move, an important indication of an effective school counselor at work.

All of the above are examples of ways that you show you care. Your work supports our district belief that our children are our future; that laughter, joy, and hope are essential for a quality life, and that all people have a right to a safe and healthy learning environment.

You are an asset to Neshaminy High School and the district a whole.