2010 North Carolina Presidential Awardees

2010 NC Mathematics Awardee
Amanda Northrup
Riverbend Elementary School
Clyde, NC

2010 NC Science Awardee
Zebetta King
Swift Creek Elementary School
Raleigh, NC

The **Presidential Awards for Excellence in Mathematics and Science Teaching** are the nation's highest honor for mathematics and science teachers. This national award administered for the White House by the National Science Foundation allows outstanding mathematics and science teachers to be recognized for their subject area content knowledge and their ability to motivate students. Each year the program recognizes outstanding mathematics and science teachers from across the United States and four U.S. jurisdictions for their contributions in the classroom and to their profession. In addition to honoring individual achievement, the goal of the program is to expand and exemplify the definition of excellent science and mathematics teaching.

Amanda Northrup and **Zebetta King** were named as the 2010 North Carolina Presidential Awardees. Each teacher received a citation signed by the President of the United States, a $10,000 award from the National Science Foundation, and a paid trip to Washington, DC for a week of celebration through events and professional development activities. Congratulations to these outstanding teachers who serve as models for their colleagues, inspirations to their communities, and leaders in the improvement of mathematics and science education.