

Local Teacher honored for innovative education program

RaSheda Workman selected as National Finalist for Cable's Leaders in Learning Awards

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- RaSheda Workman, a teacher at Sunshine High School in Newbern, is being honored by the cable industry for her demonstrated commitment to improving education in her community.

Charter Communications and Cable in the Classroom, the cable industry's education foundation, announced that Ms. Workman has been chosen as a finalist for the 2008 Cable's Leaders in Learning Awards. The annual awards program, now in its fourth year, recognizes outstanding educators, administrators and other community leaders at the forefront of innovation in education.

Finalists are eligible for a national Cable's Leaders in Learning Award, which includes a \$3,000 prize, an all-expenses-paid trip to Washington, D.C., and a June awards ceremony and gala in honor of the winners at the Library of Congress.

Applications were received from across the country for the 2008 Cable's Leaders in Learning Award. Ms. Workman is one of just 44 finalists selected from classroom educators, administrators, college faculty and community leaders nationwide. Ms. Workman is being recognized in the General Excellence category for her work with the program "Eyes Wide Open," which exposes middle and high school

