

***Robinson Walmart Recognized with Regional Superintendent's CLASS Award***

Regional Superintendent of Schools Monte Newlin was honored to present the latest CLASS Award to Robinson Walmart #422.

The Robinson Walmart recently donated a palate load of three-ring binders to the ROE's Homeless Student program, providing an essential item to students who, through circumstance, can least afford school supplies. One of the missions of the local Regional Office of Education is to assist students who qualify as homeless, with temporary housing and living assistance in order to increase their chances of school success at a most difficult time.

The Regional Superintendent's CLASS (Community Leaders Assisting Student Success) Awards Program was inaugurated in June of 2015 for the purpose of spotlighting local business and community entities that have made a positive contribution to the schools of our five-county region; contributions that directly impact student success in the classroom. To date, this school year, ROE 12 has served over 500 students in Clay, Crawford, Jasper, Lawrence, and Richland counties with housing insecurity issues. Learn more about the McKinney-Vento Homeless Student Assistance Program on our website at [http://www.roe12.org/crbst\\_19.html](http://www.roe12.org/crbst_19.html).

*Pictured below are (L-R):*

*ROE 12 School Services Director  
Roselene Quick, Robinson Walmart  
Manager Tommy Arnold, and Regional  
Superintendent  
Monte Newlin*

