



Public Television For West Tennessee

WLJT ANNOUNCES BROWNSVILLE TEACHER SELECTED FOR 2015 PBS LEARNINGMEDIA DIGITAL INNOVATORS PROGRAM

*Sharon Clark Recognized for
Use of Digital Media and Technology in the Classroom*



WLJT Channel 11 announces Sharon Clark from East Side Intermediate School in Brownsville as one of the 100 educators selected for the **2015 PBS LearningMedia Digital Innovators program**. The program, which is in its third year, recognizes tech-savvy K-12 educators who are serving as leaders in the education technology space and incorporating digital media in classrooms.

“WLJT is proud to recognize Sharon Clark, who was chosen from a pool of talented and innovative educators from across the country that are using technology and digital

media in the classroom,” said Sabrina Bates, Manager of Education and Community Engagement, WLJT Channel 11. “Ms. Clark will represent WLJT and the entire West Tennessee community as she continues to enhance her skills with these one-of-a-kind resources, tools and trainings from PBS LearningMedia.”

The 2015 PBS LearningMedia Digital Innovators will receive year-long professional development opportunities that include virtual trainings, access to premium and exclusive resources from PBS LearningMedia Custom service, invitations to special events, and access to a free PBS TeacherLine professional development course. PBS LearningMedia Digital Innovators will also receive ongoing support in their community from their local PBS member stations.

In addition, the top 30 applicants will serve as leads of the program and will receive an all-expense paid trip to Philadelphia to participate in the 2015 PBS LearningMedia Digital Summit and the International Society for Technology in Education (ISTE) conference. All Lead PBS Digital Innovators will also receive a Samsung Galaxy(R) tablet to continue their use of technology in the classroom.

Ms. Clark was chosen as a Top 30 Lead Digital Innovator, out of 400 applicants across the nation.

The full list of the 2015 PBS LearningMedia Digital Innovators is available at

<http://www.pbslearningmedia.org/collection/digitalinnovators>.

PBS LearningMedia received hundreds of applications from leading teachers throughout the U.S. and its territories. Judges selected the 100 educators based on submissions of videos and written essays that addressed how they are creatively using digital technology and tools in the classroom to drive student achievement.