



Rick Staly, Sheriff  
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## NEWS RELEASE

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### **Sheriff Presents 'Great Kids' Awards for January**

This morning Sheriff Rick Staly visited three local schools to present three exceptional students with awards for being "Great Kids."

"There are some wonderful kids attending Flagler County Schools and I'm honored to be able to highlight some of them with Great Kids Award from the Sheriff," said Sheriff Rick Staly. "These students are making a positive impact on their schools and deserve a pat on the back."

Jada Wirt is a Student Ambassador at Old Kings Elementary School that embodies the skills and qualities of a true leader. She is a hard-working, respectful, and a caring student that everyone enjoys being around.



From left: Principal Katherine Crooke, Mr. and Mrs. Wirt, Jada Wirt, Sheriff Staly, and Assistant Principal Nick Schell.

Jared Foley is a student at Imagine School at Town Center. Jared has the skills and qualities that exemplify the true definition of a leader. He is someone who walks alongside others, can always be counted on, and shows integrity at all times. Jared serves as one of the schools Emerging Leaders guiding younger students to help them achieve their goals. He is also a member of the Robotics Club,

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Safety Patrol and Science Olympiad.



Sheriff Staly and Jared with Imagine Schools staff.

James Antoine is a freshman at Matanzas High School. James is a remarkable student-athlete who is on the JV Football Team and is admired by all of his peers and teammates, who came out to help recognize James. He is someone that everyone enjoys being around, is humorous, hard-working, respectful and caring. He motivates and pushes his teammates to be the best that they can be.



Sheriff Staly and James with Matanzas High School staff and student-athletes.

The “Great Kids” award is presented by the Sheriff to a student selected by School Resource Deputies who show respect for their peers, help others, work hard to do well in academics, and represent themselves, their family and their school with great character. The recipients for the awards are nominated by Flagler County Sheriff’s School Resource Deputies and Flagler County Schools and is awarded on a monthly basis to one elementary, middle and high school student.

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