**Maple Grove Senior High named Honorable Mention Minnesota School of Character**

Synergy and Leadership Exchange have named Maple Grove Senior High an Honorable Mention Minnesota School of Character, recognizing the school’s exceptional character development program, "The Crimson Way."

For the past five years, Maple Grove Senior High has involved stakeholders in an intentional process to create, develop and implement "The Crimson Way," which is based upon the school district’s six core values. Maple Grove Senior High will now serve as a model to other schools in the state and nation, with staff and students helping other educators transform their school cultures, improve academics, and promote positive student behavior.

Each year, Synergy honors schools for outstanding character development through the Character Education Partnership’s State and National Schools of Character program.
Maple Grove Senior earns more character recognition awards

Maple Grove Senior High has earned three character education awards from Synergy & Leadership Exchange. They were recently selected to receive two Promising Practice awards recognizing the school’s Link Crew and Action for Reaction student groups.

These awards are in addition to receiving the School of Character Honorable Mention award, recognizing The Crimson Way.

The Character Recognition Awards Ceremony will be held at the Minnesota State Capitol on May 8.