



# Excellence in Music Award

## *Tyler Selby*

Tyler is an exemplary student who is self-motivated, honest, and reliable. He actively participated in jazz ensemble, going out of his way to help set up gigs, practice new music, and learn a different instrument. He had no formal piano lessons or music theory before Mitchell, yet in his short time here, has made huge strides in both comprehension and ability. Tyler puts in effort with his performances, not allowing confusion, nervousness, or self-doubt as excuses to not show up. In his own time, he learns music software, writes beats, performs at open mics, researches artists, and goes to hip-hop and rap music festivals, showing a passion, drive, and ambition for his future career goals.

