

## **The “ONE THING” (or maybe two or three) ...**

**that led our school to success ...**

### **Eugene Field Accelerated School – St. Joseph**

- **Teachers’ commitment to student achievement and to their own learning.**
- **Parents supporting the teachers’ commitment.**
- **Students applying their desire to succeed.**

### **Mark Twain Elementary – Brentwood School District**

- **Strong relationships among students, staff, and the community nurtures learning across a caring school environment. WE ARE FAMILY!**

### **Century Elementary – Nixa Public Schools**

- **EMBRACE UNITY**
  - **new ideas and challenges;**
  - **learning opportunities;**
  - **each & every child**

### **Académie Lafayette –**

- **Diversité (Diversity)**
- **Corps enseignant dévoué (Committed Staff)**
- **Créativité (Creativity)**

### **Skyline Elementary – Hickory County R-I, Urbana**

- **RELATIONSHIPS!**

### **Washington-Franklin – Farmington R-7 School District**

- **Leadership**
- **Family-like atmosphere**
- **Focused instruction**

**Roosevelt Elementary – Farmington R-7 School District**

- **Building Relationships**
- **Recognizing Achievement**
- **Dedication of Staff**
- **Collaboration to meet the needs of all learners**

**Truman Elementary – Lindbergh R-VIII School District**

- **Data-driven collaboration**
- **Relationships across the community**
- **STUDENTS!**

**Kehrs Mill Elementary – Rockwood R-VI School District**

- **SHARED LEADERSHIP!**

**Clearview Elementary – Washington School District**

- **Staff, students, and families are valued and committed to learning**
- **Caring school community**
- **Failure is not an option!**

**Espy Elementary – Nixa School District**

- **Culture**
- **Commitment**
- **Collaboration**

**Crestwood Elementary – Lindbergh School District**

- **Caring Relationships**
- **High Expectations**
- **Data Analysis**
- **Individualization**

**Kennard Classical Junior Academy – St. Louis City School District**

- **Collaboration amongst parents, students, and staff towards a focused goal of success for all students**

**South Nodaway Elementary – South Nodaway County R-IV School District, Guilford**

- **It's people – not programs**
- **It's teachers that truly care**
- **It's community**
- **It's putting children FIRST!**

**Cedar Springs Elementary- Northwest R-I School District, House Springs**

- **Learning Targets – students know the objectives they need to hit**
- **Clear defined goals**
- **Relationships – working as a team to make things happen**