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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

SPECIAL EDUCATION RECOGNITION AWARDS

CHARLESTON, IL--Eastern Illinois University's Department of Special Education recently awarded Special Education Recognition Awards to more than 35 students.

The award is given for excellence in leadership, scholarship, and service. Students receiving this award typically have a grade point average of 3.0 or above on a 4.0 scale and demonstrate a genuine interest in special education.

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NOTE TO THE EDITOR (People's Voice): Beverly Peadro, daughter of Warren and Irene Driskell of Mattoon, has been selected as a recipient of a Special Education Recognition Award. A graduate of Mattoon High School, Peadro is currently a graduate student at Eastern majoring in special education. Peadro and her husband, Dennis reside in Windsor. Peadro was also recently recognized as a recipient of a Special Education Recognition Award given for excellence in leadership, scholarship, and service.