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MTI Students Join National Honor Society

Manatee Technical Institute inducted 19 into the Adult Education Honor Society

(Bradenton, FL—May 8, 2009) The Induction Ceremony of the Lee Carter Brown Chapter of the National Adult Education Honor Society at Manatee Technical Institute was held on Thursday evening, May 7, 2009, in the Leatherman Auditorium at MTI's Main Campus, at 7:00 P.M.

Nineteen students were inducted. Family members joined the students on stage to pin them, and School Board member Bob Gause and Adult Career and Technical Education director Doug Wagner awarded them their certificates. MTI director Dr. Mary Cantrell made opening and closing remarks.

The Manatee adult education program serves over 2,000 students. The ones chosen for this honor are an elite group. Inductees must meet membership standards of attendance, cooperation and self-reliance.

The MTI Chapter is one of only nine chapters in the state of Florida, according to information from Mr. Lloyd Weaver, president of the NAEHS National Headquarters in Highland Heights, Kentucky.

Linda Agresta is the assistant director of academics and Ernie Bishop is the faculty sponsor for NAEHS at MTI.

About half the inductees are working towards their GEDs, and the other half are learning English.

The mission of Manatee Technical Institute is to meet and exceed our community's training and educational expectations. MTI is a 2007 Tampa Bay Business of the Year and has won more SkillsUSA medals than any other school in the nation for the past four years.

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