

## Mr. Nick Brooks nominated by Liam Frilingos

I think my music teacher Mr. Brooks should get the Extra mile award. I think this because he helps you all the time, when you need help. He is funny, nice, caring, and most importantly smart. He literally drives a mile to get here. He does two extra programs Chorus and World Percussion. He is always telling stories and is up to them if someone else has one, and he is always smiling and cheering me up and also the whole class. Another reason is that he is always ready to help like in World percussion whenever anyone struggled he would always help them. Another reason I nominated Mr. Brooks is he is always serious, sometimes he kind of plays around but he never goes to far and if someone does go to far he tells them to leave which helps them learn when they should stop. My last reason why I nominated Mr. Brooks is because at the beginning of the year I was struggling in my class and he wanted me to have at least one place and time at school I could enjoy so he invited my to be in a world percussion group and now I'm a lot better in my class. I was sometimes not listening in music class too, I always am very nervous at the beginning of the school year. He wanted to let me see how I could have self control and work hard. I probably would still be in that situation I was at the beginning of the year feeling bad if it weren't for him. I can't believe how much I learned from him about drumming and it feels awesome.