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WESTERN STUDENT RECEIVES AWARD

St. Joseph, Mo. — Nov. 8, 2004 — Meri Thompson, a student at Missouri Western State College, received the Outstanding Developmental Education Student Award by the Midwest Regional Association for Developmental Education Chapter of the National Association for Developmental Education.

Meri is a Developmental Mathematics Program tutor.

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Missouri Western State College is a four-year public institution providing a blend of traditional liberal arts and professional degree programs. The college offers student-centered, high quality instruction that focuses on experience-based learning, community service, and state-of-the-art technology. Western is located in St. Joseph, Mo. and is committed to the educational, economic, cultural and social development of the region it serves.