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WESTERN SELECTS NEW VIP STUDENT AMBASSADORS

St. Joseph, Mo. — Sept. 2, 2004 — Missouri Western State College recently announced students selected as Western VIP Student Ambassadors for the 2004-2005 academic year.

The VIPs volunteer at least three hours a week by assisting the admissions office with campus tours and preparing for campus visit days. In addition, the VIPs attend college fairs and visit high schools with counselors, call prospective students and serve as ambassadors during large community events sponsored by the college.

The following students were selected: Dustin Holcumbrink of Bowling Green, Mo.; Rachel Donnell of Braymer, Mo.; Andy Davis of Garden City, Mo.; Brittney Kelley of Kansas City, Mo.; Mallory Paines of Kansas City, Mo.; DeWanda Weeks of Kansas City, Mo.; Danielle Shoemaker of Marceline, Mo.; Kylie Lowe of Odessa, Mo.; Tia Frahm of Pawnee City, Neb.; Michelle Delaney of St. Joseph; Adrian Gray of St. Joseph; Scott Landers of St. Joseph; and Adam Scheiddeger of St. Joseph.

Returning students are: Andy Ewing of Belton, Mo.; Heidi Drew of Bethany, Mo.; Stefanie Jones of Bethany, Mo.; Ashley Moses of Bethany, Mo.; Darren

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Wibberding of Leavenworth, Kan.; Tabby Larson of Omaha, Neb.; Erin Wilson of Overland Park, Kan.; Tanisha Washington of Paris, Mo.; and John Fabsits of St. Louis.

To be a VIP, a student must maintain a 2.5 grade point average and be an outstanding student in the college community. In addition, the student must possess good written and oral communication skills and have a willingness to promote Western.

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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.