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WESTERN ANNOUNCES STUDENT ACHIEVEMENTS

St. Joseph, Mo.—March 6, 2003— Missouri Western State College announces recent achievements of their students:

Cheyenne Dorrell of Highland, Kan.; Amy Dunlap of Independence, Mo.; Megan Matt of Platte City, Mo.; Shaun Agnew, Emily Auxier, Adrian Gray, Tyler Ives and Jeremy Schneider all of St. Joseph, represented Western and the department of music at the Missouri Music Educators state convention at Tan-Tar-A. From the 170 students representing 35 colleges and universities, Western senior Agnew was selected by audition to perform one of three solos in the Friday evening concert.

Annette Hunthrop of Bellevue, Neb.; Nic Sikora of Falls City, Neb.; and Morgan Perry of Salisbury, Mo. represented the Western housing and residential life department at the annual Resident Assistant Conference at the University of Northern Iowa, Cedar Falls. Hunthrop and Perry received a top award in the case study competition and placed first in discussion with topics of ethics and alcohol use. Sikora and Perry presented a program detailing how the learning assistant position has developed at Western and strategies they use to help students. They were awarded the “Top Scholarship Program” award for the entire conference.

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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.

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