

Friday 25 November is UNISON's annual celebration 'Stars in our Schools'.

On this day we recognise the valuable role *all* school support staff play in making our school communities what they are.

So whether you're a cleaner, lunch time assistant, cooks, caretaker, teaching assistant, receptionist, administrator, site manager or anyone else who works in a school... Celebrate.
You're all stars to us!



Idea for How You Can Get Involved. Why not...

- Hold an assembly
- Get together for a support staff fuddle at lunch time
- Tweet a photo of your event to @UNISONinSchools using the hashtag #StarsinourSchools
- Email your photos to unison@derby.gov.uk
- If you're holding an event then collect some Stars in our Schools goodies from the UNISON office, or let us know and we'll drop some off for you!

Nominate Your Star!

Whether you're having an event or not, please nominate a star from your school. They will receive a special prize from the

branch and be entered into the national competition.





For more ideas on how to get involved head to... http://www.starsinourschools.uk/get-involved/





Do you know a school support staff worker who is an absolute star and deserves recognition? Perhaps it's the teaching assistant in your school who is having an amazing impact on children, the catering assistant who makes lunch times that bit easier, or perhaps the caretaker who always goes the extra mile?

If so, nominate them for a special prize by filling out the form below. Closing date for nominations is close of business on Monday 20 November, nominated colleagues will automatically be entered into the national Stars in our Schools award and may win a £25 M&S voucher.

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Their Name	
Their Job	
School they work at	
Why they deserve to win	
	(continue on another sheet if necessary)
Your Name	
Your email or contact number	
Headteacher Name	