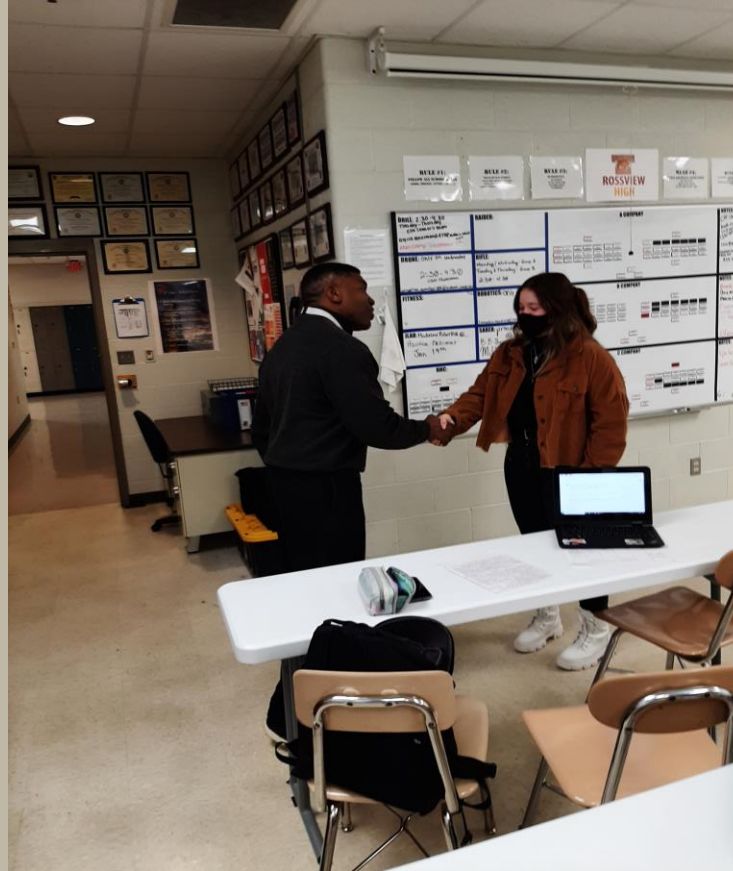
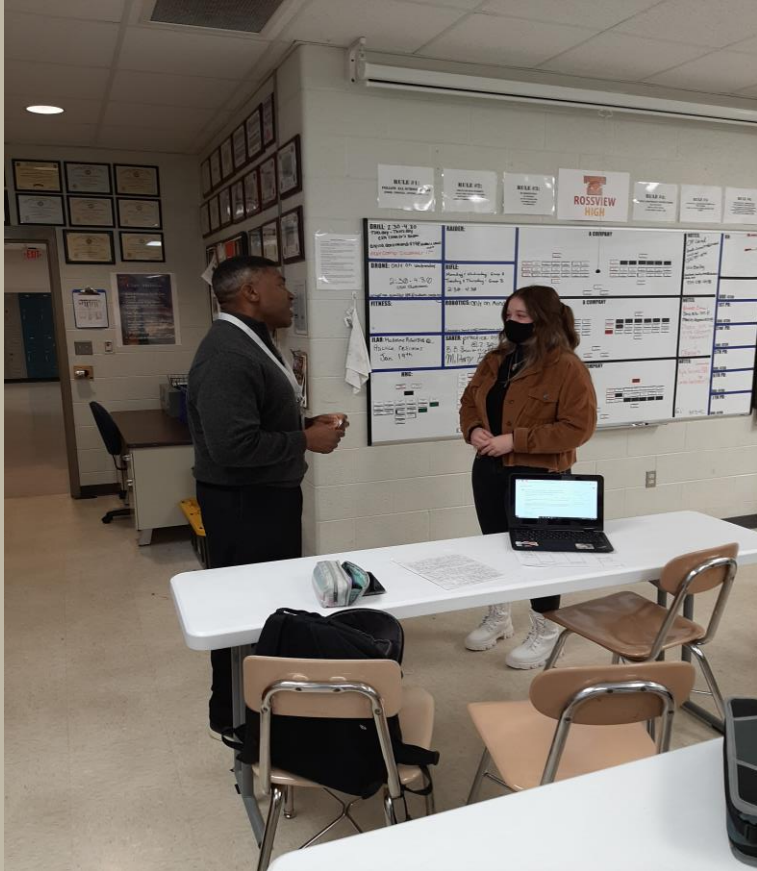




# UNITED STATES ARMY CADET COMMAND



**WHO:** Cadet Sergeant Major Rachel Cassella

**WHAT:** Recognition Ceremony

**WHEN:** January 19th, 2022

**WHERE:** Rossvie High School

**WHY:** CMCSS DAI Coin Presentation for being selected as the State of Tennessee SAR Cadet of the Year.

**OUTCOMES:** Cadet applied the values of Leadership, Character, Student Achievement and American Heritage and History.

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**SUMMARY:** On 16 January 2022, the Tennessee Chapter of the Sons of the American Revolution announced that Cadet Sergeant Major Rachel Cassella had been selected as the Cadet of the Year for the State of Tennessee. Her submission packet was then forwarded to the National Office for consideration as the National Cadet of the Year for their organization. To acknowledge this great accomplishment, the CMCSS DAI, COL (Re) Lightner stopped by class to present her a DAI Coin of Excellence. She will receive her awards from the SAR during their annual luncheon on 12 March 2022.