



## *OSO - DKG Membership Spotlight*



### **Darnelle Clark, Beta Chi**



Darnelle Clark, Beta Chi member and first-grade teacher, became known for her YouTube channel, Clark's Cozy Corner. During the pandemic it served as an entertaining way to encourage students to read. Darnelle, an alumna of Westminster College, was honored by her college with the 2022 Westminster College Alumni Citation Award at the Homecoming football game on Saturday, Oct. 15.

Clark was stricken with a severe case of COVID in August of 2021 - so severe she was paralyzed from the waist down - and finally returned to her Liberty classroom in August.

"When I was informed, I was enthralled and moved to tears; honestly, it came at a perfect time after my most recent surgeries and helped me find my place again," Clark said. "For my alma mater to deem me worthy of this recognition meant so much to me, knowing that in my lowest times, my value was recognized at Westminster, Liberty Schools, and the Liberty community.

"Seeing Darnelle as not only a member of our Liberty staff but a friend go through the highs and lows of the past two years gives me great pride to see someone of her wonderful character and spirit be honored with such a great award. I could not think of a more deserving individual to represent not only Liberty Schools but our community," said Liberty PK-2 Principal Jessica Kohler.