Student’s Comments about Their Supervisors
(from nomination letters for Supervisor of the Year)

His role as a mentor keeps us actively engaged as students on campus by asking our input on different campus and student life issues.

(He) feels that it is very important to lead by example.

She shows that she trusts my judgment and ability to do the job.

She is helpful to everyone and is willing to go the “extra mile” if someone needs assistance.

If I have any questions that are not related to my particular duties she answers these just as well to help me understand the workings of the department and the policies and procedures of West Texas A&M University.

She handles our staff very well and is stern but fair when jobs are not done correctly.

She shows a genuine interest in what we are doing.

She has taught me the important aspects of the work environment: responsibility, motivation, and respect.

She is quick to listen if the student workers have personal issues, frustrations, or even comical occurrences that happen within the workers’ daily lives.

Anytime she receives an email or hears of an event going on around the campus, she prints a copy out for each of the student workers and makes sure we are aware of the event. She encourages us to be involved in the university.

She encourages me by showing enthusiasm when demonstrating complete projects. She gives good feedback if she sees something that she would like to be changed on the final project.

She took me through step-by-step all of the tasks I would be doing and made sure to let me know that if I had any questions she would be there to answer them.

She praises me when I do a good job, and positively corrects me when I make mistakes. Because of her, I feel that my job here is very important and that my employment in this office is worthwhile.

He does not make any employee do something that he would not do himself.

He invites student employees to come up with a solution and then evaluates it to see if it is plausible.

Her friendliness and open nature has often eased some of the apparent nervousness or tension of a student seeking her help.

If a problem arises…she is cordial but firm in handling the issue.