



Lieutenant Governor's Teaching Hward







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Purpose

The Lieutenant Governor's Teaching Award was instituted by the Honourable Myra A. Freeman, CM, ONS, MSM., in partnership with the Nova Scotia Teachers Union to celebrate the positive influence teachers have on the students and communities they serve. His Honour, Brigadier General the Honourable J.J. Grant, CMM, ONS, CD (Ret'd) Lieutenant Governor of Nova Scotia, re-established this award in 2013.

Each year a teacher will be selected to represent the teaching profession in Nova Scotia. The recipient will exemplify the outstanding leadership, dedication, commitment, and achievement by teachers to the youth of our province within our public schools and the Community College to foster the growth of their students, their communities and their profession.

Eligibility

The teacher representative must be a member of the NSTU and be a currently active teacher or administrator in the Nova Scotia public school system or Community College.

Selection Process

All candidates must be nominated by active teachers or administrators. The nomination form must be completed by the nominators, briefly describing the nominee's contributions to students, school community and/or community at large, and the teaching profession, that qualify the nominee to be an excellent representative for teaching practice in Nova Scotia.

The Selection Committee shall be comprised of a representative appointed by the Lieutenant Governor and members of the executive of the Retired Teachers Organization of the Nova Scotia Teachers Union. The Selection Committee will forward recommendations to the NSTU President for approval. The President will forward the NSTU teacher representative nominee to the Lieutenant Governor.

Presentation

Each year the Lieutenant Governor, as patron of the award, hosts an awards recognition ceremony in cooperation with the NSTU President, at a mutually agreed upon time and location.

Award

The recipient of the Lieutenant Governor's Teaching Award will receive a framed certificate from the Lieutenant Governor and a memento.

Sponsorship

The Lieutenant Governor's Teaching Award program is supported by Johnson Inc., which has a long-standing relationship with the NSTU and a history of supporting teacher professional development initiatives.

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NOMINATION FORM

Nominating Teachers (must be currently active teachers/administrators/community college members) Name Position Signature Name Position Signature Name Position Signature The nominators listed above hereby submit the following teacher for consideration as the Lieutenant Governor's Teaching Award representative. Nominee Name: Current Teaching Assignment: Please attach a Statement of Evidence (maximum 3 pages) that follows the format on the back of this nomination form.

Deadline: Nomination forms and Statements of Evidence must be received no later than

4:30 p.m. February 24, 2017.

Mail to: Lieutenant Governor's Teaching Award

c/o Nova Scotia Teachers Union

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STATEMENT OF EVIDENCE

Please attach a Statement of Evidence. When completing the (maximum 3 page) Statement, please follow the format below.

Nominee	Name		
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1. Students

- A. Academic Through statements of evidence, describe the nominee's contribution to students' academic achievement.
- B. Personal and Social Growth Through statements of evidence, describe the nominee's contribution to students' personal and social growth.

2. Community

- A. School Through statements of evidence, describe the nominee's contribution to the school community.
- B. Community at Large Through statements of evidence, describe the nominee's contribution to the community at large.

3. Teaching Profession

- A. Curriculum Through statements of evidence, describe the nominee's expertise, knowledge and/ or leadership in his/her curriculum area(s).
- B. Professional Development Through statements of evidence, describe the nominee's involvement and/or leadership in professional development.





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