

CATFACS Teacher of the Year Award

Purpose

Recipients of this award must have made significant contributions toward innovative, unique and novel programs which are serving to improve Family and Consumer Sciences education.

Eligibility

Individuals who are currently employed as full-time classroom/laboratory teachers in a family and consumer sciences education program are eligible recipients for this award. Nominees must be classroom/laboratory teachers at the time of selection. Contributions and achievements on which the nomination is based should have been made within the past ten years.

The nominee should have been involved in some capacity in FCS/CATFACS and/or CACTE activities at the local, state, and/or national level and must have been a member of CATFACS/CACTE/ACTE for a minimum of the past five consecutive years.

Nominees recognized by persons outside their immediate field of endeavor and persons who have made contributions to education outside their field on local, state and/or national levels will be highly considered. Contributions to civic and philanthropic causes will also be considered. This award does not exclude any classroom teacher from nomination for any other CACTE/ACTE award. This is a competition award and only one individual will be selected.

Application Procedures

Complete and attach the CATFACS Nomination Cover Form and provide a written response which includes all the following criteria in no more than 3 pages.

1. Provide a program description.
2. Professional membership and activities.
3. Professional contributions (may include presentations and publications)
4. Training and experience background (to include educational training and work experience).
5. Civic and community involvement (to include civic, fraternal and/or honorary memberships and contributions).
6. Include a one or two letters of support. These letters should come from the following individuals:

- Nominee's immediate supervisor
- An administrator
- Current or former student
- Parent or community lay person
- Additional letters of choice

The CATFACS Teacher of the Year may be nominated to compete at the state level for the CACTE Teacher of the Year award. If nominated, the nominee may be asked to provide additional information (additional letters of recommendation, picture, expanded professional activities, etc.) so a competitive packet may be submitted.

Deadline

All nominations must be POSTMARKED or HAND DELIVERED to the Awards Committee Chair by January 10:

Dawn Mallette, 203 Education, Colorado State University, Fort Collins, CO 80523

RETURN BY

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PLEASE DUPLICATE AS NEEDED

**COLORADO ASSOCIATION TEACHERS
OF FAMILY AND CONSUMER SCIENCES**

***Must hold membership in CATFACS, CACTE, and ACTE**

Teacher of the Year New Professional Distinguished Service Outstanding Administrator

Name of Nominee:

Home Address:

School/Business Address:

Telephone Numbers: (Work) _____ (Home) _____

Email Address:

Current Position / Title:

Name of Person Submitting Nomination:

Address:

Telephone Numbers: (Work) _____ (Home) _____

Email Address:

(Signature of person making the nomination)

(Date)