

Purpose

JCCASAC seeks to celebrate excellence and honor teachers who are exceptionally dedicated, knowledgeable, and inspire students of all backgrounds and learning abilities while carrying out the mission and vision of JCCASAC. These teachers are passionate, collaborative professionals dedicated to empowering students to become competent, creative thinking and caring adults who lead healthy lifestyles and are academically prepared for an ever-changing global economy.

Award/Honor

The teacher of the year will be honored at the 51st Annual JCCASAC Conference being held virtually, May 12 – 14, 2021.

Qualifications

- A veteran teacher with at least 5 years teaching experience of which 2 must be in County Office alternative education programs.
- Exemplifies the spirit of JCCASAC in advocating for and meeting the needs of all students.
- Skillful and dedicated classroom teacher who is planning to continue in an active teaching status.

Nomination Packet Must Include:

- Nomination Form
 - Letter of recommendation from an administrator (**not to exceed 1 page**)
 - Letter of recommendation from a student (**not to exceed 1 page**)
 - Letter of recommendation from peer/outside agency (**not to exceed 1 page**)
 - Resume
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- The JCCASAC Board reviews all applications and selects the Teacher of the Year at the April Board Meeting
 - The Teacher of the Year will be notified in April
 - The JCCASAC Teacher of the Year will be recognized at the JCCASAC Annual Conference (conference fees to be paid by the sponsoring county office)
 - The JCCASAC Board is unable to consider incomplete nomination packets.

