



CONNECTICUT ASSOCIATION OF ELEMENTARY SCHOOL PRINCIPALS

The Marjorie Bradley Award for Curriculum

(Deadline for Submission is September 11, 2009)

This award recognizes outstanding leadership by a Connecticut principal in a selected curriculum area.

Research has shown that effective program implementation is dependent on the leadership of the building principal. It is the intention of this award to publicize the role played by the principal and recognize the leadership skills of Connecticut principals. CAS desires to recognize Connecticut elementary principals who have implemented exemplary curriculum programs that have improved the education of Connecticut's children. This award will focus on principal effectiveness in curriculum.

APPLICATION INFORMATION:

1. A superintendent, fellow administrator or member of the principal's staff may make nominations for the award.
2. The nominator should submit an application form and any other information that will validate the principal's effectiveness in curriculum.
3. The recipient must be an on-line elementary school principal.
4. All members are eligible to participate with the exception of members of the awards selection committee.

PERFORMANCE INDICATORS:

1. The principal will show evidence of leadership by updating a curriculum or introducing a new curriculum related program.
2. The nominee will demonstrate his/her leadership by involving parents and staff, providing in-service for the staff, and monitoring the implementation of the program.
3. The nominee will demonstrate his/her advocacy for children of various academic needs through the implementation of this program.

PROCESS FOR SELECTION:

1. The CAS Chair will appoint a selection committee with a chairperson and at least two other principals.
2. The committee will meet to review and evaluate nomination materials and select a winner.
3. An assessment sheet with criteria and performance indicators are used throughout the process.
4. Finalists may be interviewed using questions and a rating sheet developed by the committee.
5. If the committee does not locate a suitable project, it should not select a winner for that year.
6. All nominees will be notified in writing of the results.
7. The selection committee chairperson will present the award at the Elementary Program Recognition Banquet on November 23, 2009.

NOMINATIONS SHOULD BE SENT TO:

*Regina S. Birdsell
Assistant Executive Director
The Connecticut Association of Schools
30 Realty Drive
Cheshire, Connecticut 06410*



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NOMINATION FORM**

(Application Deadline: September 11, 2009)

Name _____

School _____

Address _____

Town/City _____ Zip _____ Telephone _____

School Website _____

Program Title _____

Is this a CAS Member School? ___ Yes ___ No

1. Describe the exemplary or innovative idea, plan, or program that your nominee has initiated or implemented.
2. Please include supportive data. This may include a narrative, newspaper articles, pictures, etc.

Typed Name of Nominator

Signature of Nominator

Position of Nominator

Date Submitted

Telephone Number of Nominator

Typed Name of Principal Nominated

Signature of Principal Nominated

ENDORSEMENT BY SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

I have read and support this application

Typed Name of Superintendent

Signature of Superintendent

For CAS Use Only

Date Received _____

CAS Member ___ Yes ___ No