



**Connecticut Association of Schools and Connecticut Lighting Center
2020 Arthur Director Annual Leadership Award**

The Arthur Director Annual Leadership Award is named for the founder of the Connecticut Lighting Center. This award of \$250 cash and plaque will be presented to the school that shows superior application of the theme of the Middle Level Student Leadership Conference.

To be considered for this award, schools need to complete the information below and address the two areas at the bottom of the page. You may include up to three additional pages of supportive documentation.

School Name: _____

Address: _____

City/Town/Zip: _____

Advisor/
Administrator: _____

Email: _____

School Team: _____

1. Describe progress made toward new initiatives of programs that support the theme of the Middle Level Student Leadership Conference *A Climate of Acceptance* for all students. Description may be up to three pages. (Entries may be mailed or emailed and must be received by March 6, 2020)
2. Include a copy of your completed Planning Guide (copy attached) with your entry.

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Middle School Leadership Planning Guide

(Include this Planning Guide with Application for the Arthur Director Annual Leadership Award)

This guide is designed to assist school groups (students and advisors) in developing an action plan to implement new ideas at their schools. In short, how will you take the “**LID**” off progress towards building a greater climate of acceptance and respect?

- How are we doing at our school at making Acceptance Acceptable?
- What did we **L**earn at the conference about building a climate of acceptance and respect?
- What **I**nterested us at the conference?
- What should we **D**o with what we learned at the conference at our school?
- When shall we schedule our next meeting and who should attend?
- What might be different about our school as a result of what we learned at the conference?