TEACHER
OF THE
YEAR
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The purpose of this program is to provide annual recognition
of outstanding professional educators in the Waterford School District by
the Waterford community.

Nomination forms are available on the Waterford Foundation website
www.waterford.k12.mi.us/wfpe

The Teacher of the Year Program alternates yearly between
Elementary (K-5) and Secondary (6-12).

2022 Teacher of the Year – Elementary (K - 5)
2023 Teacher of the Year – Secondary (6 - 12)

Completed packets are **due to the building principal** no later than
Thursday, February 3.

Completed packets are **due to Megan Roberts** in the Kurzman Administration
Office no later than **Thursday, February 10**.

The Teacher of the Year will be announced on **Thursday, April 14**.

The **Excellence in Education banquet** to honor **all nominees** will be held on **May 16.**

Nomination Form COVER PAGE

_____   _____
Full name of nominee*   Nominee's school

Category: _____Elementary   _____Secondary   _____Grade level

Subjects taught: _____

_____
Full name of **_Nominator_**

Relationship to Nominee:
____Colleague
____Parent of student
____Current student
____Former student
_____Administrator (list title)
_____Other (list title)

_____
Mailing Address

_____
Phone Number

Supporting Person #1	**Supporting Person #2**
Name: _____	Name: _____
Relationship to Nominee: _____	Relationship to Nominee: _____
Address:_____	Address:_____
Phone: _____	Phone: _____

NOTE: Supporting statements may **not** be family members of the nominator. Please provide _no more than_ TWO supporting statements. The nominator must secure permission of the nominee to enter his/her name for consideration with the knowledge that they may be observed in their classroom and possibly be interviewed by the selection committee. The nominated teacher must also complete a portion of the nomination packet. _Nominee must have current automobile insurance_ since the Teacher of the Year is awarded free use of an automobile courtesy of Suburban Ford of Waterford.

*Previous Teacher of the Year **nominees** ARE eligible. Previous Teacher of the Year **winners** ARE NOT eligible. Nominees must be full-time, contracted teachers, in good standing with a
minimum of 5 years of full-time experience.

Nominee Brief Biography

(Page to be completed by nominated teacher)

Name_____School _____

Cell_____Email: _____

Brief Summary of Teaching Career

Position	School (s)	Grade	Subject (s)	Dates

Highlights of and/or honors received during educational career

NOMINATION FORM

Nominator's Name _____ Relationship to Nominee _____

Nominee _____

1. How does your nominee exemplify the characteristics of an outstanding teacher listed below?
   - One who is committed to providing a quality education for all students
   - One who is able to inspire, educate, and empower students to meet the needs of an ever- changing world
   (Be as specific as possible with examples. Please limit your response to this page.)

SUPPORTING STATEMENT ONE

(To be completed by a supporting parent, student, colleague, or administrator.)

Supporter's Name⎯⎯⎯⎯⎯⎯⎯⎯⎯⎯⎯⎯⎯⎯⎯⎯⎯⎯⎯⎯Relationship to Nominee ⎯⎯⎯⎯⎯⎯⎯⎯⎯⎯⎯⎯

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1. How does the nominee exemplify the characteristics of an outstanding teacher listed below?
    - One who is committed to providing a quality education for all students
    - One who is able to inspire, educate, and empower students to meet the needs of an ever- changing world
    (Be as specific as possible with examples. Please limit your response to this page.)

SUPPORTING STATEMENT TWO

(To be completed by a supporting parent, student, colleague, or administrator.)

Supporter's Name _____ Relationship to Nominee _____

Nominee _____

1. How does the nominee exemplify the characteristics of an outstanding teacher listed below?
   - One who is committed to providing a quality education for all students
   - One who is able to inspire, educate, and empower students to meet the needs of an ever- changing world

(Be as specific as possible with examples. Please limit your response to this page.)

Fulfilling the Waterford School District Vision
Inspire, educate, and empower our students for their future!

(Page to be completed by nominee)

Nominee's Name _____

How do you help achieve the district vision? *(Please limit your response to this page and include specific examples.)*

Nominee Contact Information

After the nomination packet is turned in, a member of the Teacher of the Year Committee may contact you to set up a 25-30 minute time frame for the committee to come and observe you teaching in your classroom.

Name: _____ Cell phone: _____

Home address: _____

Email: _____Size for Fleece Jacket: _____

Spouse/Significant Other:_____Cell: _____
(The Teacher of the Year winner is announced as a surprise and we like to have the winner's family present if possible.)

Please provide general days and times that would be convenient for a possible observation.

Weekday	Time block	Room #	Subject