

CAFCS Teacher of the Year Nomination Guidelines

The teacher honored as CAFCS Teacher of the Year will be the CAFCS nominee for the AAFCS Teacher of the Year Award due the following year provided the CAFCS honoree meets the AAFCS membership requirements.

The AAFCS Teacher of the Year Award requires a notebook application with extensive information and is usually due in early January.

The objective of the Teacher of the Year Award is to stimulate the development of state-of-art programs that are both timely and newsworthy as well as to expand the focus of family and consumer sciences.

Each nominated program should focus on one of the following areas:

- Career Awareness Job Skill Training
- Consumer Education/Family Finance
- Creative Dimensions/Alternative Program Designs
- Family Life/Personal and Social Development
- Nutrition Education/Diet and Health

Nominations should include the Nomination Form plus two pages of supporting information about the teacher and teacher's program responding to the questions from the Nomination Form. Supporting information is to be completed with a font size no smaller than 10 point.

Nomination can be submitted either as a hard copy or electronically.

In addition to the Nomination Form and supporting information, two (2) letters of support about the nominee's program must be submitted. Letters of support can be from supervisors, other professionals, parents or students.

Nominations must be submitted to the CAFCS Awards Chair by February 15, 2010.

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2010 CAFCS Teacher of the Year Nomination Form

Nomination can be submitted using this form or it can be completed electronically providing the required information in this format.

Date:

Nominee:

Professional Title:

Nominee's Address:

Daytime Phone:

Evening Phone:

Email Address:

FAX:

Title and Focus of Nominee's Program:

School Contact Person and Title (i.e. principal, counselor):

Address of Contact Person:

Daytime Phone or Contact Person:

Email for Contact Person:

Nomination Submitted By:

Daytime Phone:

Evening Phone:

Email Address:

FAX:

Please provide information in each category to support your nominee's qualifications.

1. State the primary focus of the teacher's program.
Identify the areas it was designed to address.
Highlight ways in which goals have been and are being accomplished.

20 Points

2. Explain how the nominee has contributed to the profession and the community through involvement in professional development initiatives, professional and honorary organizations and affiliations, as well as community service and extracurricular activities. **25 Points**
3. Describe the nominee's educational program with respect to: **50 Points**
- creativity and innovation
 - a progressive approach to the subject matter
 - methods of stimulating student growth and involvement
 - student accomplishments and productivity
 - impact of the program beyond the classroom
 - attainment of program objectives
 - integration of family and consumer science concepts with the related subject matter.
4. Other information pertinent to and in support of this nomination. **5 Points**