



Ohio Middle Level Association 2021 EDUCATOR OF THE YEAR Nomination Form

The Educator-of-the-Year award is the most distinguished honor the Ohio Middle Level Association can bestow upon an individual to recognize his or her contributions to middle level education.

Nomination Criteria

- Nominator must be a current member of the Ohio Middle Level Association
- Individual nominated may be a teacher, administrator, or parent.
- Nominee must be a current member of the Ohio Middle Level Association.
- Previous recipients may not be nominated for the award.

Application Criteria

- Nominated individual promotes the middle school concept through involvement in exemplary programs, leadership, or research that serves the needs of middle level students.
- The candidate is involved at the local, regional, and state levels.

Awarding the Honor

- A committee of the Ohio Middle Level Association Executive Board members will review all applications and determine the award recipient.
- The selected Educator-of-the-Year will be recognized at the OMLA annual state conference.

Application Deadline: March 8, 2021

Ohio Middle Level Association Educator of the Year Award Previous recipients who are not eligible for this award:

1979 Burt Reed	1993 Tom Bletcher	2007 Shannon Federinko
1980 Gordan Vars	1994 Susan Wynn	2008 John Swaim
1981 Vince Barra	1995 William Kaderly	2009 Jack Berckemeyer
1982 Herb Broda	1996 Dana Cowardin	2010 Dona Gardner Klein
1983 John Haschak	1997 Ed Vittardi	2011 Tom Burton
1984 Bob Edwards	1998 Diana Haap	2013 Patricia Grove
1985 Rob Hayden	1999 Barbara Miller	2014 Jay Clark
1986 Wayne Ambrose	2000 Steve Raines	2015 Wendy Fragrasse
1987 Helena Sturkey	2001 Nancy Poliseno	2016 James Trogden
1988 Larry Lewis	2002 Don Jostworth	2016 Nancy Wanyerka
1989 Charlotte Wagner	2003 Janet Litzel	2017 Kyle Leatherman
1990 Gordan Gerber	2004 David Kommer	2018 Michelle Koussa
1991 Philip Binkley	2005 Charles Beard	2019 Lorrie Kubaszewski
1992 Joe Mucciarone	2006 Ferald Mangarella	2020 Matt Smith



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Please print or type all information.

Name of Nominee: _____

Nominee's School: _____

School Address: _____

City: _____ State _____ Zip: _____

Current Position: _____

Professional Experience: _____

Please submit a narrative stating the basis for this nomination.

Name of recommending OMLA Member: _____

School: _____

Telephone: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Send completed nomination form to: Kelli Cogan
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Applications must be postmarked no later than March 8, 2021