



Prairie Middle School
2017-2018 OFFICIAL NOMINATION FORM
DISTINGUISHED TEACHER AWARD

The purpose of the Colorado Teacher Awards is to recognize the teaching profession by honoring Distinguished Teachers for their Excellence in Teaching. To be eligible for nomination, the teacher must have taught in the Cherry Creek School District for at least 5 years, must not be a past recipient of this award, must currently teach full time in CCSD and must be a classroom instructor.

Based on the eligibility requirements listed above, the following teachers are eligible for nomination this year:

Julie Baron	Jodi Jones	Jane McConnell	Wendy Rubin
John Brindle	Hannah Lesley	Kristina McKelfresh	Shelley Stancer
Kemora Colbert-Olson	Andrea Lohse	Craig Mills	Tina Swanson
Matt Denman	Angela Lopez	Carolyn Mugge	Darrell Tyler
Brittany Fadeyi	Brian Maline	David Ponsford	Jenny Watt
Cynthia Fowle	Erin Maline	Katie Reed	Cynthia Yost
John Heiner	Shelley Martineau	Aaron Renicker	
Juan Jimenez	Will McCammish	Kim Rice	

Nomination Process:

1. Prairie teachers may nominate a teacher(s) from the roster of eligible teachers
2. Students and/or parents may nominate a teacher(s) from the roster of eligible teachers
3. All nomination forms are due to Prairie Middle School Main Office no later than **MONDAY DECEMBER 11, 2017.**
4. The Prairie Nomination Committee will review nominations and select two Prairie teachers to honor this year

Nomination Form:

This form may be completed by a student, parent or colleague.

I nominate _____ for the 2017-2018 Colorado Teacher Award because:

He/She (Check below as many as apply):



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- Uses methods conducive to learning
- Inspires critical thinking
- Provides for individual differences
- Applies motivational techniques in teaching
- Develops personal and social traits within pupils
- Shows leadership in a positive manner
- Participates in school and community activities
- Develops students to become worthwhile citizens
- Other : _____

A specific example that I could provide, in a follow-up letter of support, which relates to one or more of the items marked above is:

Signature

Phone

Address

Thank you for taking the time to fill out the form. Your input is greatly appreciated.
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