

Distinguished Teacher Award 2017-2018

The purpose of the Colorado Teacher Award is to recognize the teaching profession by honoring Distinguished Teachers for their excellence in teaching. To be eligible, the teacher nominated must have taught five complete years in the district and be teaching at the time of nomination. A past winner is not eligible. Thunder Ridge has 43 teachers who are eligible and willing to be nominated this year:

Zachary Alden
Sharon Andrews
Renee Beck
Christina Becker
Julie Blosser
Demetria Bouzarelos
Steve Bowman
Katie Brauns
Justin Cantrell
Lisa Carey
Michelle Carnes
Dan Colburn
Alison Doherty
Richard Elwood
Alyson Erwin

Jillian Fehringer
Amanda Gash
Joe Geisendorfer
Leisa Greth-Bark
Lauren Heger
Dave Howard
Shaina Jewell
Melissa Johnson
Cary Joice
Laura Kampling
Cyndi Kennedy
Kristen Kennedy
Laurie Langille
Megan Martinka
Tiffany Mertlick

Amy Miller
Cindy Neth-Wilson
Mikala Nightengale
Bea Nolte
Sonja Parson
Peggy Plaus
Kirsten Ryerson
Lori Smith
Nate Taylor
Allison Trost
Steve Vanzant

Official Nomination Form Distinguished Teacher Award

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

_____.

Signature

Printed Name

____ Uses methods conducive to learning

____ Inspires critical thinking

____ Applies motivational techniques in teaching

____ Shows leadership in a positive manner

____ Participates in school and community activities

____ Develops students to become worthwhile citizens

____ Other _____

I would be willing to provide a specific example which relates to the items marked below for a follow up letter to be included in the notebook that will be presented to the honoree at a later date.

Please return your nomination to the Main Office by Friday, December 8. Thank you!