



Firemen's Association of the State of New York

# Teacher of the Year Award

## Overview

The Firemen's Association of the State of New York has established this prestigious award in an effort to honor teachers in New York State whose efforts in presenting fire prevention and life safety lessons exemplify their commitment to the safety of the children they teach.

## Criteria

The FASNY Fire Prevention and Life Safety Committee presents one award to a teacher at the elementary or secondary level, currently teaching in a public, private or parochial school in New York State. This teacher clearly demonstrates a commitment to the instructional process of fire prevention and life safety education.

Criteria have been set as a guideline for this award. They include:

- Active participation in FASNY's Fire Prevention and Life Safety Contests and in programs such as the Team New York Risk Watch Initiative.
- Instructional strategies that emphasize fire prevention and life safety and the use of New York State's volunteer firefighters in this effort.
- Creative ways of introducing fire prevention and life safety into the school and classroom.

These criteria are not intended to be all inclusive. Other qualifications may be considered if the committee feels they meet the intent of this award.

## Nominations

Nominations for the Teacher of the Year Award may be submitted by a fire company, fire department, county fire association, sectional fire association, school principal or school administrator.

Nominations must be received by the Fire Prevention and Life Safety Committee by February 28th.

Letters of support and any other supporting material accompanying the nomination will become the property of FASNY.

The award winner will be notified by May 1st.

The presentation of this award will be made at a local ceremony.





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## Instructions

Please attach separate pages to answer the following:

1. How long has the teacher been involved with FASNY fire prevention and life safety programs (e.g., essay contest, poster contest, etc.)? Include any involvement that this teacher has with the Risk Watch curriculum in his or her classroom.
2. What activities does this teacher initiate that makes him or her stand out over others? Please include pictures, videos, self-made lessons and events that make this teacher outstanding. Also feel free to include any additional remarks about this teacher.

## Deadline

This form, with all supporting materials, must be mailed to FASNY by February 28th.

## Mail to

FASNY Teacher of the Year  
107 Washington Ave.  
Albany, NY 12210-2269

**Disclaimer:** Letters of support and any other submitted materials accompanying the nomination, such as examples of curriculum, will become the property of FASNY.

## Nomination submitted by

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Department / Association / School: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: (     ) \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: (     ) \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

## Teacher of the Year Award nominee

Teacher's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade Level / Subject: \_\_\_\_\_

School Name: \_\_\_\_\_

School Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

School Telephone: (     ) \_\_\_\_\_

Fax: (     ) \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher's Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: (     ) \_\_\_\_\_