

**HONOR AN OUTSTANDING
EDUCATOR, COUNSELOR OR
ADMINISTRATOR FROM:**

All Saints

Holy Name

Jesuit Academy

Madonna School

Sacred Heart

St. Augustine Indian Mission

St. Bernard

St. Philip Neri

Sts. Peter and Paul

2018 HONOREES



Jenny Bradley
Holy Name School, Omaha



Cheryl Morgan
Sacred Heart School, Omaha

*“Catholic Schools have proven
to be of priceless value to
generations of children, teaching
them to know, love and serve God
and preparing them to take their
place with responsibility in the
community.”*

-Pope John Paul II

**2019
NOMINATION
FORM**

**EDUCATOR
of the YEAR AWARD**

**FOR SERVICE TO
INNER-CITY AND SPECIAL
NEEDS SCHOOLS IN THE
ARCHDIOCESE OF OMAHA**

**Recognizing the
extraordinary dedication
and professionalism
of those who educate
children under special
circumstances
in an atmosphere of love
and respect.**

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Archdiocese of Omaha

Celebrating Catholic Education

PURPOSE OF THE AWARD

- **Highlight** the excellent work of educators in the inner-city and special needs schools of the Archdiocese of Omaha.
- **Recognize** the extraordinary dedication and professionalism of those who educate children in an atmosphere of love and respect.
- **Encourage** educators to continue their service to these schools.
- **Thank** educators who serve these special children.

AWARD

- Each honoree will receive an award of **\$5,000** from the Archdiocese of Omaha, funded by the Maginn Family Foundation.
- **Awards** will be presented at the Archbishop's Dinner for Education on **September 12, 2019**.

SELECTION CRITERIA

- **Selections** will be made by the Board of Directors of the Maginn Family Foundation in consultation with principals and pastors.
- Each nomination must be accompanied by at least three but no more than ten letters of recommendation signed by parents, colleagues, school board members and former students. Letters from both the pastor/president and principal are required. Each letter should identify the relationship to the nominee.
- Letters of recommendation should provide specific examples of extraordinary levels of dedication, professionalism and the other characteristics on which nomination is based.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

- **Administrators** (includes Presidents, Principals and Assistant Principals) serving in one of the inner-city or special needs schools listed in this brochure during the 2018-2019 school year.
- **Elementary Teachers and Counselors** serving in one of the inner-city or special needs schools listed in this brochure during the 2018-2019 school year.

QUALIFICATIONS

SERVICE

- At least five years of continuous service in one of the archdiocesan schools listed in this brochure.
- Must be returning for the 2019-2020 school year.

DEDICATION

- Strong personal commitment to Catholic education.
- Service above and beyond the ordinary.
- Displays Christian character inside and outside the classroom.

PROFESSIONALISM

- Evidence of life-long learning.
- Mentoring experience.
- Involvement in school programs outside the classroom.
- Willingness and ability to adapt teaching techniques to meet the needs of students.
- Held in high regard by peers, students and parents.

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NOMINATE AN EDUCATOR

Educator of the Year Award for Service to Inner-City and Special Needs Schools

Name of Nominee

Current Position

School

Years of experience at this school

Years of experience in Catholic education

Years of experience in education

Nomination Coordinator:

Name

Address

City, State, Zip

Phone #

Email

Mail form and letters of recommendation by **March 4, 2019** to:

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Contact the Stewardship & Development Office at 402.557.5650 with any questions