



## NEWTON COMMUNITY EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION Excellence in Education Award 2023-2024

### **Purpose**

Each year, the Newton Community Educational Foundation accepts nominations and awards teachers with Excellence in Education awards to recognize teaching excellence amongst Newton Community School faculty.

### **Selection Process**

The Newton Community Educational Foundation Board will select from the nominated teachers annually to be recognized for teaching excellence.

### **Criteria**

1. The candidate should be an exceptionally dedicated, knowledgeable, and skilled faculty member, pre-kindergarten through grade twelve, who is planning to remain active as a professional educator.
2. The candidate should inspire students to learn.
3. The candidate should have the respect, admiration, and support of students, parents, and colleagues.
4. The candidate should play an active role in the Newton Community School District.
5. The candidate should be poised, articulate, and enthusiastic.
6. Prior winners of the Excellence in Education Award will be eligible for awards, please note this is a change from years prior.
7. Nominations should come from parents, students, alumni and community members ONLY. No teacher can nominate another teacher.

### **Completed Nomination Forms**

- 1) **Deadline – Monday, January 1, 2024**
- 2) Return completed nomination forms via the contact information below or to any NCSD building principal.

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NEWTON COMMUNITY EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION  
Excellence in Education Award

Nomination Form for NCEF Excellence in Education Award

Nominee: \_\_\_\_\_ School Building: \_\_\_\_\_

Nominee's current position (grade level/subject area): \_\_\_\_\_

Please write a paragraph giving evidence why/how this candidate meets the criteria for the NCEF Excellence in Education Award.

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Nominator: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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