

NEWTON COMMUNITY EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION

Excellence in Education Award

Purpose

To recognize teaching excellence

Selection Process

Each school will select one teacher 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 and useful role in the Newton community as well as in the school.
5. The candidate should be poised, articulate, and enthusiastic.
6. Prior recipients of the Excellence in Education Awards are not eligible for this award.

Prior winners of the Excellence in Education Award who are not eligible for awards:

Schools	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
Aurora Heights –	Paula Klosterboer	Jack Crandell	Susan Sheeks	Jane Cibula	Karen Shump
Berg Elementary –	JoAnn Bringolf	Rose Evans	Jayne Freese	Neala Veenstra	Jill Bartello
Emerson Hough –	JoAnne Price	Eloise Anthony	Kayla Simonson	Wendy Turner	Mary Bartels
Thomas Jefferson –	Darcy Soule	Shelly Fitzgerald	Diane Babcock	Donna Sogard	Andrew Stone
Woodrow Wilson –	Rick Miller	Leanne Linn	Susan Hawk	Barb Burnett	Barbara Hackworth
Berg Middle School –	Tom Tisdale	Dennis Brostrom	Brenda Hodnett	Melissa Travis	Deborah Rose
Newton High School –	George Wilkening	Tina Stammeyer	Sarah Patterson	John Williams	Jim Marter
Basics & Beyond HS-					Jackie Farrier
Schools	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
Aurora Heights –	Teri Selbher	Julie Francisco	Julie Saugstad	Jessica Cole	Matt Oleson
Berg Elementary –	Betsy Kessler	Sara VanManen	Nikki Barr	Lori Hildebrand	Tara Roberts
Emerson Hough –	Marla Cory	Amy Weaver	Mike Castings	Miranda Bratland	
Thomas Jefferson –	Barb Wesson	Melissa Bennett	Marcy Milburn	Sandy Stephens	Heidi Holley
Woodrow Wilson –	June Clute	Kristi Peters	Kris Baker	Kelly Murley	Scott Enyart
Berg Middle School –	Lisa Barnett	Lynn Keller	Mark Pollastrini	Darren Hurt	Tara Peska
Newton High School –	Chris Forsyth	Karen Clark	Andrea Hogeland	Jill Stanton	Karla Cazett
Basics & Beyond HS-	Judy Nissly	Phil Calvin	Robyn Naberhaus	Charlet Daft	Kathy Ventling

