**2022 NEW HAMPSHIRE**

**TEACHER OF THE YEAR**

**General Information/Signatures**

Nominee Name

Home Address

 ( )

 City State Zip Code Telephone

Date of Birth

E-mail Address

School Name

School Address

 ( )

 City State Zip Code Telephone

School Profile (check one):  Urban  Suburban  Rural

Number of Students in Nominee's: District Building

Major Subject Area (if any) Grade Level

Total Years of Teaching Experience Years in Present Position

**I hereby give my permission that any or all of the attached materials (other than home address, telephone, and DOB) may be shared with persons interested in promoting the National Teacher of the Year Program. I acknowledge that I am certified in the State of NH and intend to continue in the teaching profession.**

Signature of Candidate Date

**I acknowledge that the nominee submits this application with my approval. If the nominee is selected as the 2022 National Teacher of the Year, he or she will be released from classroom responsibilities during the year of recognition.**

Name of School Principal Date

Signature of School Principal

**SCHOOL DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT**

Name Title

Business Address

 City State Zip Code Telephone

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Signature of District Superintendent Date

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**NOMINATION APPLICATION**

**Nominee’s Position Paper** (type size no smaller than 10pt):

**Question 1** - “Why should I be chosen as the 2022 New Hampshire Teacher of the Year?” In your response, please address the following areas: (maximum three pages)

1. How did you create community in your classroom this year? Please be specific and reflect on the strategies that you used
2. how do you ensure that your students are connected to the world around them and that learning is happening everywhere; and
3. how do you use the standards to design your lesson as well as data to make informed decisions about instruction?
4. What are the tools and resources that you need to be successful as a teacher? What are some of the barriers and challenges that prevent that from happening?

**Question 2** – Describe a lesson that defines you as a teacher. How did you engage all students in the learning and how did that learning influence your students? How are your beliefs about teaching demonstrated in this lesson? (maximum one page)

**Question 3** - What does a successful student in your class look like and what are the tools and performance measures you deem as important indicators to achieve this success? (maximum one page)

**Question 4** - If chosen as Teacher of the Year, you would serve as a leader and ambassador for the entire teaching profession. In your message please discuss what changes you believe are needed in our educational delivery system to strengthen and improve the teaching profession? (maximum one page)

**Letters of Support** - (limit of three letters **one page** each)

Include **three** letters of support from any of the following: superintendent, principal, administrator, colleague, student/former student, parent, or civic leader. At least one letter should be from your principal or supervisor.

**Resume** (limit two pages)

Education

Certification(s)

Experience

Leadership

Awards and Other Recognition

Send **ONLY the information requested** and do not exceed the maximum length allowed for each item. In the interest of fairness to all nominees, any additional information will not be forwarded to the selection committee. Please do not staple your application.

**Deadline: Wednesday, March 31, 2021**

Mail to: NH Teacher of the Year Coordinator

 Attention: Shirley Hadley

 NH Department of Education

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 Concord, NH 03301

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