

**TEACHER RECOGNITION PROGRAM**  
**2009-2010**  
**TEACHER NOMINATION FORM – PART I**

Please accept the name of the following teacher as a nominee for the Governor’s Teacher Recognition Program.

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

Grade or Subject taught: \_\_\_\_\_

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

**ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS**

The eligibility requirements stated below are taken from a New Jersey State Department of Education Bulletin entitled “Governor’s Teacher Recognition Program.”

The Governor’s Teacher Recognition Program is an integral part of New Jersey’s initiatives to recruit talented, new teachers and recognize, reward, and renew the many fine educators already in our schools. The program also includes a public recognition ceremony to honor grant recipients on the state and local level.

Teachers selected by the panel must have distinguished themselves during the 2009-2010 school year through exceptional contributions in the following areas:

Use of effective techniques and methods  
Establishment of productive, instructional climate and rapport with students  
Developments of feelings of self-worth and love of learning in students

This nomination form should be duplicated to all teachers and administrators.

- **ONLY PERMANENT CERTIFIED TEACHERS ARE ELIGIBLE FOR SELECTION.**
- **TEACHERS WHO WON IN EITHER OF THE PREVIOUS TWO (2) YEARS 2007-2008, 2008-2009 ARE NOT ELIGIBLE.**
- **TEACHERS ON LEAVE ARE NOT ELIGIBLE.**
- **FOR THE PURPOSE OF THIS PROGRAM THE TEACHER’S PRIMARY RESPONSIBILITY MUST BE CLASSROOM INSTRUCTION.**

**NOMINATION FORM – PART II**

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

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

Please complete the form below with information indicating your nominee has met the eligibility requirements for this reward.

1. Use of effective techniques and methods.

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2. Establishment of productive instructional climate and rapport with students.

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3. Development of feelings of self-worth and love of learning in students.

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4. Other

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