

WSPTA State Level Awards Nomination Form

Outstanding Service / Honorary Life Membership
Outstanding Advocate / Outstanding Educator / Friend of Children



Each year, Washington State PTA (WSPTA) honors individuals or groups for their **state level service and/or advocacy** on behalf of children by presenting them with a WSPTA award. Recipients of these awards further the vision and mission of WSPTA through their service and/or advocacy at the state level. All awards may not be given out every year.

This is your opportunity to nominate an individual or group for WSPTA to consider for recognition. The WSPTA Awards Committee will use the information you provide to judge the nominees, so please provide as much detail as possible. Nominees who do not meet the state level criteria will not be considered but could be nominated at the local PTA or council level.

Submitter Information:

Submitted By:	<input type="checkbox"/> Individual	<input type="checkbox"/> Local PTA	<input type="checkbox"/> Council
Name (Individual/Local PTA/Council):			
PTA# (If Local PTA or Council):			
Email:			
Phone Number:			

In recognition of their **state level service and/or advocacy**, please consider the following nominee for a WSPTA Award.

State Level Service Awards:

- **Outstanding Service** – Recognizes **statewide service** to children. It is awarded to an individual who has given dedicated and long-term volunteer service that positively impacts every child throughout Washington state while demonstrating the WSPTA core values.
- **Honorary Life Membership** – Recognizes an individual who has contributed significantly to the development, growth, and sustainability of WSPTA at the **state level**. It is awarded to someone who has shown extraordinary commitment to WSPTA’s vision and mission.

State Level Advocacy Awards:

- **Outstanding Advocate** – Recognizes **statewide advocacy** and commitment in helping to create strong policies relating to the health, welfare, safety, and education of children and youth. The individual should have furthered WSPTA’s policy positions (legislative principles, resolutions, and legislative issues), by activities such as, but not limited to, submitting policy positions, testifying on policy positions on behalf of WSPTA, or representing WSPTA on workgroups or coalitions.
- **Outstanding Educator** - Recognizes **statewide level** continued and dedicated contributions and efforts to enhance the educational outcomes of all children or youth. This is the “Educator of the Year” award from WSPTA (an educator may be an individual or group and is not limited to a teacher).
- **Friend of Children** – Recognizes **state level** dedication to all children through service aligned with WSPTA’s vision and mission supporting the welfare, health, safety and/or education of Washington state’s children.

Nominee Information (attach additional pages if necessary):

Name (Individual or Group):	
Email:	
Phone Number:	
PTA Member?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown/NA
Current PTA Role (if applicable):	
Please Consider Nominee For:	<input type="checkbox"/> State Level Service Award <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Outstanding Service• Honorary Lifetime Achievement <input type="checkbox"/> State Level Advocacy Award <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Outstanding Advocate• Outstanding Educator• Friend of Children
PTA Service or Advocacy: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Statewide service or advocacy• Other service or advocacy (optional):<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Council service or advocacy○ Local PTA service or advocacy○ School or local community service or advocacy○ Other involvement relating to children	
Why does this individual or group deserve statewide recognition:	
Please share any personal information we might use when presenting the award, should this nominee be chosen (OPTIONAL):	

Email or mail form:	awards@wastatepta.org Washington State PTA Attn: WSPTA Awards Committee 1304 South Fawcett Ave., Suite #300 Tacoma, WA 98402 ☎ 253-214-7410
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Postmark Deadline: March 15, 2018

Please keep a copy for your records.