



**Alberta School Boards Association
2021 Friends of Education Award**

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Background

The Friends of Education Award recognizes organizations in the community who have made a special contribution to education in your local community.

Criteria

This service must be documented and be local in character. The major criterion for the Friends of Education Award is a significant contribution to education in your local community. Nominees should be demonstrably committed to the improvement of education for Alberta students.

Procedural Guidelines

Each school board may only nominate one (1) candidate to the **zone selection committee**. The zone committee will review the nomination forms.

This award may not be made to an organization in conjunction with another ASBA award. No more than one Friends of Education Awards per zone shall be conferred in one year with the exception of zone 2/3 who can submit two.

School board submission process and deadline

Upon school board approval of the nomination, the school superintendent, or his/her authorized representative, will submit one (1) complete electronic copy and one (1) paper copy of the completed nomination package to the **zone chair (or designate)** of the ASBA zone in which your jurisdiction is located **by March 19, 2021**, as shown below.

Zone 1, Ms. Robyn Robertson Peace River School Division 10018 - 101 Street, Peace River AB, T8S 2A5 Email: RobertsonRob@prsd.ab.ca Tel: 780.834.6835	Zone 5, Ms. Jennifer Mertz Golden Hills School Division 435 A Highway #1, Strathmore, AB T1P 1J4 Email: jennifer.mertz@ghsd75.ca Tel: 403.324.0170
Zone 2/3, Ms. Colleen Holowaychuk Elk Island Public School 683 Wye Road, Sherwood Park AB, T8B 1N2 Email: colleen.holowaychuk@eips.ca Tel: 780.722.5370	Zone 6, Ms. Lori Hodges Livingstone Range School Division Box 1810, Fort Macleod AB, T0L 0Z0 Email: hodgesl@lrtd.ab.ca Tel: 403.634.6560
Zone 4, Ms. Laurette Woodward Red Deer Public Schools 4747 - 53 Street, Red Deer AB, T4N 2E6 Email: Laurette.woodward@rdpsd.ab.ca Tel: 403.343.1405	

Awards Presentation

An ASBA Friends of Education brass school bell will be awarded to a maximum of six Friends of Education recipients presented by the President of the Alberta School Boards Association to the recipient(s) at the ASBA Fall General Meeting.

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Nomination Form

Nomination forms must be completed and received by the **Zone Chair** on or before **March 19, 2021** to be considered. A board may not nominate more than one candidate for a Friends of Education Award. Boards may nominate an organization outside their own jurisdiction but within their zone. Please include either a photograph or logo of the organization with the nomination package in electronic format (e.g. jpeg).

The **Zone chair** will submit the recipients nomination package(s) to the ASBA offices once a recipient has been selected.

Nominee (Please record the nominee's name precisely as it should appear on the award)

Contact Name

Telephone

Email

Address

Jurisdiction

Town/City/Province/Postal Code

By motion of the Board at a meeting held on

MM/DD/YYYY

The zone committee is requested to consider the above nomination for the Friends of Education Award. (Please provide a copy of the motion). Information supporting the nomination must be included with this form. Please respond to the questions in full, attaching additional pages as required.

Nominator (Name)

Jurisdiction/Zone

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1. Describe the nominee's particular area of service, outlining the demonstrated outstanding leadership and competence. Attach additional pages as required.

2. Cite the benefits that have been derived by local students as a result of the nominee's actions.

3. Cite the time frame within which the nominee made their contributions to education.

4. Describe the nominee's relationship with the various members of the education community.

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5. Give examples of how the nominee has demonstrated an interest in and support for education and trusteeship in your respective zone.

6. Explain how this nominee has demonstrated leadership in education in your respective zone.

7. Outline how this nominee is highly effective in encouraging and fostering those in the field of education.

8. Outline the nominee's involvement in community activities other than those noted in the field of education.

Additional Comments: Include comments on the nominee's commitment to students, schools, trusteeship, and the community.