

Hanover Township Public Schools

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Dear Staff Member:

Again this year the Hanover Township Public Schools are coordinating the Teacher Recognition Program to recognize and honor outstanding teachers. "Teaching" staff includes all teachers, guidance counselors, nurses, school psychologists, social workers, and learning disabilities teacher consultants (LDTC). The selection panel composed of teachers, administrators and parents is asking for you to participate by nominating an outstanding teacher.

To nominate a staff member, please click on the links listed below. Nominations will be accepted through Friday, March 22, 2024.

- **Excellence in Service:** <https://forms.gle/6uCY7MEFd2SYzW5o8>
- **Teacher of the Year:** <https://forms.gle/yKWrt9Gvf1sekT7X9>

According to the selection process, nominees must have distinguished themselves during this school year through exceptional contributions in the following areas:

- At least two (2) years of experience in the district as a certified staff member
- Use of effective instructional techniques and methods
- Establishment of productive classroom climate and rapport with students
- Development of feelings of self-worth and love of learning in students

Please note, award recipients are not eligible for **three (3) years** following their selection. Those staff members are:

2020-2021

Gabriella Bracho
Melissa Myron
Jessica Sainato
Meghan Schenk

2021-2022

Kimberly Gibbs
Carolyn Masi
Rosanna Mead
Kimberly Mullooly

2022-2023

Lauren Baranek
Nora Czarnomski
Christina Kalavrouziotis
Rose Papera

We hope you take advantage of this opportunity to recognize outstanding teachers in our district.

Sincerely,

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