

# **Nomination Process for Excellence in Catholic Education Award**

The Excellence in Catholic Education award was established by the Council of Catholic School Superintendents of Alberta to communicate clearly and convincingly the benefits of Catholic education and its value to society. This prestigious award recognizes Catholic teachers in Alberta who have done an exemplary job in preparing our youth to grow into outstanding Catholic citizens. Each Catholic school jurisdiction chooses a recipient to be honoured annually at the Blueprints or SPICE Annual Spring Conference.

## **Who is eligible?**

To be eligible for this award a nominee must hold a teaching certificate and be working full time in Medicine Hat Catholic. He/she must be a practicing Catholic.

## **Who can nominate?**

Teachers, parents, administrators, members of the parish community

## **How do I nominate someone?**

1. Ask permission of the teacher to be nominated
2. Complete the nomination form using the criteria provided
3. Submit the nominee's name and form to the school administrator

## **When is the deadline?**

Nominations are due January 31<sup>st</sup>.

**Being nominated for this award is an honour; therefore each nominee will be recognized as an Ambassador for Catholic Education and will be presented with a certificate at a board meeting.**

## Nomination Form for the Excellence in Catholic Education Award

Name of nominee \_\_\_\_\_

School of nominee \_\_\_\_\_

Nominee has agreed to the nomination \_\_\_\_\_

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Please check eligibility requirements:

Works full time in Medicine Hat Catholic \_\_\_\_\_

Holds a teaching certificate \_\_\_\_\_

Practicing Catholic \_\_\_\_\_

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**In a one page summary, comment on why this faith-filled person is an outstanding candidate for this award?** Please refer to the criteria provided:

- Role models Catholic values and a Catholic lifestyle;
- Fosters the development of students and their spiritual, intellectual, social, emotional and physical growth;
- Motivates students to exceed their own expectations;
- Attends to individual student needs;
- Works collaboratively with colleagues and parish;
- Demonstrates an in-depth knowledge of subject matter, curriculum, and the integration of the teachings of the Catholic Church;
- Is involved in professional and spiritual growth activities;
- Achieves positive results in student learning
- Demonstrates caring for the well-being of students and colleagues, thereby contributing to a positive school climate

Please attach the summary to this page and submit to the school administrator.