

## International Excellence Awards for Teachers in Early Childhood Education

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### Nomination Form

These Awards give school communities the opportunity to honour talented, inspiring and dedicated Pre-school (minimum age 4) to Grade 6 teachers whose efforts often go unacknowledged.

Each year Heritage International Scholarship Trust Foundation (HISTF) will acknowledge, with US\$1,000 awards, six teachers who have introduced innovative teaching strategies to their classrooms and, in doing so, have widened the horizons of their students. Teachers will be selected from the countries in which Heritage International operates.

We are pleased that you have chosen to nominate a teacher. To complete the nomination please:

- Read the **Official Nomination Criteria and the Requirements for Award Entitlement**
- Print the form and complete all fields
- Provide a testimonial: Attach your testimonial in type-written format(350 words maximum), outlining the contributions of the nominated teacher, to this completed form.

#### Nominator's Information

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Last Name: _____	Given Name: _____
How do you know the nominated teacher? _____	
Address: _____	
Country: _____	
Telephone: Home: (    ) _____	Business : (    ) _____ ext: _____
Email: _____	

#### Nominated Teacher's Information

Last Name: _____	Given Name: _____
Address: _____	
Country: _____	
Telephone: (    ) _____	ext: _____
Email (if available): _____ Teacher of Grade _____	

#### School's Information

Name of School: _____
Address: _____
Country: _____
Telephone: (    ) _____ Email (if available): _____



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### How did you find out about the International Excellence Awards for Teachers in Early Childhood Education?

- Colleague                       Friend                       Relative                       Parent-Teacher Association
- Heritage Web site               Heritage e-mail communication               Teacher/ School Principal               Heritage Representative
- Other: (Please provide details) \_\_\_\_\_

Please attach your testimonial (350 words maximum) to this completed Nomination Form and mail it to:

Heritage International Scholarship Trust Foundation  
2005 Sheppard Avenue East, Suite 700  
Toronto, Ontario, M2J 5B4  
Canada

Attention: International Excellence Awards for Teachers

You may also submit the form to your local Heritage Office. **The deadline is December 15th.**

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### Official Nomination Criteria and Requirements for Award Entitlement

- Anyone who is familiar with the teacher, except family members, may submit a nomination.
- Teachers must be nominated.
- Teachers cannot nominate themselves.
- Nominees must hold a position teaching one or a combination of classes ranging from Pre-school, minimum age 4 years, to Grade 6.
- Employees of Heritage International Scholarship Trust Foundation, Heritage Education Funds International, affiliated organizations and their immediate families, are not eligible.
- Nominees must be residents of Countries in which Heritage International operates.
- Nominations postmarked after December 15<sup>th</sup> will not be considered.
- Nominations must be dated and must include:
  - The name and contact information of the nominator and the teacher
  - A testimonial describing the contributions made by the teacher
- A specially selected committee will assess qualifying nominations.
- Nominators, nominees and references may be contacted by the selection committee to verify the information provided in the nomination testimonial.
- Nominators, nominees and references may not contact members of the selection committee other than to provide information requested by the selection committee.
- The selection committee will first select a pool of leading nominations from each country. From this pool, the selection committee will then select the nominees for six **Heritage International Scholarship Trust Foundation International Excellence Awards for Teachers in Early Childhood Education**.
- Awards in their entirety are intended for the selected nominees and not the nominator.

To receive an Award, selected nominees must agree to the following terms and conditions:

- Selected nominees must agree to have their names and images used by Heritage International Scholarship Trust Foundation, Heritage Education Funds International and affiliated organizations for promotional purposes.
- Selected nominees must allow the Heritage International Scholarship Trust Foundation, Heritage Education Funds International and affiliated organizations to publish details from their teaching situation.
- Selected nominees must each sign a declaration attesting to the accuracy of the nomination provided.