



# NOMINATION INSTRUCTIONS

## *2022 Edna V. Folger Outstanding Teacher Award*

### **Award includes**

- A monetary stipend
- An individual award for the recipient
- The recipient's name is added to a permanent plaque at the Columbus Learning Center

### **Goal**

- To renew awareness of the immeasurable influence educators have on their students and to recognize the traditional image of the educator as a community role model

### **Eligible**

- Any full-time, elementary, or secondary classroom teacher or educator working in a Bartholomew County public, private, or parochial school. Classroom, special education, or specials teachers; certified educators; counselors; and administrators are all eligible.

### **Deadline**

- Materials must be received by the IUPUC Center for Teaching & Learning, 4555 Central Avenue, Columbus, IN 47203 by **4 p.m. on Friday, January 21, 2022.**
- Please visit [www.iupuc.edu/ctl/folger-award](http://www.iupuc.edu/ctl/folger-award) for complete information and nomination instructions.

*The 2022 award will be presented at the  
Columbus Area Chamber of Commerce Annual Meeting.*



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This award recognizes educators who are role models for others, and is not intended as a lifetime achievement award for educators who might be ending their professional careers. Nominations remain active for three years. Nominations should be updated each year by the nominator and/or building principal or administrator.

<b><i>Edna V. Folger Outstanding Teacher Award Nomination Checklist</i></b>	
Nominee information	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Nominee name, school, grades and subjects taught or areas of expertise
Nominator information	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Name, email address, phone number, and relationship to nominee (if any)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Evidence from the building principal or administrator (email or other communication) to confirm he/she is aware of the nomination <b>(REQUIRED)</b>
Letters of recommendation:	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Student (current or former) <b>(REQUIRED)</b>
<input type="checkbox"/>	Parent of student (current or former)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Colleague or peer
Within the narrative, describe how the nominee goes above and beyond expectations of a typical educator. Address <b>each</b> of the following unique qualities and qualifications:	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Dedication to the profession
<input type="checkbox"/>	Ability to motivate students or staff
<input type="checkbox"/>	Professional competency and ability
<input type="checkbox"/>	Innovation in curriculum or approach to leadership
<input type="checkbox"/>	Relationship to students, parents, and peers
<input type="checkbox"/>	A distinctive philosophy of education
<input type="checkbox"/>	Contributions to the educational community, subject area promotion, student accomplishments, recognition by peers, educational honors or awards
<input type="checkbox"/>	Examples of the nominee's leadership as a community role model
Additional references and their contact information	
<b>Maximum nomination packet = 10 pages</b>	

The deadline for nominations is **4 p.m. on Friday, January 21, 2022**. Nominations should be submitted to the IUPUC Center for Teaching & Learning, 4555 Central Avenue, Columbus, IN 47203. You may also e-mail nomination documents to [mvannahm@iupuc.edu](mailto:mvannahm@iupuc.edu).

For additional information, contact Marsha VanNahmen at the IUPUC Center for Teaching & Learning, 812.375.7576.



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