



OCETF Awards 2009-2010

Nomination forms will be available on BEAM, the OCETF website as well as from the OCETF Office. The deadline for submission is APRIL 24. The only award not included in the Annual Awards Reception presentations is the Terry Murphy Award of Excellence, which will be presented at the 2008-2009 recipient's school.

OCETF Service/Leadership Award

Up to 4 awards may be granted annually where candidates are eligible.
Criteria for the OCETF Service/ OCETF Awards *Involvement with OCETF*:
*is a member in good standing of OCETF
*will have shown leadership within a school, the OCETF Local, or Provincial area that has benefited OCETF Members
Service to Teaching Profession:
*contributes to teaching profession
*demonstrates rapport with colleagues and members of the educational community
*advocates for teaching and all members related to education.

Honorary Life Membership

Honorary Life Membership nominees are chosen using the following criteria:
*have been members of the OCETF
*have been active supporters of the initiatives and objectives of the OCETF
*have made positive and significant contributions to the teaching profession
*have retired on pension
*have made significant contribution to the federation at the Local and/or Provincial level

Mary Hill Memorial Award

Criteria for the Mary Hill Memorial Award:
*a member who has served federation at the local level, for over five years in leadership positions
*the recipient will have served the federation as school representative, committee or provincial committee and may include executive service.
*is a member who has provided exemplary leadership at both the local and provincial levels

Honorary Membership Award

Honorary Membership nominees are chosen on the basis of the following criteria:
*is not and may never have been a member of the OCETF
*has supported by actions and initiatives the objectives of the OCETF
*has been involved with the Ottawa Carleton Elementary Teachers' Federation
*has made a positive and significant contribution to the teaching profession.

Terry Murphy Award of Excellence

In recognition of a school Chief Custodian by OCETF.
Criteria for the selection of the Terry Murphy Award of Excellence:
*fosters an exemplary learning environment, or
*demonstrates active support for the school objectives and projects, or
*demonstrates a supportive working relationship with both teachers and students.

New Teacher Service Award

In recognition of a new member to the teaching profession. The nominees are chosen using the following criteria where one award may be granted:
*is a member in good standing
*is in their first 5 years of teaching
*is nominated by 3 members in good standing who have worked with the nominee
*demonstrates good knowledge of Federation, and/or actively in Federation activities, and/or demonstrates Federation leadership (steward, committee member, etc.)