

TNTESOL Educator of the Year Award 2008

On March 8, TNTESOL will recognize an outstanding TNTESOL member at the 2008 conference in Memphis. Nominees should be K-12 ESL teachers with distinguished careers in English language teaching and a history of service to students, schools, and communities. Not only will we celebrate the 30th anniversary of TNTESOL, but we will also honor an English language educator who exemplifies the profession.

Please send the following items to the contact person in your area.

1. The nomination form below
2. A letter of recommendation with supporting information

Please include examples from the criteria below to describe the exceptional work of the nominee, but limit supporting information to no more than **one page**.

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All nominations must be received by Friday, February 8th. Nominations will not be accepted after the February 8th deadline.

Nominee for the TNTESOL ESL Educator Award	
Name:	_____
Address:	_____
Phone number:	_____
Email address:	_____
School district or institution:	_____
Grade level currently teaching (or retired):	_____
Years teaching or working in ESL:	_____

Person making the nomination

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone number: _____

Email address: _____

Capacity in which you know the nominee:

Signature: _____

Teaching

List examples of commitment and dedication, creativity and innovation in instructional strategies, and how the nominee demonstrates excellence in teaching in the ESL field.

Community Service

List examples of advocacy, service activities, volunteer and civic work that have served students, colleagues, schools, and communities with regard to the ESL field.

Leadership

List leadership activities, professional development, training, and other contributions by the nominee to the field of English as a second language.

Awards

List awards, special recognition, and remarkable accomplishments of the nominee in the ESL field.