



National Liberty Museum *Teacher as Hero Award 2011*

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The National Liberty Museum's *Teacher As Hero Award*, generously sponsored by State Farm®, recognizes dedicated teachers who give their best every day to inspire, nurture and educate America's young people.

Do you know a teacher who...?

- ★ *Has provided many years of service in the field of education*
- ★ *Demonstrates exceptional creativity in the classroom*
- ★ *Perseveres despite increasing challenges*
- ★ *Volunteers in his/her community outside of school*
- ★ *Defuses violence and bullying among students*
- ★ *Serves as a role model to other teachers*

Exceptional teachers are easy to spot...



Winners will receive recognition and gifts
at an awards ceremony in March 2012
and their stories will be featured in a Museum exhibit.

Please complete and return the form on back by January 25, 2012.



NATIONAL LIBERTY MUSEUM Teacher as Hero Award 2011 Nomination Form

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Please complete and return no later than January 25, 2012.

1. Provide complete contact information for the nominee:

Teacher's name: _____

Name of school: _____

School mailing address: _____

Teacher's Grade Level/Subject: _____

Teacher's home address: _____

Teacher's Email (required): _____

Teacher's day phone: _____ Other phone: _____

Principal's name: _____ Principal's Email: _____

2. Nominated by:

Your name: _____ Today's Date: _____

Your school, organization or business: _____

Your home address: _____

Your day phone: _____ Other phone: _____

Your Email: _____

Your relationship to the teacher: _____

3. Check the achievement(s) which you believe qualify your teacher nominee for this award:

- Longevity of Commitment** - Has provided 25+ years of dedicated service in the teaching profession
- Effectiveness of Methods** - Has achieved continued success in the classroom through a range of creative teaching approaches
- Perseveres Despite Challenges** - Demonstrates enduring efforts to assist students despite ever-increasing challenges in the classroom
- Role Model to Colleagues** - Provides encouragement, guidance and mentoring to fellow teachers
- Community Involvement** - Gives selflessly of time and skills to the community outside of school
- Maintains a Safe Classroom** - Has mastered the ability to defuse violence and bullying among students
- Other, please describe** _____

4. Attach your recommendation:

Please attach a detailed one-page summary describing this teacher's achievements based on the categories you checked above.

5. Return form by January 25, 2012

MAIL: *Teacher as Hero* Award, National Liberty Museum, 321 Chestnut St., Philadelphia, PA 19106

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Winners will be selected by a panel assembled by the Museum. You will be notified of their decision prior to the awards ceremony in March, 2012

Questions? Please call Nick Ospa at 215-925-2800, x140