



Fourth Annual

"Outstanding People for Education" Award

(Sponsored by the Allegan County School Boards Association)



Do you know someone who has "made a difference" to a student in your district?

The purpose of the "Outstanding People for Education" recognition is to honor and recognize people in education who are excelling in their field and/or making an impact in the quality of public education in Allegan County.

Examples of whom you might nominate:

- a teacher or classroom aide
- an administrator, secretary or board of education member
- a bus driver, custodian, or other school support staff
- social worker, therapist, or consultant
- a volunteer or community member who supports education

OR Anyone else who has made an impact!

Things to consider when submitting a nomination:

1. Someone involved in education who has made a difference in the overall quality of public education in Allegan County by:

- demonstrating knowledge and skill in his/her area of responsibility.
- developing unique programs that have enhanced the classroom learning experience.
- playing a leadership role in education.
- is a true "team player" in a school setting.
- providing support for a program, service, or event that significantly impacts education.
- exhibiting an attitude that promotes a positive working and learning environment and reflects positively on your school district.

2. Someone who has made an impact on the quality of an individual student's educational experience by:

- demonstrating sensitivity to the needs of individual students.
- providing service "above and beyond" (over and above their job description).

Deadline for nomination: April 1st

I would like to nominate:

Nominee

School District and Building/Department

Home Address or Phone (if known)

Position (teacher, volunteer, bus driver, etc.)

Person Submitting (Your Name):

**If you wish to remain anonymous, please check this box.*

Name and Address

Phone

Email

Relationship to Nominee (co-worker, parent of student, etc.)

Please explain how this person has impacted the quality of education in your school and/or tell why this person has made a difference in your (or another child's) individual education. Feel free to use the criteria mentioned above as you write, give examples from your own experience, and speak from your heart! **Attach another sheet, if necessary.**

**Please send nomination form to: Joni VanNieuwenhuyzen
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 or email the requested information to: jonivan@alleganps.org**