



## 2027 Outstanding Teacher of the Gifted Award

**Note: Each school district is eligible to nominate one candidate from its system for the NCAGT Outstanding Teacher of the Gifted Award.**

### Criteria

#### All nominees must:

- Be certified by the State of North Carolina to teach gifted students.
- Have taught gifted children/youth for at least three years.
- Be teaching gifted children/youth during the current school year. (This may include regular classroom teachers, consultation teachers, or AIG teachers.)
- Exhibit outstanding qualities related to gifted education in the areas of teaching, curriculum development and adaptation, working with gifted children/youth, working with parents, participating in PAGE activities where applicable, and/or dealing with other staff and administrators.
- Exhibit a strong commitment to gifted education through professional experiences, professional organizations, and/or services in the area of education for the gifted.
- Be a current member of NCAGT (may renew or join if necessary).
- May not have been a previous state level winner of NCAGT's Outstanding Teacher of the Gifted Award.

**Participating school districts will be notified of the finalists in mid-January of 2027 and the NCAGT Outstanding Teacher of the Gifted Finalists will be recognized at a special event during the annual NCAGT Conference in Concord. The recipient of the Outstanding Teacher of the Gifted award will receive a plaque of recognition.**

Please contact the Awards Committee at [awards@ncagt.org](mailto:awards@ncagt.org) should you have any questions about the applications or submission process.

**Digital Application Return your scanned nomination or DIGITAL LINKS of documents via email to [awards@ncagt.org](mailto:awards@ncagt.org)**

***Application must be emailed before midnight December 15, 2026.***



**DISTRICT NOMINATION**  
**2025 NCAGT Outstanding Teacher of the Gifted Award**

Nominee's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

School(s) presently teaching: \_\_\_\_\_

Principal name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

County/District: \_\_\_\_\_

Name and Address of District Superintendent

Name and Address of District AIG Coordinator

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Email: \_\_\_\_\_

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**(Superintendent's Signature)**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**(District AIG Coordinator Signature)**

I wish to nominate \_\_\_\_\_ as the  
2025 NCAGT Outstanding Teacher of the Gifted for our school district. I have attached a  
one-page statement of support, citing specific examples of his/her contributions.

Printed Nominator's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Professional Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: (Please indicate if home or work) \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_



**NOMINEE Form**  
**2025 NCAGT Outstanding Teacher of the Gifted Award**

Nominee's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Home/Cell Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Work Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Subject(s)/Grade Level(s): \_\_\_\_\_

In what areas are you certified by the State of North Carolina? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Total years of teaching experience: \_\_\_\_\_ Total years teaching AIG: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a member of NCAGT? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

**The nominee must submit the following information in a Word document or PDF in the format below.**

☐ Complete the Professional Development Information section.

☐ Submit three (3) letters of recommendation from a supervisor, colleague, and student/or parent relating the nominee's specific areas of strength in gifted education.

☐ One page response describing innovative/effective instructional techniques and accomplishments that are, or have been, a part of your teaching.

☐ One page response identifying an issue that is important to you in regards to gifted education and your vision of how this issue may be addressed.

Note: Information submitted above may be shared with others through the *NCAGT Newsletter*.



## Professional Development Information

### Previous Teaching Experience

(Please list in chronological order beginning with the most recent position)

| Date | Institution | Location | Position |
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### Educational Background

| Date | Institution | Location | Position |
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### Professional Involvement

Participation in professional organization; service on task forces, committees, commissions, workshops, and conferences; curriculum development; work with parents; honors and awards.

*(Please use space below and continue on additional sheets if necessary)*