

Crystal Apple Award

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Nomination Criteria: (any of the below, all are not required)

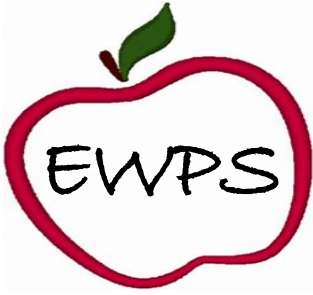
- The nominee is **any staff member**, certified or non-certified, who has demonstrated an understanding of the needs of students as an individual and/or as a group of students. (i.e. ,Classroom, cafeteria, counseling, etc.)
- The nominee demonstrates through their actions, supportive and caring relationships.
- The nominee helps to support a positive and compassionate school climate where students and adults are physically, emotionally and intellectually safe.
- The nominee encourages a love for learning and promotes student success both academically and socially.
- The nominee exhibits a collegial and collaborative approach and challenges students to reach high standards and expectations.

Nomination Process:

- Candidates may be nominated for the Crystal Apple Award based on any, or all of the above criteria, by his/her colleague(s). Please submit a nomination form, at any time, by the end of the quarter.
- Individuals nominated previously, may be nominated again.

Selection Process:

- Based on the nomination criteria the Selection Committee will review each nomination and then choose a recipient for each quarter.
- One candidate from each school will be selected as a Crystal Apple Award recipient per quarter.
- Award recipients will receive an engraved Crystal Apple, in addition will be recognized at a faculty meeting and at a Board of Education meeting.



Crystal Apple Award Nomination Form

Name _____ Date _____

I nominate _____ for this quarter's Crystal Apple Award.

(Briefly explain reasons for the nomination)

I believe that this person is deserving of the award because: