

SNA-NC Partner in Education Award

Purpose

The School Nutrition Association of North Carolina Partner in Education Award is designed to recognize outstanding professional performance through continuing service and leadership in nutrition education at the local level. Outstanding performance of integrating nutrition education activities in both the cafeteria and classroom will be recognized.

Who is Eligible

Entries may be made by **any** individual who is a current member of the School Nutrition Association of North Carolina .

Criteria or Rules

1. Complete one Lesson/Activity Summary Sheet for each topic presented.
2. Activities may include tasting classes, demonstrations, exhibits, talks before PTA/PTO, parents, students, or community groups which specifically promote or deal with Nutrition Education or Standards.
3. Entries should cover the period of **September 1 through April 15** of the school year. A minimum of **five different** lessons is required not to exceed ten lessons. Each lesson must be at least 20 minutes. If the same lesson is used, it must target different groups and the objectives must reflect the differences in lessons.
4. The participant has the responsibility for securing and compiling all entry form(s) and the personal data sheet.
5. Two objectives must be listed for each lesson/activity.
6. Additional information may be included such as pictures, newspaper articles, letters, etc.
7. Material should be compiled in **one 2”** thick or smaller notebook. Entries in notebooks larger than this will be disqualified.
8. Refer to judging criteria for additional guidance.

To Apply

1. Complete personal data sheet.
2. Abide by the rules set above.
3. All entries must be received by May 1 of the school year for which the project was completed.

Judging

Prior to June 1, the Awards/Nominations Chair of the School Nutrition Association of North Carolina will submit entries to a qualified panel of judges to select the winning entries. There will be a first, second, and third place winner. A summary of the judges' comments will be made and attached to each entry.

Presentation of Awards

The awards will be presented at the Annual meeting of the School Nutrition Association of North Carolina in June. Winners' pictures will appear in the Fall issue of the *ARROW*.

For further information, please contact the Awards/Nominations Chair.

The Award/Nominations Chair for 2016-2017 is:

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Note

Holiday menus and decorations or special days for parents to visit are not necessarily eligible. These are promotions, but may be eligible if nutrition instruction is provided in advance.

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Applicant Data Information**

Instructions: Complete and place as page 1 with entry.

Name: _____
Home Address: _____
City/State/Zip: _____
Home Phone: _____
E-mail: _____

Present Employment

CN Position: _____
School System: _____
School Name: _____
Principal: _____
School Address: _____
City/State/Zip: _____
School Phone: _____

Child Nutrition Director: _____
Address: _____
City/State/Zip: _____
Phone: _____

Superintendent's Name: _____

SNA/SNA-NC Membership Number: _____
Expiration date: _____

Number of Lessons Submitted: _____

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Lesson/Activity Summary Sheet

Instructions

Complete one summary sheet for each lesson submitted.

Lesson/Activity Title: _____

Date(s) Presented: _____

Location of Lesson/Activity: _____

Target Audience (Students, parents, teacher, other) _____

Grade level of Students: _____ Number in Attendance: _____

Objectives: The student will be able to:

1. _____

2. _____

Summary of Lesson/Activity:

List Resources:

Description of Visual Aids Used:

Give specific examples of how your project affected your audience, for example, letters of appreciation, student work sheets, etc.

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Judging Criteria

Entrant _____

Criteria	Maximum Points	Points Earned
1. Lesson/Activity	20	
Promotes partnership between Child Nutrition and Instruction	(10)	
Increases knowledge of Dietary Guidelines for Americans	(10)	
2. Presentation	30	
Originality of Theme	(5)	
Creativity of Presentation	(5)	
Visual Aids Used	(5)	
Resources Used	(5)	
Clearly stated, well organized, and to the point	(10)	
3. Results	40	
Number of people/different groups reached	(10)	
Positive Impact on audience	(10)	
Positive benefits to Child Nutrition Program	(10)	
Objectives were met	(10)	
4. Documentation	10	
Pictures, newspaper articles, letters, student work sheets, etc.	(10)	
Total Points	100	

Judges Comments: _____

