

In proud partnership with the Cabot Classroom Teacher Association, Cabot Panther Foundation & Centennial Bank of Cabot to honor our districts most outstanding educators.

## **How It Works**

- School level nominations will be open February 11-March 13, 2020. Teachers may be nominated via the Google form listed on the district website: <u>www.cabotschools.org</u>
- Anyone may nominate a teacher, including: supervisors, colleagues, parents, students, staff and community members.
- School level administration team will use a rubric to evaluate each nomination and submit school level winner to CAO.
- Each school level winner will be invited to complete a longer application as a nominee for Cabot Public Schools Teacher of the Year 2020.
- Applications will be reviewed by a CAO coordinated committee during the week of May 4-8. Applications will be blind scored using a rubric to evaluate each nomination.
- School level winners will be selected as finalists for Cabot Public Schools Teacher of the Year Award. A recognition lunch will be held April 30, 2020. Finalists will receive a congratulatory plaque sponsored by Centennial Bank & the Cabot Classroom Teacher Association. All Cabot Teacher of the Year finalists will receive a banner sponsored by Cabot Panther Foundation at the end of year district meeting.
- The top three nominees will be announced and honored at the end of year celebration on May 22, 2020.
- During the end of year district meeting in May, the top three finalists will be presented with \$250 cash sponsored by Centennial Bank.



## **2020** Teacher of the Year Eligibility

- All nominees must be certified skillful and dedicated teachers in grades prekindergarten through 12.
- Administrators are not eligible.
- Going above and beyond. Devotion of time and energy beyond the requirements of nominee's position.
- Active learner that influences colleagues, families and students, beyond the normal responsibilities of nominee's job expectations.
- Initiator of new or innovative ideas that substantially benefit the students and/or school.
- Supporter and collaborator of student related activities, projects or programs.
- Exemplary efforts that inspire a spirit of cooperation among those employees by Cabot School District, which foster commitment to provide the highest quality of service to others, and that clearly demonstrate an extraordinary dedication of the education of children.
- Instructionally effective in delivering high quality instruction.
- Demonstration of high student achievement and student progress.
- Influence transcends the classrooms to connect families, community and students beyond the classroom.
- Awareness of major public education issues and actively advocates for relevant practices, improvements and influences positive change.

## **Application Details**

- All information requested on the nomination form must be completed at the time the application is submitted. Incomplete nominations will not be considered.
- The information on the nomination is considered property of Cabot Public Schools and may be used to advertise and promote the Cabot Teacher of the Year.
- Any nominations submitted after the deadline will not be included.
- You may nominate more than one teacher for this award.
- You should only submit one application per individual.
- All site level winners will be notified via email on April 28, 2020 and asked to complete an additional application form by May 6, 2020 in order to be considered for Cabot Public Schools Teacher of the Year.