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# BOARD OF EDUCATION

## TWENTY-NINTH ANNUAL AWARDS FOR

# Distinguished Service to Public Education

## in Montgomery County

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### Purpose

The Montgomery County Board of Education has established the "Awards for Distinguished Service to Public Education" to recognize and show appreciation to individuals, groups, and businesses that have made exemplary contributions to public education in Montgomery County.

### Eligibility

The awards go to an individual, group, or business that has, within the past three years, provided sustained service, support, and commitment to public education in MCPS, as demonstrated by:

- An outstanding contribution of time and expertise to MCPS programs
- The development and/or implementation of an exemplary program or project
- A contribution that results in systemwide benefit

The Student Service Award will be presented to a current MCPS student who exhibits the qualities listed above.

### Number and Type of Awards

Awards will be given in each of the following categories:

**Community Partner**  
**Business Partner**  
**Student Service Award**  
**School Service Volunteer**

### Who May Nominate?

Any person or group may submit nominations.

### Process/Deadline

Nomination forms may be obtained from the Board of Education Office and the Board's webpage ([www.montgomeryschoolsmd.org/boe/community/awards/](http://www.montgomeryschoolsmd.org/boe/community/awards/)). **Completed nomination forms must be received in the Board of Education Office by 5:00 p.m. on Monday, March 9, 2026.** Complete and submit forms online from the Board's webpage or send completed forms by mail, email, or fax to:

Montgomery County Board of Education  
15 W. Gude Drive, Suite 100  
Rockville, Maryland 20850  
Fax: 301-279-3860  
Email: [E.Victoria\\_VanDyke@mcpsmd.org](mailto:E.Victoria_VanDyke@mcpsmd.org)

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Cette brochure est disponible sur le site Web du Board of Education

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**NOMINATION FORM – PART I**

Please complete one form per nominee. Part I and Part II of the form must be completed for all nominees. **This nomination form must be submitted by 5:00 p.m. on Monday, March 9, 2026, to the Montgomery County Board of Education, 15 W. Gude Drive, Suite 100, Rockville, Maryland 20850, by email at [E.Victoria\\_VanDyke@mcpsmd.org](mailto:E.Victoria_VanDyke@mcpsmd.org) or fax to 301-279-3860.**

**NOMINEE INFORMATION:**

NAME OF NOMINEE \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

TELEPHONE/EMAIL (Home) \_\_\_\_\_ (Work) \_\_\_\_\_

(Cell) \_\_\_\_\_ (Email) \_\_\_\_\_

TITLE/POSITION \_\_\_\_\_

**CATEGORY FOR WHICH THIS NOMINATION IS MADE:**

\_\_\_\_\_ Business Partner

\_\_\_\_\_ School Service Volunteer

\_\_\_\_\_ Community Partner

\_\_\_\_\_ Student Service Award

**NOMINATION SUBMITTED BY:**

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

TELEPHONE/EMAIL (Home) \_\_\_\_\_ (Work) \_\_\_\_\_

(Cell) \_\_\_\_\_ (Email) \_\_\_\_\_

TITLE/ORGANIZATION: \_\_\_\_\_

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**NOMINATION FORM – PART II**

**Please respond to all of the questions below. (Use additional paper as needed.) The material submitted with your nomination package will be used to describe the nominee in the ceremony program booklet. Please include specific information about your nominee's contributions and services that are appropriate for publishing in the ceremony program booklet, as well as explain why your nominee is deserving of an award.**

- A. Explain why you believe this person, group, or business should receive the *Award for Distinguished Service to Public Education* in Montgomery County.
- B. Identify specific and recent contributions or services to the Montgomery County Public Schools that have been made in the past three years and have had systemwide benefits. (The contribution and services must have been sustained over a period of time.) Please clearly identify all time sequences.
- C. Describe the specific impact of the service provided by the nominee on students, the school system, and the community at large.