



2018 Rookie of the Year Nomination Form

The Education Foundation of Eagle County will be honoring two first year teachers with a *Rookie of the Year* award. These are teachers who have made significant contributions to education in Eagle County Schools. One award will be made to a first year elementary teacher and one will be made to a first year middle school or high school teacher. All ECS CERTIFIED teachers with a “teacher’s contract” are eligible; he/she may not be a substitute teacher, a building’s permanent substitute teacher, etc. Preschool Directors and Special Education teachers are eligible for this award. Nominees must be currently working in ECS. Nominees must be a teacher in their first year (ever) of teaching – *not in their first year of teaching in ECS*. Nominations may be received from colleagues, parents, students or community members. Nominees will be recognized at the Evening of Stars recognition event on Saturday, May 5, 2018.

Nominations must be submitted to your school by Thursday, March 22, 2018. No exceptions!

Name of Nominee: _____ (please try to use the Nominee’s “legal” name instead of a nickname)

Grade/Subject: _____ Nominee’s School: _____

Please address on this form or in an attached letter in clear and specific terms why this educator should receive a *Rookie of the Year* award. Below are prompts and suggestions to help guide your nomination. If you would like to access nomination forms, visit www.eagleschools.net, Upcoming Events - Evening of Stars or www.efec.org and click on EVENTS.

Considerations:

All nominations should describe why this teacher is special and/or deserving of this award.

- Students may consider sharing examples of the teacher’s impact on their lives and education.
- Parent and/or Community members may consider describing the teacher’s impact on their children or other students and within the community.
- Colleagues may consider sharing examples of the teacher’s impact and contributions to student education, student achievement, knowledge of instruction, professional growth and/or community involvement.

Comments (please include additional page if necessary):

Your Name _____

Phone _____

Signature _____

Circle: student parent community member colleague

Date _____

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