

Educator Recognition Rhode Island District Teacher of the Year (DTOY)

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Over the past several years the DTOY role has expanded to provide more opportunities for DTOYs to share their expertise, form collaborative learning communities with fellow DTOYs, and honor their success to inspire other educators.

As you nominate your DTOY, please keep the following DTOY 2016-2017 roles and responsibilities in mind:

2016-2017 DTOY opportunities include:

- **NEW!** Opportunity to act as a liaison between your district and the RI Department of Education, sharing information about state initiatives and providing professional development as a teacher leader for your school, district, and community
- **NEW!** Opportunity to attend and/or present at the Teacher to Teacher Conference, Fall 2016
- **NEW!** Opportunity to contribute a blog entry to the Commissioner's weekly Field Memo and the RIDE website
- Invitation and participation in the Educator Recognition Celebration
- The opportunity/invitation to join the DTOY professional development and leadership training cohort
- Guidance from veteran TOYs and opportunity to apply for State Teacher of the Year
- Opportunity to network with other DTOYs through social media (Twitter chats, Facebook groups) led by the current STOY
- Opportunity to present on area/topic of expertise at local and state workshops and or conferences

Please complete the one page DTOY Profile Sheet on the educator who has been selected to represent your district for the 2016-2017 school year.

DTOY Profile sheet are due May 27, 2016.

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District Teacher of the Year Profile Sheet
2016-2017

Nominee Name:	Nominee E mail Address:
Home Address :	Nominee Home Telephone: Nominee Cell Telephone:
District:	Principal:
School :	Telephone Number:
Teaching position:	Grade Level:
Total Years of Teaching Experience:	Total Years in Current Position:

Signature of Nominee: _____ Date: _____

Name of Superintendent _____

Signature of Superintendent: _____ Date: _____

Additional Documentation:

- a. Submit a current resume to provide information about the nominees experience and education.

Please submit this Profile Sheet to : Mary Keenan at Mary.Keenan@ride.ri.gov

Or mail to: Mary Keenan

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