OHIO EDUCATION ASSOCIATION

OEA Friend of Education Award

2011–2012 Application Form

The Ohio Education Association Friend of Education Award recognizes a person and/or organization whose leadership, actions, and support have contributed to the improvement of public education on a statewide and/or national level. Past recipients include a U. S. Senator, U. S. Representatives, and a corporation.

Any member of the Ohio Education Association may nominate an individual or organization to receive this award by completing the nomination form and sending it to the office of the President of the Ohio Education Association by **January 10, 2012**. The OEA President, Vice President, and Secretary-Treasurer shall review the nomination(s) and supporting rationale. Based on their review and decision, they may submit a nomination for the award to the OEA Professional Efficacy Core Function Committee by **January 21, 2012. Current members of the OEA Board of Directors and the Professional Efficacy Core Function Committee are not eligible for this award. In addition, members of the Professional Efficacy Core Function Committee are not eligible for two years after completion of service on the committee to apply or be nominated.**

Presentation of the Friend of Education Award is a scheduled event at the annual Ohio Education Association Spring Representative Assembly.

NOTE: The completed official application form **from the nominee** for the OEA Friend of Education Award must be postmarked on or before the **January 10, 2012** deadline.

OEA Friend of Education
2011–2012 Award Application
Nomination Form

Please type or print. (This form may be reproduced locally.)

Nominator (Please print) _____ Membership No. _____

Nominator's Signature _____

Association Position_____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home Phone (_____) _____ Work Phone (_____) _____

Home E-mail Address_____ Cell Phone (____) _____

Brief description of nominee: *I hereby nominate the following person to receive the 2011-2012 OEA Friend of Education Award:*

Nominee _____

Individual or Organization _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home Phone (_____) _____ Work Phone (_____) _____

Home E-mail Address_____ Cell Phone (_____) _____

Please give reasons for nomination and the qualifications of the nominee in 100 words or less in the space provided. You may also attach supporting documents to substantiate your nomination.

NOTE: All nominations submitted will be evaluated on the basis of criteria adopted by the OEA Awards Committee. Emphasis will be placed on significant contribution to the promotion of public education on a statewide and/or national basis.

The nominator shall mail this form and any attachments, postmarked by the **January 10, 2012,** deadline to:

Awards Committee, Friend of Education Award
Ohio Education Association
P.O. Box 2550
Columbus, Ohio 43215

Why do you feel this individual/organization should receive this award? Please give specific examples of the contributions and activities pertaining to individual/organization (include dates, news clippings, etc.).

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Thank you for your nomination.

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