



AWARDS INFORMATION

DESCRIPTION OF AWARDS

CHAMPION FOR FAMILY AND CONSUMER SCIENCES

To recognize a person (nonmember), business, company, government (local, state, federal) or community-based agency or a representative there of (outside the FACS profession), who has exemplified extraordinary support and concern for Family and Consumer Sciences and NATFACS. *A maximum of two awards will be presented annually.*

AWARD OF MERIT

To recognize a member* (must have been a member of ACTE and NATFACS for a minimum of 10 years) who has made significant contribution to Family and Consumer Sciences, and/or ACTE, and/or NATFACS who is considered to be an outstanding leader in the field. The winner will be awarded a life-time membership to NATFACS. *A maximum of two awards will be presented annually. Applicants must score 90-100 in order to qualify for this award.*

DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD

To recognize a member* (must have been a member of ACTE and NATFACS for a minimum of 10 years) for outstanding service to NATFACS and professional contributions above and beyond the traditional expectation of duties assumed. The winner will be awarded a life time membership to NATFACS. *A maximum of three awards will be given annually. Applicants must score 90-100 in order to qualify for this award.*

NEW PROFESSIONAL AWARD

To recognize a member* (ACTE and NATFACS) who has completed no more than five years (applicant may be in the sixth year) of teaching Family and Consumer Sciences for significant contributions in the classroom, through curriculum development and/or providing multiple FCCLA opportunities for students. The winner will receive \$500 compensation. *A maximum of one award will be presented annually. Applicants must score 90-100 in order to qualify for this award.*

PRIDE AWARD

To recognize a member* (ACTE and NATFACS) who is a Family and Consumer Sciences Education classroom teacher for outstanding marketing endeavors and promotional ideas for the continued development and enhancement of Family and Consumer Sciences Education. The winner will receive \$300 compensation. *A maximum of one award will be presented annually. Applicants must score 90-100 in order to qualify for this award.*

NOTE: *If criteria are not met by any applicant, the awards committee reserves the right not to present that award.*

** member - Individual who is currently teaching FACS or retired, or employed in another FACS related area and holds association membership (ACTE and NATFACS) in good standing.*



REQUIRED GUIDELINES FOR NATFACS AWARDS

The following guidelines must be followed if the nominee is to be considered for one of the NATFACS AWARDS listed above.

1. Nominations may be made by ACTE/NATFACS members or state career and technical associations. It is not a requirement that the nominee reside in the same state as the person or organization submitting the nomination.
2. Nominations are limited to ONE per state per category.
3. All nominations must be submitted on the official NATFACS AWARDS NOMINATION FORM. Failure to complete all parts of the application form as outlined will result in disqualification.
4. Information must be typewritten / computer generated.
5. All materials and letters of recommendation must be submitted in one package. Each copy of the completed application should be stapled in the upper left hand corner. Materials in folders will not be accepted. Materials received apart from the nomination form will not be considered.
6. Three copies including the original is to be submitted for committee review and evaluation.
7. Award materials must be postmarked no later than **August 1** and mailed directly to:

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Elizabethtown, KY 42701
(H) 270-737-3997
(W) 270-737-6800
(C) 270-765-3889
E-mail: cherie.mingus@hardin.kyschools.us

SECTION II: NOMINATION STATEMENT

The individual/organization making the nomination must submit a nomination statement of no more than 150 words that indicates why the individual, business, agency, etc. is deserving of the honor.

Signature of person making the nomination

Date

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Evaluation Criteria

The nominees will be evaluated on the following criteria:

Criteria	Points
• Complete Nomination Dossier	10
• Support / Contributions to Family and Consumer Sciences and NATFACS	50
• Other Information	10
• Letters of Support	30

Application Procedures:

All nominations must come from ACTE/NATFACS members. Each nominee must be endorsed or sponsored by a state career and technical association, agency, group, several individuals or a combination.

A **nomination dossier** must be developed for each nominee as follows:

1. NOMINATION FORM

2. NOMINATION INFORMATION.

This should be no more than two pages in length and include information about:

- Sponsored programs—financial or otherwise— provided by the nominee
- Personal or corporate activities provided by the nominee which support Family and Consumer Sciences and the NATFACS organization (or its state affiliates)

And/or

- Other activities deemed pertinent to the intent of the award

3. THREE LETTERS OF SUPPORT

limited to a maximum of six pages. Suggested endorsers might include: political leaders, professional association leaders, business and industrial leaders, educational leaders, civic leaders, classroom teachers, parents and students.

AWARD OF MERIT

To recognize a NATFACS member (must have been a member of ACTE and NATFACS for a minimum of 10 years) who is considered to be an **outstanding leader** in the field and has made significant contributions to Family and Consumer Sciences, and/or ACTE, and/or NATFACS. The winner will be awarded a life-time membership to NATFACS. *A maximum of two awards will be presented annually. Applicants must score 90-100 in order to qualify for this award.*

Evaluation Criteria

The nominees will be evaluated on the following criteria:

Criteria	Points
• Professional Membership (ACTE, NATFACS, State Associations)	20
• Professional Contributions (ACTE, NATFA CS, State Associations)	30
• Related FACS Affiliations	10
• Community Involvement and Activities	10
• Program Description	10
• Innovative Instruction	10
• Letters of Recommendation	10

A **nomination dossier** must be developed for each nominee as follows:

1. NOMINATION FORM

2. SUMMARY OF INVOLVEMENT / CONTRIBUTION / SERVICES

NOTE: Items A, B, C, D, E, and F should all appear on separate pages.

A. RECORD OF ACTE MEMBERSHIP AND ACTIVITIES

B. RECORD OF NATFACS MEMBERSHIP AND ACTIVITIES

C. RECORD OF STATE CAREER ASSOCIATION MEMBERSHIP AND ACTIVITIES

D. OTHER CONTRIBUTIONS RELATED TO FAMILY AND CONSUMER SCIENCES EDUCATION: LOCAL, STATE AND NATIONAL

E. OTHER PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS AND ACTIVITIES

F. RECORD OF COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT AND ACTIVITIES

3. DESCRIPTION OF NOMINEE'S ACTIVITIES

NOTE: Each paragraph should not exceed ½ page.

Paragraph I: Brief description of program and/or significant contribution(s).

Paragraph II: New or innovative instructional activities, techniques, programs developed.

Paragraph III: Other pertinent information: (discretion of nominee)

4. FOUR LETTERS OF SUPPORT, limited to a maximum of six pages. Letters must come from the following: Administrator, Co-worker, Student or Former Student, plus one other letter of choice (political leaders, professional association leaders, business and industrial leaders, educational leaders, civic leaders, etc.)

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Evaluation Criteria

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• Professional Membership/Contributions (ACTE, NATFACS, State Association)	30
• Related FACS Affiliations and Activities	15
• Additional Professional Affiliations and Contributions	10
• Community Involvement and Activities	5
• Actions Furthering FACS Programs and/or Meeting Needs Above Duty Related Expectations	15
• Meritorious Contributions	15
• Letters of Support (3 letters of choice)	10

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Paragraph I: Actions that have enabled family and consumers sciences program(s) to Respond more fully to the individual needs of people for assistance in achieving more productive lives.

Paragraph II: Meritorious contributions categorized by local, state, regional and national significance to the improvement, promotion, development and progress of family and consumer sciences.

Paragraph III: Other pertinent information: (discretion of nominee)

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EVALUATION CRITERIA:

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• Professional Membership (ACTE, NATFACS, State Associations)	15
• Professional Activities (ACTE, NATFACS, State Associations)	20
• Related FACS Affiliations and Activities	15
• Community Involvement and Activities	10
• Program Description	15
• Innovative Instruction	15
• Letters of Recommendation	10

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5 STATEMENT OF COMMITMENT: (New Professional Award only)

If awarded the NATFACS New Professional Award and the subsidy of \$500.00, I will use the funds solely to support my trip to the ACTE Annual Convention and will attend the Awards function to be held during the convention (date and time to be announced). I understand that any trip expenses in excess of the \$500.00 subsidy will be assumed by me and/or my school district. I am currently a member in good standing of ACTE and NATFACS.

Signature of New Professional Nominee

Date

Signature of Administrator

Date

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• Professional Contributions (<i>ACTE, NATFACS, State Associations</i>)	10
• Related FACS Affiliations and Contributions	5
• Community Involvement and Contributions	10
• Program Description	10
• Innovative Instruction	10
• Marketing Endeavor & Promotional Ideas	30
• Enhancement of Family and Consumer Sciences	20

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- D. OTHER CONTRIBUTIONS RELATED TO FAMILY AND CONSUMER SCIENCES EDUCATION: LOCAL, STATE AND NATIONAL
- E. RECORD OF COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT AND ACTIVITIES

3. DESCRIPTION OF NOMINEE'S ACTIVITIES

NOTE: Each paragraph should not exceed ½ page.

Paragraph I: Brief description of Family and Consumer Sciences program.

Paragraph II: New or innovative instructional activities, techniques, or programs developed which related to marketing and promotion.

Paragraph III: Description of marketing endeavor and promotional ideas used to promote Family and Consumer Sciences program.

Paragraph IV: How marketing endeavor and/or promotional idea enhanced Family and Consumer Sciences Program.

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