

*This year's celebration
will have a new
venue to accommodate
additional people*

Excellence *in* Education Recognition

January 2019

AGAIN THIS YEAR, the Norwalk Education Foundation in partnership with the Norwalk Federation of Teachers and Norwalk Public Schools plans to recognize Norwalk educators and excellence in education in each school in our district. The following reviews the process to be used, which is the same as last year.

- Excellence in Education applications will be distributed by NFT stewards at January faculty meetings.
- Faculty members may nominate more than one team or individual for consideration by their School Governance Council (SGC).
- Teachers honored last year can be eligible again this year if it is for a different project or reason.
- Nominations will be collected by a due date set by each building. Due dates should align with the schedule of School Governance Council (SGC) meetings.
- All faculty nominations will be presented to each school's SGC at a meeting in February or early March. The SGC will select one group or individual to represent their school at this year's Excellence in Education celebration.

In addition to being recognized at the April 25 event at the Shore and Country Club, awardees selected by their SGCs through the Connecticut Teacher of the Year program will be invited to apply to represent Norwalk in Hartford for the statewide Excellence in Education celebration.

The Norwalk Federation of Teachers acknowledges/applauds the talent, hard work, and dedication of all Norwalk Public Schools educators--teachers, speech and language pathologists, psychologists, social workers, counselors, and others--and supports the opportunity for all educators to be recognized.

