

**2024 Preschool Teacher of the Year**

**Nomination Form**

The Early Learning Coalition of North Florida is soliciting nominations for its 2024 Preschool Teacher of the Year. There are two categories. Infant/Toddler teacher and Preschool teacher. Please complete this form to recommend a teacher you believe has demonstrated excellence in the areas listed below and **return it to Joan Whitson by December 18, 2024** via fax 904-342-2268 or scan and email to: [jwhitson@ecs4kids.org](mailto:jwhitson@ecs4kids.org) Each winner will receive $500 cash!

Please provide specific examples of:

**• Professional Skills and Growth \* Student Progress \* Contributions and Accomplishments in education \* School/Community Involvement \* Additional talents, Traits or skills that make your nominee an outstanding teacher**

(Please include personal stories of how this teacher goes above and beyond at school and in the classroom.)

***Self-nominations will NOT be accepted. Directors and Owners can only be nominated if they are also a full time teacher (excluding home childcare centers.)***

I wish to nominate: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Category of award**: Infant/toddler or Preschool teacher\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

School/Child Care Center **nominee** works at:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

School/Child Care Center Address:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

School/Child Care Center County:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

School/Child Care Center Phone: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**I believe this teacher should be Preschool Teacher of the Year because . . .**

(Write on additional sheets attached)

You can also type your nomination and attach it in an email with this form. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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The more you write about the nominee the better. Please elaborate. If your nominee wins, we will need to contact you, please provide a good contact number and email.

Nominated by: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Phone #\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Additional notes and comments about the nominee:

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