



2022 LOUISIANA TEACHER + PRINCIPAL OF THE YEAR SEMIFINALISTS

The Louisiana Department of Education is proud to announce the 2022 Teacher and Principal of the Year Semifinalists. These educators are making exceptional gains with students, guiding them to achieve at the highest levels in the state. Their commitment to student success exemplifies Louisiana's teaching profession.

All Teacher and Principal of the Year Semifinalists will be honored at the 15th Annual Excellent Educators Awards Gala that will be held virtually on the evening of July 16, 2021. This exciting event is co-sponsored by [Dream Teachers](#).

Congratulations to these outstanding educators!



2022 TEACHER OF THE YEAR SEMI-FINALISTS

Allen Parish	Lorie Miller
Assumption Parish	Rhea Blanchard
Avoyelles Parish	Cicely Jacob
Beauregard Parish	Kaitlyn Richard
Bossier Parish	Steve Brown
Caddo Parish	Carrie Lorigans
Cameron Parish	Courtney King
Central Community School District	Kobie Griffin
City of Monroe School District	Karari Hanks
Claiborne Parish	Andrea Tinsley
DeSoto Parish	Leah Darden
Evangeline Parish	Kayla Joseph
Franklin Parish	Indya Pruitt

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Ascension Parish	Jeremy Muse
Bossier Parish	David Thrash
Caddo Parish	Marco French
Calcasieu Parish	Ronnie Harvey, Jr.
East Baton Rouge Parish	Claudette Perkins
Jackson Parish	Chevonda Leonard
Jefferson Davis Parish	Selena Gomes
Lafayette Parish	Ginger Richard
Lafourche Parish	Gregory Cook
Lincoln Parish	Mary Wilks-Kilgore
Livingston Parish	John Hill
Plaquemines Parish	Anna Lincoln
Pointe Coupee Parish	Lacey Morel Bueche



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Iberville Parish	Michelle Lewis
Jefferson Parish	Michele Pellissier
Lincoln Parish	Courtney Martin
Orleans Parish	Angela Comeaux-Goodly
Ouachita Parish	Angela Leach
Rapides Parish	Jeff Kenimer
Richland Parish	Ernest Hill
St. Bernard Parish	Annelise Cassar
St. Charles Parish	Brian Gough
St. James Parish	Victoria Roussel
Zachary Community School District	Brittini Matthews

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Red River Parish	John Dickey III
Sabine Parish	Cynthia Lewing
St. James Parish	Becky Louque
St. Landry Parish	Kellie Rabalais
St. Martin Parish	Kevin Dugas
St. Mary Parish	Shantell Toups
St. Tammany Parish	Amy Barrow
Terrebonne Parish	Darrell Dillard
Vermilion Parish	Patricia Gaspard
Vernon Parish	Karen Robertson
West Baton Rouge Parish	Cassandra "Cassy" Brou

For questions on the Teacher and Principal of the Year program, please contact excellenteducators@la.gov.