

Changemaking Education Award



Miami-Dade County
TEACHER OF THE YEAR COALITION

The Miami-Dade Teacher of the Year Coalition, in partnership with co-sponsors the Returned Peace Corps Volunteers of South Florida and the Armando Alejandro Jr. Memorial Foundation, oversees the annual Changemaking Education Award.

Call for K-12 Nominations

The Changemaking Education Award **recognizes and celebrates teachers** who **spark a sense of agency in students** and provide real-life opportunities to **understand problems and practice creating positive social and/or environmental change**. The award honors teachers who prepare students for lives of active citizenship.

If you know a teacher who incorporates this type of changemaking education into their curriculum, please nominate him/her for this award (self-nominations are accepted too). **Award winners receive a cash gift, and all nominees receive a letter of commendation sent to their principal, a certificate of appreciation, an invitation to the award ceremony, and are listed in the award website.** (Previous awardees may be nominated again after a period of at least 5 years and for a completely different project.)

To nominate a teacher:

Please complete a short [on-line nomination form](#) by **June 30, 2024**. A member of the Teacher of the Year Coalition will contact the nominee to arrange a Zoom call that should take no more than 45 minutes. During this interview, details can be provided regarding **how the project sparks a sense of agency in students and provides real-life opportunities to understand problems and practice creating positive social and environmental change**. The phone interview will be held no later than August 15.

For more information about this award, including past winners and finalists, visit www.rpcvsf.org and select "Programs" and then "Changemaking Education Award" (direct link to the page is: <https://rpcvsf.org/page-1727773>). Questions, email Linda Whitmyre at linda.whitmyre@gmail.com or Josh Young at joshyoung590@gmail.com.

Click [here](#) or use the QR code below and be prepared to fill in the following information:

- Name of Nominee
- Summer Phone & Email
- School & Class
- Name and Contact Info of Nominator (if applicable)
- Brief description of the changemaking education project

Due by June 30, 2024

Nomination Form QR Code

