

## AASA Distinguished Service Awards

Distinguished Service Awards are given annually to retired AASA members who exhibit exemplary leadership throughout their careers and who have enhanced the profession of school administration.

Nominees are expected to have brought honor to themselves, their colleagues and their profession; given exemplary service to their state or national professional association; and made significant contributions to the field of education through their service, writings and other activities.

1. **Who is the contact for the AASA Distinguished Service Award?**

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2. **Who is eligible to receive the AASA Distinguished Service Award?**

Retired AASA members who have been members for at least 10 years and have been retired for at least one year may be nominated for this award. The immediate past president of AASA is automatically nominated to receive this recognition

3. **Who may cast a nomination for this award?**

A notice along with an appropriate form requesting nominations is sent to members of the AASA Executive Committee, AASA Governing Board and Advisory Committees and the executive director of each affiliated association of school administrators. In addition, the announcement of the competition and the nomination materials are posted on the AASA website so that any person desiring to [nominate a candidate](#) may do so.

4. **What is the nomination deadline?**

All nominations must be received at AASA Headquarters ***no later than September 1<sup>st</sup>***. All late entries shall be rejected and a written notification of that action shall be sent to the nominator.

5. **Where can I access the nomination form/materials?**

Submit your nomination for a well-deserved candidate by clicking [here](#).