

The Beatrice Taplin Excellence in Teaching Award was begun in 2001. Members of the class of 1957 proposed this award in honor of Mrs. Beatrice Taplin, a long-time teacher in the Anatone Schools. The award was established to recognize a teacher in the Asotin-Anatone School District who exemplifies excellence in teaching. The AAEF adopted the proposal.

Criteria to be considered for this award:

- *Must have taught in the district a minimum of two years
- *Must be involved in extracurricular activities
- *Demonstrates the ability to get the most from his/her students
- *Shows community involvement

Nomination forms are included in the annual newsletter or a letter can be submitted. Nominations should be received by May 1. The nomination requires a letter of recommendation explaining why the person was nominated. The nominations are given to a committee for review. The immediate supervisor is also contacted for comments. Upon selection, the person's name is inscribed on a plaque. At the spring awards assembly, the winner is presented with a framed certificate and a \$100 stipend.

Send nominations to: Asotin-Anatone Education Foundation
P.O. Box 334
Asotin, WA 99402

BEATRICE TAPLIN EXCELLENCE IN TEACHING AWARDS

YEAR	AWARD WINNER
2001	Kerry Giardinelli
2002	Nancy Sangster
2003	Shawn Bowman
2004	Glen Landrus
2005	Rich Goodwin
2006	Jack Pease
2007	Elaine Nagle
2008	Kay Neace
2009	Kathy Bremner
2010	Nancy Sangster
2011	Rachele' Thummel
2012	Mary Reeves
2013	Nate Reade
2014	Kelly Brady
2015	Rick Wilcox
2016	Suzy Cowdrey
2017	Shawn Bowman
2018	Glen Landrus
2019	Tom Tower
2020	Sue Beggs