



Past MSTA Award Winners

1974

George Meyer	K-12 Science Teaching Award
Ray Deur Science	Educator Award
John Snyder	Special Award, Science Education

1975

Katherine M. Lentz	Elementary Science Teacher Award
Jane Bricker	Secondary Science Teacher Award
Glenn Berkhelmer	Science Educator Award
Alex H. Polgirski	Science Educator Award

1976

David Larwa	Elementary Science Teacher Award
Jane Renaud	Science Educator Award

1977

Patricia DeWalt	Special Science Teacher Award
Don Collins	Secondary Science Teacher Award
Louise Ritsema	Science Educator Award

1978

Frederick Mack	Elementary Science Teacher Award
Dolores Wilson	Secondary Science Teacher Award
Carl Berger	Science Educator Award

1979

Francis Winiger	Elementary Science Teacher Award
Norm Rubel	Secondary Science Teacher Award
Julian Brandou	Science Educator Award

1980

Max Burchi	Elementary Science Teacher Award
Edgar Boosch	Secondary Science Teacher Award

1981

Florice Lyon	Elementary Science Teacher Award
Dorothy Cox	Middle School Science Teacher Award

Beverly Wilkerwicz	Secondary Science Teacher Award
Harold Stonehouse	Science Educator Award
Jean Moore	Distinguished Service Award (Posthumously)

1982

Barbara Velkoff	Elementary Science Teacher Award
Constance Riley	Middle School Science Teacher Award
Roger Tharp	Secondary Science Teacher Award
James Scarpace	Science Educator Award
William VanDeventer(<i>Deceased</i>)	Distinguished Service Award

1983

Victoria Goodell	Elementary Science Teacher Award
Martha Schwartz	Elementary Science Teacher Award
Mike Sloomaker	Middle/Jr. High Science Teacher Award
Douglas Cooper	Science Educator Teacher Award
Richard Iwema	Distinguished Service Award
Nancy Mincemoyer	Special Award
Marge Barnes	Special Award

1984

Robert Bondy	Secondary Science Teacher Award
Julian R. Brandou	Distinguished Service Award

1985

Gerald Lerche	Elementary Science Teacher Award
Bernard Tekiele	Elementary Science Teacher Award
Alice Steinbach	Middle/Jr. High Science Teacher Award
Pete DeDecker	Secondary Science Teacher Award
Charles Lanigan	Science Educator Specialist Award
Clifford Worden	Distinguished Service Award

1986

Marlenn Maicki	Elementary Science Teacher Award
Peggy Miller	Middle/Jr. High Science Teacher Award
Frank Pavia	Secondary Science Teacher Award
Gene Wozniak	Science Supervisor Award
Hugo Pinti	Distinguished Service Award

1987

Diane Hoeft-Varisto	Elementary Science Teacher Award
Dwight Sieggreen	Middle/Jr. High Science Teacher Award
Norm Hannewald	Middle/Jr. High Science Teacher Award
Fred Case	Secondary Science Teacher Award
John Rosemergy	Distinguished Service Award

1988

Emery Pence	Elementary Science Teacher Award
David Mastie	Middle/Jr. High Science Teacher Award
Susan Warrington	Secondary Science Teacher Award
Cynthia Addison	Special Award
Donald Maxwell	Distinguished Service Award

1989

Patricia Cameron	Elementary Science Teacher Award
Sharon Ferriss	Middle/Jr. High Science Teacher Award
Diana Thiel	Secondary Science Teacher Award
David J. Larwa	Distinguished Service Award

1990

Patricia Michael Mitchell	Elementary Science Teacher Award
Suzanne Wasson	Middle/Jr. High Science Teacher Award
Mark Salminen	Secondary Science Teacher Award
Paul Hoeksma	Distinguished Service Award

1991

Marily Greenstein	Elementary Science Teacher Award
Gary Dewey	Middle/Jr. High Science Teacher Award
St. Theresa Schoenherr	Middle/Jr. High Science Teacher Award
Rod Cranson	Distinguished Service Award
Burton Voss	Distinguished Service Award

1992

Thomas Waciawski	Elementary Science Teacher Award
Dale Rosene	Middle/Junior High Science Teacher Award
John Hugo	Secondary Science Teacher Award
Howard Stein	Distinguished Service Award

1993

Greg Peterson	Elementary Science Teacher Award
Peggy Ann Johnson	Middle/Junior High Science Teacher Award
Christine Diehl	Secondary Science Teacher Award
George Mallinson (Deceased)	Distinguished Service Award
Jacqueline Mallinson	Distinguished Service Award

1994

Beth Clawson	Elementary Science Teacher Award
Michael Krebil	Middle/Junior High Science Teacher Award
Arlene Hicks	Middle/Junior High Science Teacher Award
R. Stephens Rea	Secondary Science Teacher Award
Susan Winder	Administrator Award
Glenn Birkheiner	Distinguished Service Award

1995

Donna Wickenheiser	Elementary Science Teacher Award
Bill Lenz	Middle/Junior High Science Teacher Award
John Goudie	Secondary Science Teacher Award
Phyllis Heaberlin	Secondary Science Teacher Award
Suzanne Stevens	College Science Teacher Award
Jeff Radwanski	Administrator Award
Phillip Larson	Distinguished Service Award

1996

Syndee Malek	Elementary Science Teacher Award
Constance Malecek	Middle/Junior Science Teacher Award
Timothy Graham	High School Science Teacher Award
Laurie Faber	College Science Teacher Award
Thomas Kuleck	Administrator Award
Dolly McMaster	Administrator Award
Mozell Lang	Distinguished Service Award

1997

Jean Butler	Elementary Science Teacher Award
Ruth Eileen Cummings	Elementary Science Teacher Award
Barbara Jean Diliiegghio	Elementary Science Teacher Award
John Goudie	Secondary Science Teacher Award
Russell Jon Pline	Secondary Science Teacher Award
Norm Hannewald	Secondary Science Teacher Award
Tim Holcomb	High School Teacher of the Year

1998

Roger R. Smith	Middle School Teacher of the Year
Sharon Moeke	High School Teacher of the Year
Dr. Kathy Winnett Murray	College Teacher of the Year
Sally DeRoo	Distinguished Service Award

1999

Elizabeth Larwa	Elementary School Teacher of the Year
Mike Mansour	Middle School Teacher of the Year
Scott Heister	High School Teacher of the Year
Delise Holbrook	Teacher of Promise
Tandi Bagian	Team – Teacher of Promise
Janice Henderson	
Wendy LaValle	
Bruce Ricketts	
Dr. Steven Anderson	
Susan Meyer	Principle/Administrator of the Year
Dave Tanis	College Teacher of the Year
Annis Hapkiewicz	Distinguished Service Award

2000

Carolyn Brazzil	Elementary School Teacher of the Year
Rebecca Young	Middle School Teacher of the Year
Dale Freeland	High School Teacher of the Year
Richard Potts	College Teacher of the Year
Karen Ford	Teacher of Promise
Shawn McNamara	Teacher of Promise
Janie Drobnick	Teacher/Administrator Team of the Year
Janis Morrison	
Cynthia Addison	Distinguished Service Award

2001

David J. Vanden Berg	Elementary School Teacher of the Year
Glenn "Marty" Green	Middle School Teacher of the Year
David W. Chapman	High School Teacher of the Year
Aimee G. Grazil	Teacher of Promise
Donald Pata	Teacher of Promise
David Mastie	The George G. Mallison Award – for Lifetime Achievement in the Field of Science Education

2002

Ms. Kathleen Koziel	Elementary School Teacher of the Year
Ms. Suzanne M. Monck	Middle School Teacher of the Year
Ms. Patricia Vance	High School Teacher of the Year
Mr. Kelly B. Carrier	Teacher of Promise
Ms. Yulonda L. Hale	Teacher of Promise
Ms. Jeri K. Mifflin	Principle/Administrator of the Year
LaMoine Motz	The George G. Mallison Award – for Lifetime Achievement in the Field of Science Education

2003

Peggy Savage Dunn	Elementary School Teacher of the Year
Louise Rathkamp	Middle School Teacher of the Year
Lynda M. Smith	High School Teacher of the Year
Mark A. Benvenuto	College Teacher of the Year
Jane Rice College	Teacher of the Year
Sarah Colligan	Teacher of Promise
Dawn Gafa	Teacher of Promise
Andrea Temple	Teacher of Promise

2004

Susan Wainwright	Elementary Teacher of the Year
Michele Svoboda	Middle School Teacher of the Year
Lisa Marie Weise	High School Teacher of the Year
Gregory A. Forbes	College Teacher of the Year

James Cracraft	Administrator of the Year
Susan Speirs	Administrator of the Year
Karen S. Dillion	Teacher of Promise
Shannon McNamara	Teacher of Promise
Jennifer Sterk	Teacher of Promise

2005

Robert Stephenson	Elementary School Teacher of the Year
Jamie Klausung	Middle School Teacher of the Year
Angelique Biehl	High School Teacher of the Year
Donald Cronkite	College Teacher of the Year
Stephen Anderson	Administrator of the Year
Rebecca Josephson-Gorinac	Administrator of the Year
Callie Baylor	Teacher of Promise
Jamie Benigna	Teacher of Promise
Annis Hapkiewics	The George G. Mallison Award – for Lifetime Achievement in the Field of Science Education
Phillip Larsen	The George G. Mallison Award – for Lifetime Achievement in the Field of Science Education
Connie Duncan	Distinguished Service Award

2006

Carole Gutteridge	Elementary Teacher of the Year
Kirt VanOveren	Middle School Teacher of the Year
Susan Maher	High School Teacher of the Year
Michael Sinclair	High School Teacher of the Year
Andrew Jones	Teacher of Promise
Crystel MacKenzie-Zipp	Teacher of Promise

2007

Theresa Bill Middle	School Teacher of the Year
Lisa Lava-Kellar	Middle School Teacher of the Year
William Gesamar	Administrator of the Year
Robert Poel	The George G. Mallison Award – for Lifetime Achievement in the Field of Science Education
Marlenn Maicki	Distinguished Service Award

2008

Richard Tabor	Elementary Teacher of the Year
Robert Losinger	Elementary Teacher of the Year Finalist
Jeffrey Bradley	Middle School Teacher of the Year
Lucinda Mitchell	Middle School Teacher of the Year Finalist
Mark Davids	High School Teacher of the Year
Christine Webster	High School Teacher of the Year Finalist
Danita Brand College	Teacher of the Year

Deborah Herrington	College Teacher of the Year
Roger Anderson	Administrator of the Year
Steve Mattox	Administrator of the Year
Laura Ritter	Teacher of Promise
Barbara Johnson	Teacher of Promise Finalist
Nancy Mincemoyer	The George G. Mallison Award – for Lifetime Achievement in the Field of Science Education
Walter Rathkamp	Distinguished Service Award

2009

Charles Buscienski	Elementary Teacher of the Year
Staci Smith	Elementary Teacher of the Year Finalist
Nate Childers	Middle School Teacher of the Year
Melissa Jaeger	Middle School Teacher of the Year Finalist
Ardis Herrold	High School Teacher of the Year
Jeff Weller	High School Teacher of the Year Finalist
Thomas Reeder	Administrator of the Year
Mary MacFarlane	Administrator of the Year Finalist
Mary Ann Sheline	The George G. Mallison Award – for Lifetime Achievement in the Field of Science Education
Alex Azima	Distinguished Service Award
Bill Welch	Distinguished Service Award

2010

Jeremy Warner	Teacher of Promise
Chris Modrack	Elementary School Teacher of the Year
Chuck Delpier	Middle School Teacher of the Year
Hans Sowder	High School Teacher of the Year
Dr. Mary Stein	College Teacher of the Year
R.J. Webber	Administrator of the Year
Paul Drummond	Distinguished Service Award
Vernon J. Ehlers	The George G. Mallison Award – for Lifetime Achievement in the Field of Science Education

2011

John Prokes	Teacher of Promise
Brian Peterson	Elementary School Teacher of the Year
Gary Cousino	Middle School Teacher of the Year
Mary Jordan-McMaster	High School Teacher of the Year
Bal Barot	College Science Teacher of the Year
Travis Williams	Informal Science Educator
Marty Couretas	Distinguished Service Award
Dwight Sieggreen	The George G. Mallison Award – for Lifetime Achievement in the Field of Science Education
Susan Tate	Dan Wolz Clean Water Education Grant
Benjamin Jewell	MI Finalist – Presidential Award for Excellence in Mathematics and Science Teaching

2012

Gary G. Abud	Teacher of Promise
Rebecca Durling	Elementary Science School Teacher of the Year
Susan Z. Tate	Middle School Science Teacher of the Year
Mary Lindow	High School Science Teacher of the Year
Dr. Desmond H. Murray	College Science Teacher of the Year
Sarah Halson	Informal Science Educator
Chris Groenhout	Dan Wolz Clean Water Education Grant

2013

Diane Krzyaniak	Elementary Science Teacher of the Year
Monica Harvey	Middle School Science Teacher of the Year
Erika Fature	High School Science Teacher of the Year
Dr. James McDonald	College Science Teacher of the Year
Gerard Pahl	Informal Science Educator of the Year
Roberta Cramer	Distinguished Service Award
Dave Chapman	Dan Wolz Clean Water Education Grant

2014

Julee Cowher	Elementary Science Teacher of the Year
Mark Koschmann	Middle School Science Teacher of the Year
Richard Eberly	High School Science Teacher of the Year
Dr. Mary Brown	College Science Teacher of the Year
Paula Gangopadhyay	Informal Science Educator of the Year
David McCloy	Distinguished Service Award
Mike Klein	Distinguished Service Award
Joseph Krajcik	The George G. Mallison Award
Donald Hammond/Tammy Coleman	Dan Wolz Clean Water Education Grant

2015

Ashley Meyer	Teacher of Promise
Patrica McNinch	Elementary Science Teacher of the Year
Holly McGoran	Middle School Science Teacher of the Year
Deanna Cullens	High School Science Teacher of the Year
Dr. Bradley Ambrose	College Science Teacher of the Year
Greg Johnson	Administrator of the Year
Stephen Stewart	Informal Science Educator of the Year
Betty Crowder	Distinguished Service Award
David Bydlowski	The George G. Mallison Award
John Travis/Josh Nichols	Dan Wolz Clean Water Education Grant
Gary Koppelman/Bethany Swartz	PAEMST Finalist

2016

Dakota Bahalu	Teacher of Promise
Paula Gentile	Teacher of Promise

Sherri Hane	Elementary Science Teacher of the Year
Colleen Polydoros	Middle School Science Teacher of the Year
Joshua Barclay	High School Science Teacher of the Year
Dr. Mark Francek	College Science School Teacher of the Year
Janet Vail	Informal Science Educator of the Year
Chery Hach	Distinguished Service Award
Jacqueline & George Mallinson	The George G. Mallison Award
Stephen Best	Special MSTA Award
Lea Sevigny/Connie Atkisson Dan Wolz	Clean Water Education Grant

2017

Hadley Brill	Teacher of Promise
Robert Thomson	Elementary Science Teacher of the Year
Leigh Ann Roehm	Middle School Science Teacher of the Year
Scott Milam	High School Science Teacher of the Year
Dr. Janet Vigna	College Science School Teacher of the Year
Brandon Schroeder	Informal Science Educator of the Year
Conni Crittenden	Distinguished Service Award
Karl Klimec	The George G. Mallison Award
Sue Campbell	Special MSTA Award
Sarah Geborkoff	Dan Wolz Clean Water Education Grant

2018

Nathan Hatt	Teacher of Promise
Jean Buller	Middle School Science Teacher of the Year
Anne Jeannette LaSovage	High School Science Teacher of the Year
Dr. Brian P. DeJong	College Science Teacher of the Year
Heidi Mercer	Administrator of the Year
Tracy D'Augustino	Informal Science Educator of the Year
Elizabeth R. Larwa	Distinguished Service Award
Deborah Peek-Brown	The George G. Mallison Award
Holly Hereau	Dan Wolz Clean Water Education Grant

2019

Emily Cizmas	Teacher of Promise
Katie Stevenson	Elementary School Science Teacher of the Year
Jeff Bouwman	Middle School Science Teacher of the Year
Holly Hereau	High School Science Teacher of the Year
Dr. Stephen Rybczynski	College Science Teacher of the Year
Dr. Adam Spina	Administrator of the Year
Claire Lannoye-Hall	Informal Science Educator of the Year
Jeffrey C. Conn	Distinguished Service Award
Dr. Jacqueline Huntoon	The George G. Mallison Award
Chelsea Bender	Dan Wolz Clean Water Education Grant
Carolyn Mammen	Dan Wolz Clean Water Education Grant

2020

Michelle Vanhala	Teacher of Promise
Tammy Brown	Middle School Science Teacher of the Year
Cheryl Hach	High School Teacher of the Year
Dr. David Shane	College Science Teacher of the Year
Joan Chadde	Informal Science Educator of the Year
Marlenn Maicki	The George G. Mallinson Award
Jennifer Edwards	Dan Wolz Clean Water Education Grant
Christina Marvin	Dan Wolz Clean Water Education Grant

2021

Amy Emmert	
Gabriel Knowles	
Samantha Lichtenwald	
Kumar Yelamarthi	
Emily Pohlonski	
Wanda Faye Bryant	
Brian Peterson-Roest	Distinguished Service Award
June Teisan	George G. Mallinson Award for Lifetime Achievement

2022

Katie Torkelson-Regan	Teacher of Promise
Rebecca Sanddee	Elementary Teacher of the Year
Jennifer Pera	Middle School Teacher of the Year
Ron Schaffner	High School Teacher of the Year
Dr. David Rudge	College Teacher of the Year
Michelle Blodgett	Informal Science Educator

2023

Tori Mackman	Teacher of Promise
Constance Eisenhart	Elementary Teacher of the Year
Tracy Ortiz	Middle School Teacher of the Year
Grace Boersma	High School Teacher of the Year
Dr. Amelia Gotwals	College Teacher of the Year
Timothy Lee	Administrator of the Year
Juliana Lisuk	Informal Science Educator