

NLPS Impact Award

Overview

This award is designed to encourage and recognize students who have made an impact in their school and/or community.

Eligibility

Nominees must meet the following criteria to be eligible for an award:

- 1. Must be enrolled as a student in an NLPS school in the year in which they are nominated.
- 2. Must have a signed FOIP consent form on file authorizing NLPS to recognize them as a recipient of the award.

Award Criteria

Nominees must demonstrate one or more of the following:

- 1. Initiating or participating in activities that actively promote or enhance a positive school culture.
- 2. Modelling the qualities of good citizenship, volunteerism, philanthropy and/or social equity.
- 3. Mentoring or providing assistance to their peers or other students.
- 4. A high degree of empathy, kindness and compassion for others.
- 5. Using their knowledge, skills and/or personal qualities to effect positive change, raise awareness, and/or amplify the voices of others.

Categories

NLPS will recognize a minimum of one student at each school on an annual basis.

Nomination Process

Students may self-nominate or be nominated by staff, students, parents or community members.

Nomination packages must include:

- A completed nomination form;
- A letter of nomination outlining how the student meets the criteria for the award (maximum of three pages)
- A letter of support from an NLPS school staff member (administrator, counsellor, teacher, educational assistant, etc.) (maximum of three pages)

Nomination Deadline

Nominations must be received by April 1. Nominations can be submitted online at (put link to awards page), emailed to (email address) or mailed to NLPS.

Procedures

- 1. Nominations will be reviewed by the Boards' awards committee prior to April 30th.
- 2. Schools and award recipients will be notified in May and arrangements will be made to present the award at a school assembly or awards ceremony.



NLPS Impact Award Nomination Form

Name of Student	
School	
Grade	
Name of Nominator	
Email Address of Nominator	

Please attach a Letter of Nomination (maximum of three pages) outlining how the student meets the criteria for the award, and a separate Letter of Support (maximum of three pages) from an NLPS school staff member.

Completed nomination packages can be emailed to <u>communications@nlsd.ab.ca</u> or sent by mail to:

NLPS Impact Award Selection Committee 6005 - 50 Avenue Bonnyville, AB T9N 2L3

Nominations must be received no later than April 1, 2025.