

## California 2019 *Yes I Can!* Awards

Nominee Name \_\_\_\_\_

Nominee Category \_\_\_\_\_

### Section A: Nominee Information

First & Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_

Age \_\_\_\_\_ Sex \_\_\_\_\_ Grade Level \_\_\_\_\_ Disability \_\_\_\_\_

School's Street Address \_\_\_\_\_ City & Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell \_\_\_\_\_ Work \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

Nominee's School: \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher or Administrator's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Room/Office number \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher or Administrator's Email \_\_\_\_\_ School fax number: \_\_\_\_\_

### Section B: Nominator Information

Nominator's Name \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address \_\_\_\_\_ City & Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Fax Number \_\_\_\_\_

How do you know the nominee? \_\_\_\_\_

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Are you a member of CEC \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, please provide your CEC ID number \_\_\_\_\_

## Section C: Awards Criteria

On a separate page(s), please address the following. The responses to the questions may be used for the awards and on the California CEC website. *Make sure you provide information that addresses the nominee's achievements in the category in which he or she is nominated.*

### 1. Background Information

In 150 words or less, please address each of the following:

- The challenges this student encountered prior to his or her current accomplishments (e.g., difficulty with reading).
- The current type of special education services provided to the nominee (e.g., general education class with special education consultation, inclusion, special education classes).

### 2. Student Accomplishments

In 150 words or less, please address each of the following:

- The student's achievements and accomplishments relative to the category in which he or she is nominated.
- The impact of the student's accomplishments on himself/herself and others.

### 3. Student Support

In 100 words or less, please address the following:

- How your community or school system supported this student.

### 4. Setting

- Describe the setting in which the accomplishments occurred (i.e., home, school, work, community).

## Section D: Letters of Recommendation

The nomination packet must include two letters of recommendation.

The letters should state **why the student deserves the award**, particularly in the area in which the student is nominated, and **any obstacles the student has overcome**.

- One letter must come from a professional educator (e.g., teacher, principal, school administrator, counselor, consultant, educational assistant).
- The second letter may come from an educator or other individual who knows the student well (e.g., teacher, principal, counselor, parent, student).

## Section E: Nominee Photo

Please include one high-resolution color headshot photo of the student in JPG, GIF, or TIFF format. The photo must be print-quality. Complete the attached photo release form.

**\*\*Submit one e-mail with all of the nomination materials included to [awood17@calpoly.edu](mailto:awood17@calpoly.edu) by June 1, 2019.**