

Michigan Reading Association

2019-2020 Literacy Awards

The Michigan Reading Association will recognize significant literacy work by an individual, agency or institution. Nominations may be from any of the following areas: *(check all that apply)*

- Organizing literacy programs
- Promoting support from the public relative to enhancing literacy
- Producing teaching materials or special media for literacy programs
- Carrying out research in fields related to literacy
- Providing people the opportunity to help in literacy activities
- Conducting special surveys of importance for literacy planning
- Carrying out informal educational activities of a social, cultural, economic or political nature, in which literacy activities are included
- Promoting legislation which supports literacy

Forms and letters may be sent electronically to
celmer@michiganreading.org
AND
marciaklemp47@gmail.com

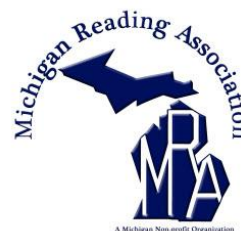
**Additional materials may be mailed separately if nomination is sent electronically*

CHECKLIST

- This nomination form is completed.
- A description of the contribution to literacy (maximum of one page) is included.
- If the nominee is an individual, a vita is included listing educational background, professional experiences, and community contributions relating to literacy. The nominee needs to include a personal statement. The personal statement should include belief statements and how these beliefs align with your practices, including a professional vision. (Vita, including personal statement, is limited to three pages.)
- Three letters of support are included. Letters of support should include the following information:
 - The nominee's contribution to literacy
 - The impact of the contribution to literacy for the community/city/state, and
 - Examples of the nominee's leadership role in promoting literacy.

NOTES

- Award recipient will be honored at the March MRA Conference.
- Council may nominate their IRA Celebrate Literacy Award recipient for this MRA Literacy Award.
- We regret that materials included with the application may not be returned.



DEADLINE: November 22, 2019

Nomination for the MRA Literacy Award

Check one: Individual Agency or Institution

Nominee: _____

Contact Person (if institution/business/agency): _____

E-mail Address: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____ Phone: _____

Nominee gives permission for the committee to contact people who have provided documentation.

Nominator: _____

E-mail Address: _____

Address: _____

Phone (home): _____ Phone (business): _____

Reading Council: _____

Council President: _____