



NAAE Outstanding Awards Teacher Turn the Key Award Application

Name of Applicant: _____

Home Street Address: _____

Home City, State, Zip: _____

Home or Cell Phone: _____

School Name: _____

School Street Address: _____

School City, State, Zip: _____

School Phone: _____ E-mail address: _____

If multiple teacher program, list all co-teachers:

List schools and dates where you have taught (include all subject areas):

Select the award for which you are applying:

- Outstanding Early Career Teacher
- Outstanding Ag Ed Teacher
- Outstanding Program
- Teacher Turn the Key

Note: As you complete your application-tailor your responses to the award for which you are applying.

Award checklist:

- Applicant has been an active NAAE member for 3 previous years or continuously since began teaching.
- Applicant has paid their current years NAAE Dues.
- Application is complete – cover page and narrative pages.
- Application is typed in no smaller than 12 point font on one side of the page.
- Narrative doesn't exceed space provided.
- One letter of recommendation is included

By signing and dating this application, you are agreeing that, if selected as the state winner, you will complete the full NAAE award application for submission to Nationals by the due date.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

I. Teaching Philosophy – In 3-5 sentences, explain your philosophy of teaching.

II. Instruction – Give one example of an innovative classroom/laboratory instruction. Limit your response to the space provided.

III. Experiential Learning – List the % participation in SAE. List the proficiency awards received at the state level. List the star recognitions received by your students. List the FFA degrees earned by your students.

IV. Leadership Development – List the examples of student participation and success in FFA activities. Include items such as: degrees earned, CDEs and levels of participation of your students and teams, awards received.

V. Partnerships – In the space provided, describe your relationships with partners such as volunteers, school and community leaders, industry leaders, and others who support your program.

VI. Marketing – In the space provided, describe how you promote your program to groups such as prospective students, parents, school administrators and community leaders.

VII. Professional Growth – In the space provided, describe how you stay professionally prepared in pedagogy and technical content. Include your participation in organizations such as IVATA and NAAE.