

**2024**

**SOUTH DAKOTA**

**HISTORY TEACHER OF THE YEAR**

Application Packet

Return Completed Application to:

South Dakota State Historical Society  
Governor's Awards for History Teacher  
900 Governors Drive  
Pierre, SD 57501-2217

(Or E-Mail completed application to [Kevin.Larsen@state.sd.us](mailto:Kevin.Larsen@state.sd.us))

**By February 28, 2024**

**SOUTH DAKOTA HISTORY TEACHER OF THE YEAR  
APPLICATION FORM**

(To be completed by nominee)

Please note: Responses must be typewritten.

Name:

Home Address:

City

State

Zip

Name of School:

School Address:

City

State

Zip

Home Telephone:

School Telephone:

E-Mail:

Grade Level:

Years in Present Position:

Total Years Teaching:

Colleges and Universities Attended, Degrees Earned and Dates:

I hereby give my permission that any or all of the attached materials may be shared with persons interested in promoting the History Teacher of the Year Award Program.

Signature of Nominee:

Date:

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Name and Address of School Principal:

City

State

Zip

Telephone

Name and Address of School Superintendent/Chief School Administrative Officer:

City

State

Zip

Telephone

**TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

Give the school(s), teaching assignments, dates, awards, and any other information which provides an accurate description of your teaching career. (Limit your typed response to one double-spaced page.)

## **PHILOSOPHY OF TEACHING**

Describe your personal feelings and beliefs about teaching, including your own ideas of what makes you an outstanding teacher. Describe the major challenges and rewards you find in teaching. (Limit your typed response to two double-spaced pages.)

Philosophy of Teaching, continued: