



Deer Valley Education Foundation 2025-2026 Teacher of the Year

Many outstanding teachers teach in the Deer Valley Unified School District.
DVEF would like to recognize them.

TEACHER NOMINATION FORM Due by February 12th, 2026

Teacher you are nominating _____ **School** _____

Grade/Subject _____ **Years taught** _____ **Years taught in DVUSD** _____

Your Name _____ **School** _____

Position (Teacher, Parent, etc.) _____ **Ph#** _____ **e-mail** _____

**The candidate MUST HAVE COMPLETED their 5th YEAR of teaching
in the Deer Valley Unified School District by May, 2026**

Describe why you believe this teacher should be considered for Teacher of the Year. A candidate should demonstrate the following criteria: respect of peers/teamwork; creativity; be proactive; involvement in campus or district activities/programs; professionalism/pride in school and profession; positive impact on students. You can continue your nomination on an additional page(s) if necessary.

This form must be in the Deer Valley Education Foundation office at District Office by **4:00PM on February 12th, 2026**. Forms can be sent through inter-office mail to DVEF – Marie Brennan at the DO, or e-mailed to marie.brennan@dvusd.org. Nominations will be reviewed, approved by principal, and applications sent to teachers who meet the criteria. **Nominees should NOT know that they have been nominated or by whom.**

Signature of nominator/s _____