

NOMINATE A DESERVING COLLEAGUE OR "FRIEND OF EDUCATION"

Award winners will be honored at the 61st Annual Recognition & Retirement Dinner to be held Thursday, May 15, 2025 at Martin's West

TABCO Recognition Awards

are presented in acknowledgment of outstanding educators with more than five years of experience in the field of education, or community members, who consistently display dedication to education in Baltimore County, and whose contributions go "above and beyond" in advocating, promoting and demonstrating such practices as the following:

- ▶ **quality education for students**
- ▶ **an awareness of the varied needs of students and educators**
- ▶ **sound educational programs and policies**
- ▶ **professional and emotional support for educators**
- ▶ **a mutual understanding between the education community and the general public**
- ▶ **a positive image of education and educators**

61ST ANNUAL RECOGNITION & RETIREMENT DINNER



HONORING THE BEST IN BALTIMORE COUNTY EDUCATION FOR 61 YEARS

ROOKIE Recognition Awards

are designed to recognize individuals who have worked in Baltimore County Public Schools for *fewer than five years* as of May 15, 2025.

This award highlights "rookie" educators who are successfully developing as professional educators and who are going the extra mile in providing quality education for students and a positive image of education and educators.

A person who has demonstrated creativity, implemented a successful project, or done admirable work may be nominated. *Care should be taken to nominate someone who shows great promise to be an exemplary educator for years to come.*

1. While ROOKIE nominations require **both** the nominator and nominee to be a TABCO member, the RECOGNITION nominations require the nominee to be a TABCO member, if eligible, and the nominator to be a TABCO member.
2. Submit the nomination form to TABCO by **Friday, JANUARY 24, 2025**. These must be received or postmarked by that date.
3. The nominator will receive a more detailed nomination form to provide additional, specific information about the nominee's achievements and contributions. This must be accompanied by ten (10) TABCO member signatures seconding the nomination for Recognition; or five (5) TABCO member signatures for ROOKIE. Present TABCO Officers and Board of Directors members are ineligible to receive an award except in special circumstances, to nominate, or to second a nomination. A minimum of three (3) additional TABCO members must submit letters of support for the nominee, postmarked on or before **Monday, February 24, 2025**.

NOMINATION FORM —DUE TO TABCO ON OR BEFORE Friday, JANUARY 24, 2025

I would like to nominate the following for a (check one):

- TABCO Recognition Award for 2025
 ROOKIE Recognition Award for 2025

- Name of nominated person(s) or group: _____
- School/office/organization _____
- Position _____

I will supply the required further information on this nomination upon request.

Nominator _____

Worksite _____ work phone # _____ home phone # _____

Email address _____