# Florida Teachers of the Year (TOY)

2016 Teacher of the Year Hillsborough Diane McKee

Williams Middle School

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**Subject:** Language Arts **Grade Level:** 8th



2015 Teacher of the Year POLK Christie Bassett

Highlands Grove Elementary School **E-mail:** Christine.Bassett@polk-fl.net

Subject: Art

**Grade Level:** K-5<sup>th</sup>



2014 Teacher of the Year ORANGE Dorina Sackman Westridge Middle School

E-mail: dorina.sackman@ocps.net
Subject: ESOL Language Arts

Grade Level: 8th



2013 Teacher of the Year MIAMI-DADE Alexandre Lopes

Carol City Elementary School
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Subject: Special Education

**Grade Level:** Pre-K



2012 Teacher of the Year

**BROWARD** National Teacher of the Year Finalist

**Alvin Davis** 

Miramar High School

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**Subject:** Music Education **Grade Level:** 9th-12th



**2011 Teacher of the Year INDIAN RIVER** 

Cheryl Conley National Teacher of the Year Finalist

Osceola Magnet Elementary School **E-mail:** <a href="mailto:theconleyfamily@hotmail.com">theconleyfamily@hotmail.com</a>

**Subject:** Elementary Education

Grade Level: 4th



2010 Teacher of the Year HILLSBOROUGH Megan Marie Allen National Teacher of the Year Finalist

Cleveland Elementary School **E-mail:** megan allen@me.com **Subject:** Elementary Education

**Grade Level:** 5th



2009 Teacher of the Year NASSAU Jean Lamar

Callahan Middle School

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Subject: Language Arts Grade Level: 8th



2008 Teacher of the Year ORANGE Richard Ellenburg

Camelot Elementary School **E-mail:** ellenburgra@aol.com

**Subject:** Science Lab **Grade Level:** K-5th



2007 Teacher of the Year MARTIN

**Conney Dahn** 

Jensen Beach High School **E-mail:** <a href="mailto:ccdahn@comcast.net">ccdahn@comcast.net</a>

Subject: Exceptional Student Education

**Grade Level:** 9th-12th



2006 Teacher of the Year POLK

Samuel Bennett National Teacher of the Year Finalist

Garner Elementary School

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Subject: Elementary Education

**Grade Level:** 5th



2005 Teacher of the Year ST. LUCIE Kerri Walukewicz Forest Grove Middle School

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Subject: Reading & Language Arts

Grade Level: 7th



2004 Teacher of the Year DUVAL Dayle Timmons

Chets Creek Elementary School

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**Subject:** Special Education

**Grade Level:** K-1st



2003 Teacher of the Year UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA William R Scott

PK Yonge Developmental Research School

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Subject: Science Grade Level: 5th-9th



2002 Teacher of the Year BROWARD

**Henry Brown** National Teacher of the Year Finalist Hallandale Adult Community Center Alternative High

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Subject: Math

Grade Level: 7th-12th



2001 Teacher of the Year BROWARD Joseph Balchumas

Fairway Elementary School

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Subject: Elementary Education

**Grade Level:** 4th



2000 Teacher of the Year MIAMI-DADE Stephanie King

Design & Architecture Senior High School

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Subject: History Grade Level: 11th



1999 Teacher of the Year CITRUS Scott Hebert

**Inverness Primary School** 

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Subject: Elementary Education

Grade Level: 4th



1998 Teacher of the Year DUVAL

**Grace Williams** 

North Shore Elementary School

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**Subject:** Elementary Education

Grade Level: 4th



1997 Teacher of the Year

**CLAY** 

Dr. Susan Sailor

Keystone Heights Junior/Senior High School

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Subject: Dropout Prevention
Grade Level: 8th-12th



1996 Teacher of the Year PALM BEACH David E. Williams

Suncoast Community High School

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**Subject:** Mathematics **Grade Level:** 9th-12th



1995 Teacher of the Year MIAMI-DADE

Shawn E. DeNight

Miami Edison Senior High School

E-mail: N/A

**Subject:** English I & Journalism

**Grade Level:** 9th -12th



1994 Teacher of the Year HILLSBOROUGH Jerry Murray

Adams Junior High School

E-mail: N/A

Subject: Biology, Physical Science Honors & Gifted

Grade Level: 9th



1993 Teacher of the Year BREVARD Tracey L. Bailey Satellite High School

E-mail: N/A

Subject: Physics, Biology General Science

Grade Level: 10th-12th



1992 Teacher of the Year ST. LUCIE

#### Kathleen K. Huie

Ft. Pierce Westwood High School **E-mail:** <a href="mailto:huiek@stlucie.k12.fl.us">huiek@stlucie.k12.fl.us</a>

Subject: English
Grade Level: 9th-12th



1991 Teacher of the Year OKEECHOBEE Sarah Baggett Gustafson Everglades Elementary School

E-mail: N/A Subject: N/A Grade Level: 1st



1990 Teacher of the Year SANTA ROSA Theresa Gayle Noonan Gulf Breeze High School

E-mail: N/A

Subject: Social Studies Law Education

**Grade Level:** 11th-12th



1989 Teacher of the Year MIAMI-DADE

Linda S. Lentin

North Miami Elementary School

E-mail: N/A Subject: Gifted Grade Level: 1st



1988 Teacher of the Year INDIAN RIVER Margaret Ingram

Beachland Elementary School

E-mail: N/A

**Subject:** Elementary Education

Grade Level: 4th & 5th



1987 Teacher of the Year OSCEOLA Candace B. Parker St. Cloud High School

E-mail: N/A

**Subject:** World History/Sociology

Grade Level: N/A



1986 Teacher of the Year DUVAL

## Michael D. Reynolds

Fletcher Senior High School

E-mail: N/A Subject: Science Grade Level: N/A



1985 Teacher of the Year SARASOTA Edith H. Smith

Riverview High School

E-mail: N/A Subject: English Grade Level: 11th



1984 Teacher of the Year LEON
Cynthia Gardner Taylor
Gretchen Everhart School

E-mail: N/A

**Subject:** Speech Therapy **Grade Level:** N/A

1983 Teacher of the Year OKALOOSA

#### **Elizabeth Kentosh**

Niceville Senior High School

E-mail: N/A Subject: Biology Grade Level: N/A



1982 Teacher of the Year

**POLK** 

**Beth Johnson** 

Kathleen Senior High School

E-mail: N/A

Subject: AP English, Honors English Latin I -III

**Grade Level:** N/A



1981 Teacher of the Year INDIAN RIVER Patricia Palmer

Vero Beach Elementary School,

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**Subject:** Elementary Education **Grade Level:** Kindergarten



1980 Teacher of the Year ORANGE Karen Whigham Coleman National Teacher of the Year Finalist Tuskawilla Middle School

E-mail: N/A

Subject: Gifted & Talented

**Grade Level:** N/A



1979 Teacher of the Year MIAMI-DADE Victor Lopez, Jr

Mays Junior High School

E-mail: N/A Subject: Music Grade Level: N/A



1978 Teacher of the Year

**PINELLAS** 

**Dolores A. Keller** National Teacher of the Year Finalist

**Dunedin Elementary School** 

E-mail: N/A

**Subject:** Elementary Education

Grade Level: 5th



1976 Teacher of the Year BROWARD

Carol B. Mears

Lloyd Estates Elementary School

E-mail: N/A

**Subject:** Elementary Education

**Grade Level:** 1st



1975 Teacher of the Year

LEE Vivian Hill

Cape Elementary School

E-mail: N/A

**Subject:** Elementary Education **Grade Level:** Kindergarten



1974 Teacher of the Year COLLIER

James L. Casale

Avalon Elementary School

E-mail: N/A

**Subject:** Mathematics **Grade Level:** 4th-5th



1973 Teacher of the Year DUVAL Marita Eng National Teacher of the Year Finalist

Sandlewood Junior/Senior High School

E-mail: N/A Subject: N/A Grade Level: N/A



1972 Teacher of the Year HILLSBOROUGH

**Jane Swinney** 

Carver Elementary School

E-mail: N/A

Subject: Elementary Education

**Grade Level:** 6th



1971 Teacher of the Year OKALOOSA

**Faye Shaw** 

Bob Sikes Elementary School

E-mail: N/A

**Subject:** Elementary Education

**Grade Level:** 5th



1970 Teacher of the Year MIAMI-DADE Lenora B. Smith Poinciana Park Elementary School E-mail: N/A

**Subject:** Elementary Education **Grade Level:** 1st-2nd & 6th



1969 Teacher of the Year MIAMI-DADE

Barbara Goleman National Teacher of the Year

Miami Jackson Senior High School **E-mail:** <u>bgoleman863@aol.com</u>

**Subject:** Language Arts **Grade Level:** N/A



1968 Teacher of the Year DIXIE

Ruth Raines National Teacher of the Year Finalist

Dixie County High School

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1967 Teacher of the Year SEMINOLE

## **Mildred Anderson**

Zellwood Elementary School

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Subject: Elementary Education Grade Level: 1st-2nd

