

SCIRA/ILA

Exemplary Reading Program Award

Overview: The Exemplary Reading Program Award is sponsored by the International Literacy Association to recognize outstanding reading and language arts programs at all grade levels (elementary, middle, and high school). Its purpose is to call the public's attention to outstanding programs in schools throughout North America. Each participating state and province can choose one winning school.

Objectives: The program has five objectives: (1) to improve literacy in our society, (2) to recognize school staffs who demonstrate excellence in reading and literacy programs, (3) to encourage the development and refinement of exemplary reading/language arts programs, (4) to report to the public noteworthy efforts to improve reading/ language arts, and (5) to disseminate specific information about high-quality programs so that other professionals can use it to improve their own instructional efforts.

Information and Application:

<http://www.literacyworldwide.org/docs/default-source/awards-and-grants/ila-exemplary-reading-award-application.pdf>

Important Dates:

November 15	Applications must be postmarked. Send directly to ILA.
November 28	Applications must arrive at ILA headquarters. Fax entries will not be accepted.
February 1	Visits by state committee will be completed.
February 15	Committee Chairperson will notify ILA of winners.
February 14-16	SCIRA Conference at Hilton Head; winner to be announced at the conference.
February 28	ILA headquarters will notify recipients of the award.

Send nominations to:

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