LAPTA ADVOCACY AWARD FOR A PTA

Application Deadline: March 31, 2025 Winners Announced: April 14, 2025



Apply at <u>LouisianaPTA.org/awards</u> Quantity Offered: 2

The LAPTA Advocacy Award is available for up to two Local PTA Units. The purpose of the Advocacy Award is to recognize a PTA Unit who has worked to make a change for the betterment of children. Advocacy is the heart of PTA and should be the priority of all. Every PTA should have a year's worth of advocacy that they could submit!

There are a multitude of ways PTAs or students can advocate to make all children's potential a reality. See the LAPTA Toolkit Section 7: Advocacy for insights and suggestions.

Entry information includes Local PTA Name, LUR#, parish, PTA contact, PTA position, PTA budget totals, and documentation of the advocacy work. Describe the advocacy work. Who was involved? What was the initial plan? Did the plan change over time and how? Was the work publicized and to whom? What impact did the advocacy work have on children or who was the beneficiary of the work? Be as thorough and descriptive of the advocacy work as possible, which can be more than one project, event, or item. The format can be PDF, Word file, pictures in any format, etc. All applications will be reviewed blindly by the LAPTA Board of Directors.

Submit application by March 31, 2025, at form.jotform.com/221794928286067 or scan the QR Code.

LAPTA ADVOCACY AWARD FOR A STUDENT

Application Deadline: March 31, 2025 Winners Announced: April 14, 2025



Apply at LouisianaPTA.org/awards Quantity Offered: 2

The LAPTA Advocacy Award is available for up to two Louisiana students who are in high school or younger. The purpose of the Advocacy Award is to recognize a student who has worked to make a change for the betterment of children. Advocacy is the heart of PTA and should be the priority of all. It's never too soon for students to get involved in advocacy work!

There are a multitude of ways students can advocate to help achieve PTA's mission which is to make all children's potential a reality. See the LAPTA Toolkit Section 7: Advocacy for insights and suggestions.

Entry information includes the student's contact information and school, parental consent, the PTA name that they are a member of, PTA's parish, detailed and complete documentation of the advocacy work, and two letters of recommendation. Describe the advocacy work. Who was involved? What was the initial plan? Did the plan change over time and how? Was the work publicized and to whom? What impact did the advocacy work have on children or who was the beneficiary of the work? Be as thorough and descriptive of the advocacy work as possible, which can be more than one project, event, or item. The format can be PDF, Word file, pictures in any format, etc. All applications will be reviewed blindly by the LAPTA Board of Directors.

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