



2022 Orange County Teachers of the Year

Finalists

Jodi	Balma	North Orange County Community College District	Fullerton College
Ann	Berger	Capistrano Unified School District	Esencia Preschool-8
Richard	Berman	Orange County Department of Education	Otto A. Fischer School
Alondra	Diaz	Saddleback Valley Unified School District	Ralph A. Gates Elementary School
Sovantevy	Long-Latteri	Fullerton Joint Union High School District	La Sierra High School
Ingred	Shine	Orange Unified School District	Villa Park High School

Semifinalists

Melanie	Davert	Anaheim Elementary School District	Benjamin Franklin School
Debbie	Estrada	Savanna School District	Holder School
Michael	Fisk	Tustin Unified School District	Tustin High School
Monica	Hinds	Saddleback Valley Unified School District	El Toro High School
David	Hubbard	Westminster School District	Dr. Jessie Hayden Elementary School
Amy	Jara	Fountain Valley School District	Masuda Middle School
Emily	Matthews	Newport-Mesa Unified School District	Davis Magnet School
Kenneth	McCall	North Orange County sa	North Orange County ROP
Lisa	Tarkoff	Orange County Private Schools	Red Hill Lutheran School
Kristina	Walshe	Buena Park School District	Buena Park Middle School

Nominees

Cory	Alfaro	Los Alamitos Unified School District	Oak Middle School
Jacques	Andre	College and Career Advantage	College and Career Advantage
Donna	Anstead	Garden Grove Unified School District	Mamie L. Northcutt Elementary School
Dennis	Ashendorf	Newport-Mesa Unified School District	Back Bay & Monte Vista High Schools
Alison	Bento	La Habra City School District	Sierra Vista Elementary School
Anne	Brasie	Ocean View School District	Circle View Elementary School/Virtual Academy
Rebecca	Champion	Lowell Joint School District	Lowell Joint School District
Lori	Chlarson	Huntington Beach Union High School District	Edison High School
Stacie	Cruz	Orange County Charter Schools	Orange County School of Arts
Cory	Day	Laguna Beach Unified School District	Top of the World Elementary School
Ann	Diabeti	Saddleback Valley Unified School District	Rancho Santa Margarita Intermediate School
Alyson	Dixon	Placentia-Yorba Linda Unified School District	Valencia High School
Margaret	Dubel	Capistrano Unified School District	Vista Del Mar Middle School
Yolanda	Gomez	Garden Grove Unified School District	Bryant Elementary School
Jenny	Hazen	Santa Ana Unified School District	Martin Luther King, Jr. Elementary School
Mallory	Heida	Anaheim Union High School District	Gilbert Continuation High School
Mary	Helmer	Orange Unified School District	Esplanade Elementary School
Delaina	Hofacre	Brea Olinda Unified School District	Brea Olinda High School
Jennifer	Kintop	Magnolia School District	Dr. Albert Schweitzer Elementary School
Lynn	Lindsay	Cypress School District	Margaret Landell Elementary School
Rachel	Moeller	Centralia School District	Buena Terra Elementary School
Katrina	Mundy	Anaheim Union High School District	Magnolia High School
Kellie	O'Neill	Santa Ana Unified School District	Willard Intermediate School
Corinne	Owens	Orange Unified School District	West Orange Elementary School
Leslie	Poling	Placentia-Yorba Linda Unified School District	Valadez Middle School Academy
Rebecca	Robledo	Fullerton School District	Ladera Vista Junior High School of the Arts
Paola	Rosenberg	Anaheim Union High School District	John F. Kennedy High School
Richard	Sebastian	Garden Grove Unified School District	La Quinta High School
Rob	Shetland	Fullerton Joint Union High School District	Buena Park High School
Aaron	Tyson	Huntington Beach Union High School District	Fountain Valley High School



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Marguerite	Westling	Capistrano Unified School District	San Clemente High School
Alissa	Wetherell	Anaheim Elementary School District	Horace Mann Elementary School
Adriana	Zamora	Tustin Unified School District	Sycamore Magnet Academy
Pamela	Zinnel	Fullerton School District	Hermosa Drive Elementary

Community College

Daniel	Barlow	South Orange County Community College District	Saddleback College
Matthew	Beyersdorf	Rancho Santiago Community College District	Santa Ana College
Elizabeth	Lassetter	North Orange County Community College District	North Orange Continuing Education
Robbie	Miller	Rancho Santiago Community College District	Santiago Canyon College
Jose	Sanchez-Duran	North Orange County Community College District	Cypress College
Bennet	Tchaikovsky	South Orange County Community College District	Irvine Valley College
Tobi	West	Coast Community College District	Coastline Community College
Jennifer	Wilcox	Coast Community College District	Golden West College
Alexandra	Yates	Coast Community College District	Orange Coast College