## 2019 20 Arthur S. Marmaduke High School Counselor Award

### 1. Nomination Form

**The Arthur S. Marmaduke Award is an annual award recognizing an outstanding California high school counselor who demonstrates exemplary skills in helping students fulfill their dreams of going to college.  Each year, the California Student Aid Commission solicits nominations recommending a California high school counselor who demonstrates effectiveness for serving students in preparing for and pursuing their higher education. The candidate may be nominated by his or her District and County leadership, fellow school counselor/teacher, school principal, or another site administrator.**

**Arthur S. Marmaduke was the Executive Director of the California Student Aid Commission for 25 years from 1960 to 1985.The award was established in 1985 in his honor as the longest-serving executive director in the history of the Commission, which was founded in 1955. Mr. Marmaduke also served as the first President of the National Association of State Grant and Aid Programs.**

**The winner will be chosen by the California Student Aid Commission and announced in the spring of 2020. The award, which includes a plaque and $1,500 check will be presented at the awardee's high school.**

**Nomination Guidelines**
- **Submission Deadline: January 10, 2020.**
- **Detailed eligibility criteria visit: https://www.csac.ca.gov/arthur-s-marmaduke-high-school-counselor-award**

\* 1. Nominee's Full Name

\* 2. Nominator's Contact Information

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| Name: | |
| Title: | |
| School/workplace affiliation: | |
| Email: | |
| Phone number: | |

* 3. Nominee's Contact Information

Name: 

Title: 

Email: 

Phone: 

* 4. Nominee's High School Information

High School Name: 

Address: 

City: 

Zip: 

Phone Number: 

Principal: 

Superintendent: 

School District: 

* 5. How many years has the nominee been employed at the high school?

* 6. How many years has the nominee served as a high school counselor?

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2. Supplemental Questions

**Please be thorough and descriptive when answering the supplemental questions. Please provide a detailed response, as the selection committee relies upon this information to compare each of the nominees and determine the winner. There are four questions asking you to describe the nominee's merits in the areas listed below:**

- **Financial Aid & College Events/Activities**
- **FAFSA / CADAA Completion Rates**
- **College Preparedness**
- **Family & Student Interaction**

\* 7. How many high students are assigned to the Nominee?

\* 8. Financial Aid & College Events/Activities -  A brief description of Nominees involvement in financial aid events and/or activities to inform students about college and career readiness needs. Explain how these events/activities showcased the excellence of the nominee?

\* 9. <u>Completion Rates</u> - What specific actions/events has the nominee used to increase the school's FAFSA/CADAA completion rates in 2019-20?

10. <u>College Preparedness</u> - What specific activities did the nominee develop/support to increase the academic success and to encourage their students to complete the academic requirements to attend college? What did the nominee do to improve the school's graduation and college going rate?

11. Family & Student Interaction - Please provide detailed examples of how the nominee has interacted and supported low income, underrepresented first generation students and their families to inform them about financial aid and college options.

12. Student Testimony - One personal testimony from a student on the counselor's impact/merits.

There are two options to submit the Student Testimony: copy and paste into the box below or attach a PDF word Doc file in question #15.
(Please do not exceed 1 pg.)

13. Any additional details you would like to provide about the nominee.

\* 14. How did you hear about the Arthur S. Marmaduke Award?

☐ CSAC Website

☐ List-Serv email (Special Alert)

☐ Colleague

☐ Other (please specify)

15. Please attach all supporting documents
PDF Only

**Choose File**    No file chosen