

NATIONAL PTA SPECIAL AWARD

Life Achievement Award

Giving a Life Achievement Award

Any PTA -- local, council, district, or state -- in conjunction with National PTA may confer a National PTA Life Achievement Award on a deserving person.

Choosing Your Honoree

Because a National PTA Life Achievement Award is the highest honor that PTA can bestow, it is an especially significant way to honor worthy people in your school, community, and state.

The honored person is usually someone who has given outstanding service to children -- someone who has promoted children's well-being by serving as an advocate for children in such areas as education, health, safety, and legislation. The honoree need not be a member of a parent-teacher group nor be well known beyond his or her own area of service.

Think of the people whom your PTA might like to honor with a Life Achievement Award -- people who care about children and have made their caring count by their devoted service to children and youth:

- 1 A PTA leader, past or present
- 2 The school superintendent or principal
- 3 An outstanding teacher--perhaps one who is retiring this year
- 4 A senior citizen who serves as a volunteer in the school
- 5 A school board member
- 6 A school crossing guard who has been on duty for many years
- 7 A police officer who works on drug education or other youth programs

The people to whom you present a National PTA Life Achievement Award will appreciate the high honor they have received and your PTA members will be proud to be involved in the presentation. To find out more information please refer to National PTA's website, <https://www.pta.org/ssl/hlmonline.asp>