



# nsta Awards



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What: NSTA Teacher Awards

Who: K-12 Teachers

2025 NSTA TEACHER AWARDS

Angela Award (only student  
award)

Maitland P. Simmons Memorial  
Award for New Teachers

Robert E. Yager Exemplary  
Teaching Award

Shell Science Teaching Award

Shell Urban Science Educators  
Development Award

Sylvia Shugrue Award

LIVE WEBINAR

When: October 24, 2024

Why: Find out how to apply.

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Note: All award offerings are contingent upon funding from our sponsors.

Deadline for 2025 award application submission: **December 19, 2024**

Award	Who can apply	Award Description
Angela Award	5th–8th grade female science student	\$500 Cash Prize; plaque
Maitland P. Simmons-Memorial Award for New Teachers	NSTA members	Certificate, \$1000 toward expenses to attend the National Conference (if applicable)
Shell Science Teaching Award	K-12 science teachers	Winner: \$10,000 cash prize & an all-expenses paid trip to attend the National Conference (if applicable). Finalists: All-expenses paid trip to attend the National Conference (if applicable)
Shell Urban Science Educators Development Award	K-12 urban science teachers in eligible underrepresented groups: African American, Hispanic American, Native American/Alaska native who maintain tribal affiliation, Hawaiian natives	Plaque, \$1800 for expenses to attend the National Conference (if applicable)
Sylvia Shugrue Award	Elementary science teachers	Plaque, \$1000 cash prize, & \$500 for expenses to attend the National Conference (if applicable)
Robert E. Yager Award	K-12 science teachers	Plaque, \$1000 cash prize