

Oklahoma C³ Science Standards Committee

NOMINATION FORM

Due January 31, 2013

INSTRUCTIONS

Please complete the application fully for consideration to be selected to serve on the Oklahoma C³ Science Standards Committee. Once the application is completed, you may submit it electronically using the "Submit" button on page 4.

LAST NAME

FIRST NAME

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SCHOOL DISTRICT/ORGANIZATION (If applicable)

ADDRESS

CITY

STATE

ZIP CODE

EMAIL

PHONE

POSITION

HOME ADDRESS

CITY

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Grade level(s) Taught Currently or Previously. Please check all that apply.

- Pre-Kindergarten Early Elementary, 1-3 Middle School, 6-8
 Kindergarten Upper Elementary, 4-5 High School, 9-12 College or University

Subject(s) Taught Currently or Previously. Please check all that apply.

- Science, General (Grades Pk-3) Science, General (Grade 7) Earth Science (Grades 9-12)
 Science, General (Grade 4) Science, General (Grade 8) Chemistry (Grades 9-12)
 Science, General (Grade 5) Physical Science (Grades 9-12) Physics (Grades 9-12)
 Science, General (Grade 6) Biology (Grades 9-12) Not applicable
 Environmental Science (Grades 9-12) Anatomy & Physiology (Grades 9-12) Other
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Please complete the following questions:

1. What is your view of the purpose and goals of science education?

2. Explain your view of effective science instruction.

Please make sure your response aligns to your response to question 1.

3. Please review the current [Oklahoma C³ Science Standards](#) (Revised PASS 2011) in the area or grade level you currently teach. After reviewing, discuss any modifications you feel should be considered to the standards in the review process (stronger emphasis on literacy integration, clarification for specific standards, modification of process standards, etc.).

4. Why do you want to serve on the Oklahoma C³ Science Standards Committee?

5. Describe any qualifications (past experiences, academic background, professional experiences outside of the classroom, participation in science professional organizations, participation in creating and writing standards for learning, etc.) you possess that will enhance the revision process of the Oklahoma C³ Science Standards.

The Oklahoma C³ Science Standards Review Committee will consist of two teams.

① **Writing Team:** As a participant of the Writing Team, individuals **will be required to attend on-site meetings*** and will participate in the writing of the revised Oklahoma C³ Science Standards.

Meetings for the Writing Team will be held on the following dates from 9:00 am – 4:00 pm:

February 21 • March 12 • March 28 • April 2 • April 25 • May 7

Meetings will alternate between the University of Oklahoma and Oklahoma State University.

② **Draft Team:** As a member of the Draft Team, participants will be asked to review drafts of the standards developed by the Writing Team and provide feedback. Reviews will be conducted electronically and **will not require on-site meetings.**

Please indicate the team for which you wish to be considered.

Writing Draft Either

Applicants will receive notification about committee selections via e-mail by February 8th, 2013.

*REIMBURSEMENTS FOR WRITING TEAM

For Applicants who are Educators K-12

For Educators K-12, districts will be reimbursed for the cost of providing a substitute teacher for those educators who are accepted as part of the Writing Team and have to attend onsite meetings. To qualify for reimbursement, the school district must authorize the educator to be absent to be a part of this committee, and the substitute teacher must be used for the full day of instruction.

For Educators K-12 Mileage will be reimbursed to and from meeting location per the Oklahoma State Travel Reimbursement Act. All other expenses incurred (i.e. Hotel, food costs etc) are voluntary and will not be reimbursed by the State Department of Education.

For all other Applicants (Non Educators K-12)

For all other applicants who are not K-12 educators, participation on this committee is voluntary and **expenses will not be reimbursed** to participate. Your participation and contribution to this committee is appreciated immensely however state funds are limited and not available at this time for reimbursement of any expenses incurred during your participation.

For more information on the 2012-2013 Oklahoma C³ Science Standards Committees, please contact:

Tiffany Neill, Director of Science Education at Tiffany.Neill@sde.ok.gov or **(405) 522-3524**.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

I understand that completing this application does not guarantee my selection to serve on the 2013 Oklahoma C³ Science Standards Committee. I further acknowledge that if selected to serve I will abide by any non-disclosure agreement and rules of procedure by which the committee would operate.

SIGNATURE (Electronic signature is permitted)

DATE

SUBMIT