Eligibility Criteria

To be eligible for the AU Teacher Prize in 2022, the applicant must:

I. Be a citizen of an African Union Member State

II. Must possess official qualification and evidence of being a teacher at the secondary school level.

III. Be among two teachers (one male, one female), nominated by an AU Member State Ministry of Education

IV. Possess the following demonstrated qualities as a teacher

- Engaging in quality teaching which result in high standards of student achievement;
- Demonstrated knowledge of the subject matter, while keeping up with recent developments.
- Encouraging desirable behavior among students through positive feedback and other methods;
- Managing classes to enhance the quality of learning processes, while ensuring accommodation of students with varied learning needs and abilities;
- Engaging in activities and networks that enhance the social and cultural value of learning.
- Helping students to achieve their long term career goals by organizing engagement with relevant agencies and information;
- Demonstrating multi-valency in facilitating acquisition of knowledge and skills, as well as values for peace building and responsible citizenship
- Positive engagement with fellow teachers encouraging mutual learning;
- Positive reputation from stakeholders and community members
- Highly commended by students and staff members