

## Hillsborough County Council PTA/PTSA Summary of Awards

### Awards Based on Master Submission Form (Certificate Award):

<b>Golden Participation</b>	Participates/attends 3 or more HCC PTA/PTSA County level meetings, trainings, conferences, workshops
<b>Student Involvement</b>	If PTSA .... At least one student serves on your PTA Board
<b>Volunteer Hours</b>	Need volunteer hours to reflect 2 times your PTA membership number
<b>Increased Membership</b>	Two (2) Awarded ... One for highest number increase of members from previous year and one given for highest percentage increase in membership from previous year. <b>Membership counts from Florida PTA will be verified and used.</b>

### Program Awards:

<b>Advocacy/Legislation</b>	Demonstrates/Aims to influence positive outreach and change within the immediate school environment or community through new rules or laws.
<b>Arts in Education</b>	Outstanding arts program that is creative in including family involvement. This can be any type of arts program but not your Reflections participation.
<b>Education</b>	Program directly focuses on improving student academic achievement. Encourages and reinforces academic excellence.
<b>Family Involvement</b>	Program directly focuses on bringing together, educating, and involving families at school.
<b>Health &amp; Safety</b>	Program/individuals supporting program have made outstanding contribution in area of safety for our children.
<b>At your Service/ Three Star</b>	Recognizes a comprehensive program by local units that directly focus' on the missions of PTA while providing an excellent opportunity to teach children and families the value of generosity and helping others through a service project or projects.
<b>Start-up PTA</b>	Recognizes local units who have been chartered or re-chartered for three years or less for goals & achievements throughout the year in promoting PTA
<b>Superman</b>	Recognizes a PTA/PTSA with an extraordinary male involved program.

### Individual Awards:

<b>Instructional</b>	Recognizes outstanding instructional school person ... teacher, guidance counselor, media specialist, assistant principal, Para-professional who promotes PTA purposes.
<b>Non-Instructional</b>	Recognizes outstanding non-instructional person ... secretary, custodian, bus driver, cafeteria worker, nurse, classroom aide who promotes PTA purposes.
<b>Outstanding HS Senior/ Student Led Program</b>	Your PTA recognizes a senior for a student led program, project or event that they created. (This can be a legacy program that they created as an underclassman and has carried forward.) Intent is to give an award to a senior who may not necessarily be top running for scholarships, but has well rounded character, supported your PTSA, and demonstrates maturity consistent with being good citizen.
<b>Volunteer of the Year</b>	Recognizes an outstanding PTA member in your local unit (not president or principal) who promotes PTA purposes.
<b>President of the Year</b>	Recognizes an outstanding Principal who shows commitment and cooperation with local PTA over and above normal job duties and promotes PTA purposes.
<b>Principal of the Year</b>	Recognize an outstanding principal at an area school who has shown commitment and cooperation with their local PTA/PTSA over and above their normal job duties.
<b>Student of the Year</b>	MIDDLE and HIGH SCHOOL ONLY... Recognizes an outstanding student who has been instrumental in developing programs or demonstrated service/leadership in promoting programs that support PTA.

### Communication Awards:

<b>Communications</b>	Recognizes local units that use superior skills disseminating meaningful information to parents, students, and the community by means of website, newsletter, and social medias.
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