



ACCESS AWARDS NOMINATION FORM

Nomination for:

- Student Access Award
- Diane Branman Faculty/Staff Access Award

Name of Nominee: _____

SWC ID Number (if applicable): _____

Nominator's Name: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Email Address: _____

Please attach required letter of nomination, not to exceed one page. Letter must describe how this nominee has contributed to the benefit of persons with disabilities, universal design, or accessible learning for all. Please refer to Nomination Criteria for each award.

Deadline to submit: Monday, October 5, 2020 by 3:00 p.m.

Please submit this nomination form and your letter to the Disability Support Services (DSS) office at dss@swccd.edu

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STUDENT AWARD NOMINATION

Purpose of Student Access Award

The SWC Student Access Award recognizes a student who has made a significant difference to life on campus for students with disabilities through involvement and advocacy for access and Universal Design.

Award Criteria

The student must meet the following criteria:

- Be a current SWC student
- Minimum 2.0 grade point average
- Letter of recommendation from an SWC faculty or staff member

Award Nomination

Any Southwestern College District stakeholder may submit a nomination. The nominator must submit a nomination form and a letter of recommendation describing how the student has made a significant difference to life on campus for students with disabilities through involvement and advocacy.

Selection Committee

Members of the campus ADA Committee, as follows:

Two administrators

Two faculty members

Two classified staff members

ASO President or designee

Selection Process and Award

Nominations are now available at www.swccd.edu/ACCESS.

Deadline to submit: Monday, October 5, 2020 by 3:00 p.m.

The recipient of the award shall be selected by the committee each October, during Disability Awareness Month.

The recipient of the award will receive:

- \$500 Scholarship
- Certificate of Recognition
- Recognition at Governing Board meeting

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SWC FACULTY/STAFF/ADMINISTRATOR AWARD NOMINATION

Purpose of the SWC Diane Branman Access Award

The SWC Diane Branman Access Award recognizes a SWC faculty, staff, or administrator, outside of Disability Support Services (DSS), who is distinguished by their especially significant contribution to the education of persons with disabilities through Universal Design principles. This award is named for Diane Branman, who was the first DSS counselor at SWC and recently retired after more than thirty years of service devoted to students with disabilities.

Award Criteria

Open to all current SWC faculty, staff or administrators outside of the DSS Office

Award Nomination

Any Southwestern College District stakeholder may submit a nomination. The nominator must submit a nomination form and a description of how the nominee has contributed to the education of persons with disabilities and an accessible learning environment for all students.

Selection Committee

Members of the campus ADA Committee, as follows:

- Two administrators
- Two faculty members
- Two classified staff members
- ASO President or designee

Selection Process and Award

Nominations are now available at www.swccd.edu/ACCESS.

Deadline to submit: Monday, October 5, 2020 by 3:00 p.m.

The recipient of the award shall be selected by the committee each October, during Disability Awareness Month.

The recipient of the award will receive:

- Crystal plaque
- Certificate of Recognition
- Recognition at Governing Board meeting