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Established in 1978, Gujarat Science Academy (GSA) is a premier academy of leading scientists in Gujarat for promoting education, research and outreach in all dimensions of science and technology that help the betterment of society. One of the many objectives of the Academy is to review and improve science and technical education in the state at all levels and to reward where excellence is achieved.

The Gujarat Science Academy has come forward to recognize meritorious services of outstanding school science teachers of Gujarat for introducing creativity and innovation in teaching practices of science education at the primary, secondary or higher secondary school levels by instituting GSA – Prof. P. A. Pandya School Science Teacher Award from the year 2014. The award has been instituted with a generous endowment donation by Prof. S. P. Pandya, Ex. Director, Physical Research Laboratory, Ahmedabad; one of the founder members and a Past President of GSA.

The number of awards to be made in any year shall be limited to 4, 2 in each category (Category I: Standards 1-8 and Category II: Standards 9-12) to school science teachers currently working in recognized primary, secondary or higher secondary schools of Gujarat and teaching in Gujarati, Hindi or English medium.

Each awardee will be presented a scroll, GSA memento and a cash award of Rs.10,000/- (Rs. Ten Thousand).

Ideally, a teacher shall be nominated by the Principal of the school in which the nominee is working. The nominee should be teaching at primary, secondary or higher secondary level in Gujarat at-least for last ten years. In exceptional cases, self-nominations will also be accepted.

The nominator may forward only one nomination per category in a year (Category I: Standards 1-8 and Category II: Standards 9-12).

Nomination can be submitted in Gujarati, Hindi or English.

The last date for receipt of nomination is December 23, 2017.

After scrutiny, the short-listed nominees will be invited for the short presentation of their contributions (either in Gujarati, Hindi or English) at Department of Physics, University School of Sciences, Gujarat University, Ahmedabad 380 009 on January 20, 2018.

These awards will be given during the GSA’s Annual Science Congress, which will be held at CSMCRI, Bhavanagar during February 4-5, 2018. For receiving the award, the awardees (along with spouse) will be paid travel expenses by rail/road. GSA will help in providing local hospitality.

The nomination shall be made in the prescribed Nomination Form. Nomination in one hard copy with signature of Principal and Nominee should be reach to the following on or before December 23, 2017. On the envelope write GSA – Prof. P. A. Pandya School Science Teacher Award.

Prof. P. N. Gajjar
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Gujarat University, Ahmedabad 380 009

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Incomplete and delayed Nominations received will not be considered.

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NOMINATION FORM

1. Name of the Nominee: ___________ ___________ ___________
   Surname          First Name         Middle Name

2. Date of Birth:

3. Gender: Male / Female / Third Gender

4. Nationality:

5. Designation:

6. Whether the School is Primary (P) / Secondary (S) / Higher Secondary (HS):

7. Whether the School is Government / Grant-in-aid / Private – SF:

8. Address of the School:

8. Address for Correspondence:

Tel (O):

Tel (R):

Mobile:

e-mail ID:
9. Academic Qualifications

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10. Total Experience as a full time permanent teacher: _____ Yrs _____ Months

11. Service Record*

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<th>Level : Primary Secondary Higher-Secondary</th>
<th>Period of service with designation (Exact dates to be indicated)</th>
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*Teaching experience of recognized schools and permanent services only has to be given.

12. Has the teacher undertaken any creative, innovative practice / experimentation for greater impact of his/her science teaching on the students?

If so, give a brief note in the following areas: (a separate sheet may be attached.)

(a) Classroom instructions (not more than 200 words)
(b) Laboratory/Library work (not more than 200 words)
(c) Assessment & Evaluation (not more than 200 words)
(d) Student motivation (not more than 200 words)
13. What are the teaching learning practices adopted and what are the types of teaching aids, including mass media, used by the teacher to make classroom instruction more interesting? (not more than 200 words)

14. Has the teacher written articles, text books etc? Has the teacher participated in any educational competitions? If so, give the list.

15. Has the teacher received any Recognition, Award or Prize from School, Community, Government or any other agency during the last 10 years? If so, give particulars.

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16. Any other significant achievement/contribution not mentioned above (200 words)

17. Attach latest Bio-data (not more than 3 pages of A4 size paper) of the Nominee

18. References

(Name and details of 2 eminent persons / teachers in Gujarat, who are personally familiar with the work of the nominee)
DECLARATION

Information provided in the above nomination is true to the best of my knowledge.

Date:
Place:                                                        Signature and Seal of the Principal

Being the nominee, I am aware of my nomination for GSA – Prof. P. A. Pandya School Science Teacher Award – 2017. The information provided by the Principal in this form is true to the best of my knowledge.

Date:
Place:                                                        Signature of the Nominee Teacher

Important Note:
1. Please ensure that the nomination form as prescribed is duly completed.
2. A passport size photograph of the nominee may be affixed at the place indicated in the form.
3. Please ensure that the nominee is aware of his/her nomination.
4. Incomplete Nomination in any respects and not accompanied by the latest Bio-data of the Nominee or received after the due date are liable to be rejected.
5. The Academy reserves the right of final selection of the teacher for the aforesaid Award.
6. Do not attach any evidence with the application form. It is to be produced at the time of presentation.
7. Full application should not exceed 10 pages.
8. Those who have received this award once are not eligible for the second time.
9. Nomination in one hard copy with signature of Principal and Nominee should be forwarded to following on or before December 23, 2017.

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