

DISTINGUISHED VIKING ALUMNUS GUIDELINES

PURPOSE

USD 503 students, staff, and administration want to recognize graduates who have distinguished themselves, and to inspire our students to greater achievement by promoting positive role-models.

ELIGIBILITY

Any Parsons High School graduate who meets the following criteria:

- Has made a special contribution of time, talent, or effort to their profession, community, country, or the world; and/or has attained significant professional achievement.
- Possesses high moral character which serves as a positive example for others.
- Provides leadership in activities which promote the greater good.

NOMINATION PROCEDURE

Anyone is welcome to make a nomination.

Nominations will be accepted for the current school year through May 1. If questions, please contact the high school office at (620) 421-3660 for assistance.

SELECTION COMMITTEE/PROCESS

The selection committee will meet in April of each school year to review nomination applications. The selection committee is comprised of the following:

- Building representatives (5 total)
- Superintendent of Schools
- Board of Education member

Selection is by a simple majority vote. Only one distinguished alumnus will be inducted per year.

PRESENTATION

The recipient will be recognized during high school graduation and will be invited to give graduates a motivational speech. A plaque in their name with a picture and explanation will be placed on the Distinguished Viking Wall near the auditorium.

Completed forms should be returned to:

Parsons High School

Attn: Building Principal

3030 Morton

Parsons, KS 67357