



# PRICHARD COMMITTEE FOR ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE

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## The Beverly Nickell Raimondo Leadership Award

The **Beverly Nickell Raimondo Leadership Award** is designed to recognize the value of parent engagement in Kentucky by honoring an individual who has demonstrated exceptional leadership towards improving student achievement among Kentucky students in our public schools.

### 2017 Nomination Form | **DEADLINE: October 27, 2017**

The winner will be announced at the Prichard Committee annual meeting on Sunday, November 5.  
A press release will follow.

**INSTRUCTIONS:** Complete the form below and include it with your letter of recommendation. Submit both the form below and letter of recommendation to Suzetta Yates at [syates@prichardcommittee.org](mailto:syates@prichardcommittee.org) or via mail to: Suzetta Yates, Prichard Committee, 271 W. Short Street, Suite 202, Lexington, KY 40507. If you have any questions, please call us at 859-233-9849.

#### ABOUT THE PERSON SUBMITTING NOMINATION

<b>Name:</b>	
<b>Address:</b>	
<b>City, State Zip:</b>	
<b>Email Address:</b>	
<b>Phone Number:</b>	

#### ABOUT THE NOMINEE

<b>Name:</b>	
<b>Address:</b>	
<b>City, State Zip:</b>	
<b>Email Address:</b>	
<b>Phone Number:</b>	

**LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION:** Please write a letter of recommendation, 500 words or less, explaining why you wish to nominate this person for The Beverly Nickell Raimondo Leadership Award. Remember the focus is on demonstrated leadership toward improving student achievement among Kentucky students. Below are questions that should be addressed in the recommendation form:

- How are you acquainted with the nominee and why do you believe this person should receive The Beverly Nickell Raimondo Leadership Award?
- Has the individual completed the Commonwealth Institute for Parent Leadership (CIPL), the Governor's Commonwealth Institute for Parent Leadership (GCIPL), or other activities designed to build capacity of parents to have a positive effect on student achievement in Kentucky's public schools? Please provide the date and location of parent/community engagement trainings.

- Provide examples of the individual's demonstrated commitment to improving achievement for **all** students in their community or statewide.
- Provide examples of how the individual has provided encouragement and support for those in their community who are working to improve parental knowledge and student achievement.
- Provide examples of how the individual has championed student achievement in Kentucky's public schools.

Thank you. We appreciate your nomination.