



**ASLA Early Career Teacher Librarian Award 2022**

This inaugural national award recognises and honours an Australian Teacher Librarian in their first five years of teaching, who has made an outstanding contribution to their school community and potentially beyond. This annual award acknowledges an early career Teacher Librarian for their high level of achievement in professional knowledge, practice and engagement they have made a positive impact on teaching and learning in their school.

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**The Recipient of the Award will receive:**

$1,000 as a Professional Learning Grant generously donated by Britannica Digital Learning.

Free access to the ASLA Webinars for the Year.

The Award will be announced and presented at the ASLA AGM 2022 and Advocacy Summit.

**Nomination for the Award**

Principals, professional colleagues and members of the school community are encouraged to nominate their Teacher Librarian for this award. The Nominator does not need to be a member of ASLA, however, the nominee must be a member of ASLA. The nominator may be a colleague, principal or administrator at your school. The nominee must be a resident in Australia, have a recognised Teacher Librarian qualification and be in the first 5 years working as a qualified Teacher Librarian.

The completed nomination must be submitted on time and include the following supporting documentation:

* Scanned copies of qualifications
* Two testimonials
* Any other additional supporting evidence

**Nominations close on Friday 25 March 2022**

**Please send completed documentation to:** [secretary@asla.org.au](mailto:secretary@asla.org.au)

**Subject Heading:** Early Career Teacher Librarian Award - *Your Name*

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**Details of Teacher Librarian**

| Title | First name | | Last Name |
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| School |  | | |
| Position Title |  | | |
| Postal Address |  | | |
| Email |  | | |
| Phone | Mob | Home | Work |
| **Professional Qualifications:** Please list Teacher Librarian qualification (ALIA approved), and provide scanned copies of degrees, certificates and awards | | | |

| **Statement of achievements:**  Please address the 3 criteria below. You should link this to how you have made an impact within your School Community and beyond, if applicable. Responses should not exceed 1,000 words in total.  Please refer to the AITSL [Australian Professional Standards for teachers.](https://www.aitsl.edu.au/docs/default-source/national-policy-framework/australian-professional-standards-for-teachers.pdf?sfvrsn=5800f33c_74)  **Professional Knowledge:**  **Professional Practice:**  **Professional Engagement:** |
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| **Two written testimonials provided by professional colleagues:**  These should support the application and endorse some of your achievements. Please limit testimonials to 300 words. At least one of these should be your School Principal.  Please include as attachments  **1. Name:**  **Position:**  **Contact:**  **2. Name:**  **Position:**  **Contact:** |
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**Nominated by:**

**Name:**

**Position:**

**Contact details:**

| **Nominee:** | | **Nominator:** | |
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| **Signature:** | **Date:** | **Signature:** | **Date:** |