



## APPLICATIONS NOW BEING ACCEPTED!

### PRESIDENT'S AWARD Outstanding Civics Teacher

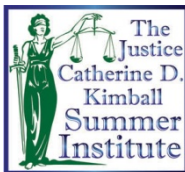
Established by the Presidents of the Louisiana State Bar Association in partnership with the Louisiana Center for Law and Civic Education, this award is given annually to one or more Louisiana teachers in recognition of their law-related education work.

Recipients of this prestigious award will be recognized at a reception in January 2014 during the Louisiana State Bar Association's annual Midyear Meeting in New Orleans. All educators deserving of recognition are encouraged to apply for this award today. Application deadline is November 29, 2013. Visit the LCLCE website [here](#) for more details.



2013 President's Award Recipient Mitzi Murray of West Monroe High School is seen here with LCLCE Board Members. From left, Judge Wendell Manning, Murray, Justice Marcus Clark and Rep. Frank Hoffmann.

## Support Free Training for Teachers The Justice Catherine D. Kimball Summer Institute Endowment Fund



Dedicated to Training Teachers in  
Civic and Law Related Education

The Justice Catherine D. Kimball Summer Institute is an annual multi-day teachers' workshop that provides instruction in law-related curriculums for Louisiana teachers. This program is provided at no cost to teachers.

To insure the continuance of the Justice Catherine D. Kimball Summer Institute, an endowment fund has been created. Tax deductible contributions will be used in perpetuity for the continuance of high quality training for Louisiana teachers.

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The Louisiana Center for Law and Civic Education is a non profit 501(c)(3) organization. It is the educational arm of the Louisiana State Bar Association. It is financially assisted, in part, by the Interest on Lawyers Trust Accounts program through the Louisiana Bar Foundation, federal organizations, and by generous private contributions.

Checks should be made payable to the La. Center for Law and Civic Education and mailed to: Justice Catherine D. Kimball Summer Institute Fund, 601 St. Charles Avenue, New Orleans, LA 70130. For more information, visit the LCLCE Summer Institute Endowment website page [here](#).

## Thousands of Students Observe Constitution Day

Special thanks to teachers, schools, lawyers and judges who participated in the *Lawyers/Judges in the Classroom* Constitution Day programs. This year more than 4,400 students statewide received a visit from a member of the Louisiana legal community. To see who participated and photos of the events, visit the LCLCE website [here](#). Also visit the LCLCE Facebook page [here](#).

Teachers and members of the legal community are encouraged to participate in this program which is active throughout the school year.



Judge Zorraine Waguespack visiting with students in observance of Constitution Day at Roseland Elementary Montessori School, Roseland, La.

**Lawyers in the Classroom/Judges in the Classroom** - A partnership of the Louisiana State Bar Association, The Louisiana Judicial Judges Association and the LCLCE.

## We the People Teachers' Workshop

La. Council for the Social Studies Conference



This year's Louisiana Council for the Social Studies (LCSS) annual conference will be held in Lafayette from November 7-8, 2013. Download LCSS Conference registration form [here](#).

The LCLCE will be offering an introductory seminar on *We the People*, the nationally renowned civics curriculum, at the elementary, middle and high school levels. Each participant will receive a *We the People* textbook and teachers' guide.

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## We the People State Competition



Teachers! If you have a *We the People* congressional hearing team you would like to participate in this year's state competition on Friday, January 31, 2014 in Baton Rouge, contact Peggy Cotogno at [peggy.cotogno@lsba.org](mailto:peggy.cotogno@lsba.org).

## We the People Middle School National Finals



If you are a "We the People" middle school teacher that may be interested in having a team compete in an invitational "We the People Middle School National Finals" sponsored by the Center for Civic Education, please contact Peggy Cotogno at [peggy.cotogno@lsba.org](mailto:peggy.cotogno@lsba.org).

## Attorney Job Positions

The Louisiana State Bar Association has a current listing of job opportunities in the legal field. To view these opportunities click [here](#).