

2025 Connecticut Teacher of the Year Program Timeline

April 2024	Letter from the Commissioner is delivered to Superintendents of Schools to open the 2025 program
May 2024	Emails sent to recruit members for the 2025 Selection Committee as readers and for Semifinalist interviews and Finalist school visits
Spring/Summer 2024	District Teachers of the Year prepare their online application and/or register for inclusion in the recognition ceremony only
Thursday, August 1, 2024	Application submitted via online portal by 11:59 p.m.
August 5–August 21, 2024	Selection Committee reviews applications
September 12–13, 2024	Semifinalist interviews held at the Legislative Office Building
Week of September 16, 2024	All semifinalists are notified if selected as a Finalist. Finalists are provided with school visit dates and procedures.
September 26 and 27, 2024	Site visits take place at Finalists' schools
Late October, 2024	National Teacher of the Year application due to CCSSO National Teacher of the Year Office, Washington, D.C.
Early November, 2024	Commissioner announces the 2025 Connecticut Teacher of the Year during a press conference at the teacher's school
November 6, 2024	Recognition event at The Bushnell in Hartford, CT to honor each district Teacher of the Year, Semifinalists, Finalists, and the 2025 Connecticut Teacher of the Year