# **Killeen ISD Alumni Association Distinguished Alumni Criteria 2026**



## **Qualifications of Nominees:**

- Nominee must be a graduate of Killeen Independent School District.
- Nominee must have graduated 10 years prior to the year he/she is nominated.
- Nominee cannot be a current employee of Killeen ISD.
- Nominee should be well-rounded in all areas and significantly contributed to the community (Killeen or another community) and/or his or her profession since graduating from Killeen ISD.
- The honoree should be a role model that current and future generations of Killeen ISD students can emulate.
- Killeen ISD Alumni Association committee members, Killeen ISD Education Foundation board members, KISD Board of Trustees and individuals currently seeking election/re-election to public office are not eligible to receive the award.
- KISD Alumni Association committee members may not make nominations.
- If the candidate is not chosen this year, nominations will be kept on file for consideration for two additional years following the submission date.

## To nominate a candidate:

- Nomination forms may be obtained from the KISD Education Foundation office by calling 254-336-0181 or online at www.KilleenEducationFoundation.org.
- All questions must be completed. Please provide enough information about the candidate to clearly demonstrate the contributions they have made.
- Resumes will not be accepted in lieu of the nomination form but are recommended to be submitted along with form.
- Nominations must be submitted to the Foundation office no later than December 31, 2025.

#### **Method of selection:**

- The KISD Alumni Association Distinguished Alumni Committee will review all nominations and select potential honorees.
- All honorees will be asked to submit a complete biographical sketch and photo no later than January 31, 2026 to be considered.
- Honorees will be selected and recognized at the 2026 Distinguished Alumni Reception – date and location to be announced

#### Additional Information:

- The KISD Alumni Association is unable to provide transportation or lodging expenses for awardees to attend the recognition ceremony.
- Nominations are reviewed and valid for a period of three years.

Applications should be submitted to KISD Alumni Association at P.O. Box 967, Killeen, Texas 76540-0967 or electronically to leslie.gilmore@killeenisd.org



Please fill out the nomination form and answer questions 1-3 thoroughly. Additional information may be attached, but nomination should not exceed eight pages. Nominations are reviewed and valid for a period of three years.

Submission Deadline December 31, 2025

# NOMINATOR CONTACT INFORMATION Nominator Name: Organization/Business: Home Address: City: State: Zip: Phone #: E-mail: NOMINEE INFORMATION Nominee Name: Nominee Phone #: Nominee E-mail: Home Address: City: State: Zip: Current position or status: Killeen ISD School(s) attended: Year(s) attended: Nominee graduated from the following Killeen ISD High School: Year graduated:

Please answer each question thoroughly. Incomplete applications will not be considered. Resumes do not replace the required information, below. Additional space and pages may be used, up to 8 pages total.

I. Please explain what this individual might have gained through Killeen ISD Schelped him or her to become what he/she is today (specific extracurricular acti interests or grade point averages could be included here).	
<ol> <li>Describe what the nominee has contributed to the community (Killeen or an community) and/or his or her profession since attending Killeen ISD Schools, the this nominee deserving of this recognition.</li> </ol>	
3. Please explain why you feel this individual is a role model that current and fur	ture
generations of Killeen ISD students could emulate.	20 pts.
4. Please attach a resume and/or biography of the nominee.	5 pts.