



The Cleveland Regional Council of Science Teachers
National Science Teachers Association National Conference Scholarship Opportunity
for Northeast Ohio Teachers

Two applicants will be granted \$800 each to support their registration, travel and room & board to the NSTA National Convention held in the spring of the year. \$650 will be provided if you are selected from the applicants. The additional \$150 will be provided after you fulfill the post-convention requirements. \$800 may not cover all expenses but it will likely cover the majority of the cost. Applicants may, but are not required to, be from the same school or district. Awardees may count on CRCST members to provide help in all areas. Questions? Call Susan Clay at 440-570-1155.

Requirements for applicants:

- Must be a member of both CRCST <www.crcst.org> and NSTA <www.nsta.org> when the application is submitted.
- Must submit all parts of the application by mail (Susan Clay, 6484 State Rd. 12D, Parma, OH 44134) or email (suzieclay@aol.com) prior to the deadline of **January 15, 2018** including:
 - An at least 250 word essay addressing your interest in attending the NSTA national convention.
 - An example of a science lesson that you have used with your students and a discussion of it's value to the students, i.e., how did it improve their understanding of the subject of the lesson. A brief discussion of your philosophy of teaching science should be included as well.
 - A letter of recommendation from your principal.
- Following your conference experience you will be required to:
 - Submit an article discussing your experience for publication in the CRCST Quarterly Newsletter of at least 600 words.
 - Present a concurrent session (generally about 50 minutes) at the next CRCST Fall Conference to show how you incorporated information and/or skills gained at the convention into (an) exemplary lesson(s) that you have developed and used in your classroom. You may co-present with the other convention attendee.

Please include the data below with your application packet

Name: _____ Date: _____

Home or Cell Phone: (____) _____ E-mail: _____

School Name and Address: _____

_____ ZIP _____

NSTA membership number: _____ CRCST membership expiration date: _____

Grade(s) Currently Teaching: _____ Years of Teaching: _____

Principal's Name: _____ School Phone: (____) _____