

**MODISETTE AWARD FOR:
ELEMENTARY, MIDDLE, AND JUNIOR/SENIOR HIGH SCHOOLS
(Any combination of grades K-8, 4-8, or 7-12)**

SPONSOR: Louisiana Library Association

FREQUENCY: Annual, if merited.

DEADLINE: January 16th of the award year.

PURPOSE: To recognize excellence in Louisiana school library programs, rather than honor an outstanding school librarian.

DESCRIPTION: Framed "Citation of Merit" (gives the name of the school library and the school librarian receiving the award; the school library and school librarian are given duplicate award certificates.)

PREREQUISITE: Must be a school whose librarian is a member of LLA/LASL.

Must be a school whose library meets the minimum state standards as set forth by *Bulletin 1134 (revised), Standards and Guidelines for Library Media Programs in Louisiana Schools*, except the copyright standard.

EVALUATION CRITERIA:

1. Each nominee is judged on the basis of the quality of the program and the degree to which the program meets the needs of its school.
2. Consideration is based on a questionnaire which requests a detailed description of the library's program.
3. The applicant's answers must describe the library program for the immediate past school year.
4. Equal consideration is given to programs of small and large school populations.