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TAGT Region IX Director

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Dear Ande:

As the TAGT Director for Region IX, it is my pleasure to inform you that you have been selected to represent Region IX this year as Outstanding Teacher of the Gifted. You were chosen over other candidates for your superior service, contributions and commitment to gifted education. Regional winners are eligible for TAGT's State Award for Outstanding Teacher of the Year. The regional and state award will be formally presented at the TAGT fall conference. The details of this conference can be found at www.txgifted.org. I sincerely hope that you will attend to receive your award in person.

The letters written on your behalf were filled with examples of your ability to touch students' lives. Your extensive professional development activities, your efforts to make science meaningful, and the connection you have with students make you a wonderful mentor and role model those of us who champion meeting the needs of gifted students.

Congratulations and best wishes as you continue to make such a tremendous difference in the lives of your students...particularly those who have the gifts to impact the future!

Sincerely,



Bronwen Choate

cc: Dr. Beau Rees

Mr. Joe Gordy