

PROGRAM DETAILS

Eligibility All NYSSBA member school boards are eligible for recognition in this program. Credit will accrue for listed events and activities for individuals serving on a NYSSBA member board. Board members from districts that are not members of NYSSBA are not eligible for recognition under this program.

Administration NYSSBA will maintain records of members' participation in credit-earning activities. Annually, NYSSBA will review accumulated credits and issue the appropriate recognition. Board members are also encouraged to maintain a personal record of all participation in NYSSBA training opportunities.



QUESTIONS

For more information on the School Board U Recognition Program, please contact the NYSSBA Member Relations Department at 518-783-0200 or 800-342-3360 or by email at info@nyssba.org.

ADDITIONAL NYSSBA TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES

Annual Convention & Education Expo Held in October, this event is the largest statewide gathering of public education leaders in New York. Enjoy stimulating speakers, district-led educational seminars and the state's largest exhibition of educational products and services.

Complimentary Webinars NYSSBA's webinar training, free for NYSSBA members, enables participants to attend training sessions from the convenience of their home or office. Webinars are interactive with questions and answers, chat and polling can be watched live or at another time. Additional pre-recorded webinars are also available.

State-Mandated Training Board members can complete state-mandated governance and fiscal oversight training via computer, tablet or phone through online courses or attend a New School Member Academy, a two day event offered in regional locations. Gain foundational knowledge and skills, become familiar with board roles and responsibilities, policies and procedures, legal rights and more.

Board Officers Academy This one-day academy will develop leadership skills to set the tone and direction of the board's work. Learn how to tackle tough issues and share common challenges through an interactive agenda filled with informative advice, expert speakers and networking with fellow board officers.



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SCHOOL BOARD U RECOGNITION PROGRAM

NYSSBA's School Board U curriculum prepares you for the rigorous job of being a school board member through continuing education. With over 50 courses to choose from, you'll gain expertise and knowledge in **governance and leadership, fiscal responsibility, student achievement** and **district operations**. As you complete courses, you'll accumulate points – and these points translate into big rewards.

**Be recognized for your time and effort.
Start accumulating points today!**



AWARD LEVELS



LEVEL 1 Board Achievement Award 75 POINTS

- NYSSBA's Board Achievement Certificate of Recognition



LEVEL 2 Board Excellence Award 150 POINTS

- NYSSBA's Board Excellence Certificate of Recognition
- Recognition in *On Board*



LEVEL 3 Board Mastery Award 250 POINTS

- NYSSBA's Board Mastery Certificate of Recognition
- Free registration to a one-day seminar
- Recognition in *On Board*
- Commemorative Padfolio



LEVEL 4 Board Lifetime Achievement 500 POINTS

- NYSSBA's Board Lifetime Achievement Plaque
- Free registration to one NYSSBA Annual Convention
- Recognition at the NYSSBA Annual Convention
- Recognition in *On Board*
- Executive Pen Set

RECOGNITION POINTS VALUES

NYSSBA members earn credits for participating in the following NYSSBA and School Board U training opportunities:

	Points
Annual Convention & Education Expo	50
New School Board Member Academy (two days) Day 1: Essentials of School Board Governance (20 points) Day 2: Fiscal Oversight Fundamentals (20 points)	40
The Capital Conference	20
Law Conferences (including Pre-Con School Law)	20
Custom Board Retreat Full-day (more than 4 hours) Half-day (4 hours or less)	20 10
Full-day Workshops (more than 4 hours) Half-day Workshops (4 hours or less)	20 10
Essentials of School Board Governance Online	10
Fiscal Oversight Fundamentals Online	10

NYSSBA members can also earn credits for the following events and activities:

One Year as Board President	5
Seminar/Workshop Presider at NYSSBA Annual Convention	5