

**North Carolina Department of Public Instruction
Educator Support Services
Responsibilities of Regional Principals and Teachers of the Year**

Advocacy and Outreach

- Share knowledge of agency initiatives throughout your region
- Employ innovative advocacy strategies with stakeholders in your region
- Build a learning network in your region in collaboration with state agency leaders
- Influence policies regionally and statewide
- Participate in statewide conferences and events
- Assist in planning and execution of future Principals/Teachers of the Year ceremonies
- Use social media to help advance the goals of the state's regional workgroups
- Represent educators by serving on various boards and/or committees

Teacher/Principal Leadership

- Support beginning teachers and new principals in their new roles
- Share expertise with stakeholders from district/school perspectives
- Model accomplished and distinguished classroom/school behavior
- Strive to grow professionally

Regional Councils

- Serve on the state's Educator Quality Workgroups
- Be prepared to communicate with teachers interested in employment in NC by region
- Meet with key leaders in your region
- Connect with former and current peers
- Connect with Regional Education Facilitators
- Establish communication and feedback loops in your region

Other duties:

- Work to grow sponsorship of NC's recognition programs
- Serve as an ambassador for NC's leadership recognition programs at conferences and statewide meetings
- Participate in professional development activities sponsored by NCDPI

***And other opportunities as assigned by the Educator Support Services Division at NCDPI.**