

The Holodomor Research and Education Consortium (HREC) announces its **2024 HREC Educator Award** marking the commemoration of the Ukrainian genocide known as the Holodomor, which took place on the territory of Ukraine in 1932-33. The Holodomor is included in curricula on human rights, genocide, history and social justice in many parts of Canada, and is one of nine genocides formally recognized by the Government of Canada.

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Individual awards will vary up to but not exceeding \$2,000 CDN based on the quality of submissions. The winning lesson plans will be posted on the HREC Education website and their authors will be acknowledged. Honourable Mention may also be accorded to lesson plans that will not be posted.

Applications for the **2024 HREC Educator Award** can be downloaded from the **HREC** Education website education.holodomor.ca





APPLICATION FORM

Deadline for submissions: May 1, 2024

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Eligibility

- Educators and Faculty of Education candidates who teach or have taught at the primary, middle years or senior grades
- Citizens or residents of Canada and the United States of America are eligible to apply for this Award
- · Award recipients may not reapply for a period of 3 years

Submission Procedure

Please submit a completed HREC 2024 Educator Award Application Form. Lesson plans must be submitted as a Word doc. Incomplete application forms will not be considered. The Author(s) of the lesson plan must be clearly acknowledged. Any visuals in PowerPoint or Prezi presentations must be submitted as PDFs, titled, and the sequence marked clearly. Late applications will not be considered. Submissions will be adjudicated by a national jury of professional educators based on the criteria and requirements specified in the application. Applications will be accepted in English, French or Ukrainian.

Please submit completed applications by May 1, 2024.

By email: hreced@ualberta.ca

Indicate "2024 HREC Educator Award" in the subject line

By mail: 2024 HREC Educator Award

c/o: 47 Westroyal Road Toronto, ON M9P 2C4

HREC Educator Award winners are announced on October 1, 2024.

The winning lesson plans will be posted on the HREC Education website, in the newsletter, and on social media. Authors of winning lessons will be acknowledged for their respective contribution. Honourable Mention may also be accorded to lesson plans that will not be posted.

A. General Information

First Name:	Last Name:	
Address:		
City:		
Postal/ZIP Code:	Country:	
Home Phone:	Mobile Phone:	
Email address for direct communication:		
School or institution where you teach or have taught:		
School Board, City & Province:		
School Telephone Number:		
What courses or grades have you taught or been teaching? Please list:		

B. Submission Requirements

All Submissions must follow the framework below. Lesson plans must be submitted as a Word doc. Incomplete application forms will not be considered.

Lesson Plan Title	What is the title of the lesson?
Author	Give the name(s) of the lesson plan author(s).
Grade Level/Course	Recommended grade level and course(s) for which the lesson plan is applicable.
Lesson Time Frame	Give the time frame for each lesson and the unit as a whole (if applicable).
Curriculum Applications/ Education Standards	Mandated or suggested curriculum applications or standards for your province or state.
Lesson Summary/ Overview & Purpose	Please start with a focussed question that helps frame the lesson. (Why is the Holodomor considered the first genocide by starvation occurring in a time of peace and not as a result of war or natural disaster?)
Aims/Objectives	Specify what you want the students to achieve in the lesson.
Learning Expectations/ Outcomes/Understandings	What should students know, understand and be able to do?
Strategies/Methodology	What are the instructional strategies/methods/approaches used in the lesson to help students engage in the activity and in becoming independent and strategic learners?
Materials Required	A complete list of all materials, equipment and items required to carry out the lesson.
Lesson Plan Activities	Describe the tasks students will be involved in.
Assessment	List and explain how the various activities will be assessed.
Resource List/References	Please list primary and secondary resources if used in the lesson plan or other materials that are referenced in the lesson plan.
Appendix/Handouts	This includes any worksheets for students, PowerPoint presentation PDFs, or other documents and images necessary to conduct the lesson.



Protection of Privacy - The personal information requested on this form is collected under the authority of Section 33 (c) of the *Alberta Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act* and will be protected under Part 2 of that Act. It will be used for the purpose of awarding the HREC Educator Award for Holodomor Lesson Plan Development and verifying the recipient. Direct any questions about this collection to:

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