



## Le D.I.V.E. Teacher Award

### *ANNOUNCEMENT*

"Le D.I.V.E." (Donne Italiane che Vivono all'Estero = Italian women living abroad) is a non-profit association formally born in Washington, D.C. in 2001, exclusively based on volunteering, registered in 2012 as a 501c(3) organization and recognized by the Italian Embassy in Washington, D.C. The mission of our organization includes promoting Italian language and culture abroad.

### *AWARD*

Le D.I.V.E. Award honors one (or more) high school teachers of Italian language in public high schools of the greater Washington D.C. area. The award, funded by Le D.I.V.E. charity activities and donations, is in the amount of \$1000 and aims to support the teachers' school activities or their professional development to teach Italian language.

Applicants must submit the following information via email to [ledivedc@ledive.org](mailto:ledivedc@ledive.org)

1. A short biographical profile/resumé highlighting teaching experiences and past projects that have enhanced learning Italian language in their classrooms.
2. A summary (template provided below) stating the following information:

Name of School \_\_\_\_\_

Number of courses taught at semester \_\_\_\_\_

Number of courses taught per year \_\_\_\_\_

Type of courses taught (e.g. Level I, Honor III, AP)

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Number of students per semester \_\_\_\_\_

Date of most recent professional development course \_\_\_\_\_  
Title of most recent professional development course \_\_\_\_\_

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3. A description of the school activities or professional development activity that the award funds would be used for and of how these activities would advance promotion of the Italian language.

***APPLICATION DEADLINE: June 15, 2024***

*APPLICATIONS REVIEW AND AWARD ASSIGNMENT*

The applications will be reviewed by a committee of at least 3 D.I.V.E. who are Italian language teachers. The award will be announced around August 15, 2024.

February 24, 2024