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<b>DUES</b>	Annual Amount
NEA	
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LOCAL	
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Total Amount	

LOCAL ASSOCIATION NAME \_\_\_\_\_

EMPLOYER / WORK LOCATION \_\_\_\_\_

FIRST NAME / MIDDLE NAME \_\_\_\_\_

XXX – XX –

SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER (LAST FOUR) \_\_\_\_\_

LAST NAME \_\_\_\_\_

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HOME PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

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CELL PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred Phone:  HOME  CELL

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ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_

STATE/ZIP / \_\_\_\_\_

Have you been a member before?  YES  NO

HOME EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

WORK EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred Email:  HOME  WORK

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DATE OF BIRTH(M/D/Y)	ETHNICITY	GENDER	POLITICAL PARTY	REG VOTER	HIREDATE(M/D/Y)	POSITION	SUBJECT	PAY METHOD
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**PLEASE COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING SURVEY QUESTIONS:**

1) What year did you enter the profession?

(YYYY)

2) Your association provides supports and tools to ensure your success with students. What tools/trainings would you like to hear more about?

- Classroom management (e.g. student behavior, relationships with students)
- Lesson planning
- Working with mentors/coaches
- Working with families
- Collaborating with administrators and colleagues
- Unpacking professional expectations (e.g. Evaluations, observations)
- Managing Student Behavior
- Meeting the Needs of Students with Trauma

3) Your association works to ensure that schools provide students with opportunities to be successful. Which issues are most important to you?

- Social and racial justice
- Meeting the needs of students in poverty
- Family and community engagement
- Fully funded schools
- Education policy—Contributing to critical decisions affecting my students, school, and district
- Political advocacy—Supporting education policies to ensure all students have opportunities to succeed

4) Your association advocates for conditions that retain high-quality educators for every student. Which of these are you interested in learning about?

- Salary
- Educator Rights & Responsibilities
- Health Care Benefits
- Pensions and Retirement Security
- Student Debt and/or Finances
- Stretching Your Paycheck
- Working Conditions

**Membership Commitment and Annual Payment Authorization**

**YES**  **Membership Commitment:** I want to join with my fellow employees and become a member of the local association/the Maine Education Association/ National Education Association. I hereby request and voluntarily accept membership in these associations and agree to abide by the Constitution and Bylaws of all three associations.

**YES**  **Annual Payment Authorization:** I hereby agree to pay the annual dues, fees, and assessments established by the three associations in consideration for the services the union provides. I understand that those annual amounts are subject to periodic change by the governing bodies of the associations. I authorize on a continuing basis, and regardless of my membership status, the payment of those annual amounts established by the three associations through payroll deduction or other arrangement unless I revoke this authorization in a signed writing sent to the local association, between September 1 and September 30 of the membership year for which the authorization is to be canceled.

**I UNDERSTAND THAT THIS AGREEMENT IS VOLUNTARY AND IS NOT A CONDITION OF EMPLOYMENT AND THAT I HAVE THE LEGAL RIGHT TO REFUSE TO SIGN THIS AGREEMENT WITHOUT SUFFERING ANY REPRISAL.**

*\*Contributions to MEA-FUND are voluntary; making a contribution is neither a condition of employment nor membership in the Association, and members have the right to refuse to contribute without suffering any reprisal. Contributions may only be made by U.S. Citizens or lawful permanent residents. The MEA-FUND in Support of Public Education collects voluntary contributions from Association members and uses these contributions for political purposes, including, but not limited to, making contributions to and expenditures on behalf of friends of public education who are candidates for state and local office.*

Dues payments are not deductible as charitable contributions for federal income tax purposes. Contributions to MEA-FUND are not deductible for income tax purposes.

MEMBER SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_

DATE \_\_\_\_\_

LOCAL ASSOCIATION REPRESENTATIVE \_\_\_\_\_

## SUBJECT CODES

<b>Adult Education</b>	ADED	<b>Industrial Arts</b>		<b>Social Studies/Social Sciences</b>	
<b>Agric &amp; Natrl Resources</b>	AGNR	Industrial Arts	INAR	Social Studies/Social Sciences	SSSS
<b>Art</b>	ARTS	Trade & Industrial Ed	TIED	Civics/Govn/Pol Science	CGPS
<b>Basic Ed Curriculum</b>	BEDC	<b>Law Enforcement</b>	LAEN	Economics	ECON
<b>Basic Skills &amp; Remed Ed</b>	BSRE	<b>Marketing</b>	MARK	Geography	GEOG
<b>Bilingual Ed</b>	BIED	<b>Mathematics</b>		History	HIST
<b>Business Ed</b>		Mathematics	MATH	Psychology	PSYC
Accounting	ACCT	Algebra	ALGE	Public Affairs	PUAF
Business Ed	BSED	Calculus	CALC	Sociology	SOCI
Business Math	BSMA	Functions	FUNC	<b>Special Ed/Development Ed</b>	
Data Processing	DAPR	Geometry	GEOM	Special Ed/Development Ed	SDED
<b>Coaching</b>	COCH	Trigonometry	TRIG	Special/Dev Ed Early Childhd	SDEC
<b>Communications</b>	COMM	<b>Music</b>	MUSI	Cognitive Disabilities	COGN
<b>Computer &amp; Info Science</b>	CICS	Band/Orchestra	BDOR	Emotionally Disturbed	EMDI
<b>Distributive Ed/Co-op</b>	DECP	<b>Physical Sciences</b>		Gifted & Talented	GTAL
<b>Driver's Ed</b>	DRED	Physical Sciences	PHSC	Learning Disabled	LDIS
<b>Early Child Ed</b>	ECDE	Biology	BIOL	Multi-Categorical Disabilities	MCDA
<b>English/Language Arts</b>		Chemistry	CHEM	Speech & Hearing Impaired	SHIM
English/Language Arts	ELAR	Earth Science/Geology	ESCG	Visually Impaired	VIIM
Journalism	JOUR	Life Sciences	LISC	<b>Speech &amp; Drama</b>	SPDR
<b>English as a Second Lang</b>	ENSL	Physics	PHYS	<b>Vocational &amp; Tech Ed</b>	VTED
<b>Foreign Language &amp; Lit</b>	FLLI	<b>Reading</b>	READ	<b>No Subject Taught</b>	NONE
<b>Health &amp; Physical Ed</b>	HEPE	<b>Religion/Philosophy</b>	REPH	<b>General Subjects</b>	GSUB
<b>Home Economics</b>	HOME	<b>ROTC</b>	ROTC	<b>Other</b>	OTHR

## POSITION CODES

<b>Administrator*</b>		<b>Health &amp; Student Services</b>		<b>Secretary/Clerk/Admin Services</b>	
Administrator	ADMN	Hlth/Ther Asst/Technician	HTAT	Bookkeeper	BKPR
Athletic Director	ATHL	Physical Therapist	PHTH	Clerk/Admin/Office Asst	CAOA
Principal/Assistant Principal	PRIN	Occupational Therapist	OCCT	Secretary/Stenographer	SEST
Supervisor/Director	SPRV	Licensed Practical Nurse	LPNU	Admin Srvcs Other	SCOT
<b>Adult Educator</b>	ADED	Registered Nurse	RGNU	<b>Security Services</b>	
<b>Bldgs/Grnd Main/Repair Services</b>		Nurse's Assistant	NUAS	Guard/Police/Security Worker	GPSW
Custodian	CUST	Medical Technician	MDTC	<b>Special/Develop Ed</b>	SDSP
Electrician	ELEC	Speech/Hearing Therapist	SHTH	<b>Teacher</b>	
Groundskeeper	GRND	Social Worker	SCWK	Classroom Teacher	CLTR
Laborer/Helper/Warehouser	LABR	Psychologist	PSYC	Instructional Specialist	INSP
Mechanic/Repairer	MECH	Health Care/Welfare-Other	HCOT	Reading Specialist	READ
Building/Grounds-Other	BGOT	<b>Librarian</b>	LIBR	Web-Based Teacher	WEBT
<b>Coach</b>	COCH	<b>Literacy Coach</b>	LITC	<b>Technical Services</b>	
<b>Counselor</b>	CNSL	<b>Paraeducator (Instruct/NonInstructional)</b>		Audiovisual/Lang Tech	ALTC
<b>Curriculum Specialist</b>	CRSP	ED TECH I	ET01	Comp Prgmr/Sys Anal/DP Spcist	CPSA
<b>Food Services</b>		ED TECH II	ET02	Technical Services-Other	TSOT
Cook/Food Preparatin Worker	COOK	ED TECH III	ET03	<b>Transp/Delivery/Vehicle Mechanics</b>	
Dietician/Diet Technician	DIET	Monitor/Dorm Attendant	MONI	Bus/Truck/Van Driver	BTVD
Food Svcs Super/Asst Super	FSSU	Special Ed Assistant	SEDA	Vehicle Mechanic	VEME
Food Service-Other	FSOT	Paraeducator-Other	PPOT	Transportation-Other	TDOT
		<b>ROTC Instructor</b>	ROTC	<b>No Position Held</b>	NONE
				<b>Other</b>	OTHR

\*Directly hires, evaluates, transfers, disciplines, or dismisses

## ETHNIC CODES\*

American Indian/Alaska Native	01
Black	03
Hispanic	04
Caucasian (not of Spanish origin)	05
Asian	06
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	07
Multi-Ethnic	08
Other	09
Unknown	UK

## POLITICAL PARTY

Democrat	D
Republican	R
Independent	I
No Party	N
Other	O
<b>REGISTERED VOTER</b>	
Yes	Y
No	N

## METHOD OF PAYMENT

Cash/Check	CK
Payroll	PR
<b>GENDER</b>	
Male	M
Female	F
Non-Binary	NB
Agender	A

\*Ethnic Minority information is optional and failure to provide it will in no way affect your membership status, rights or benefits in NEA, MEA, or any of their affiliates. This information will be kept confidential.

Voluntary information for Affirmative Action is not required as a condition of Membership.

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