

WE ARE THE ONLY RETIRED ORGANIZATION AFFILIATED WITH TSTA/NEA

TSTA-Retired/NEA-Retired (TSTA-R/NEA-R) was organized in 1991. We are dedicated to the promotion of retirement with dignity, happiness, adequate income, and benefits through:

- Promoting the social, professional, and economic status and the general welfare of retired school employees;
- Furthering the advancement of public education in Texas and the United States of America;
- Promoting membership, communications, cooperation, and leadership development within the TSTA-R/NEA-R membership;
- Promoting voluntary participation by members in civic and educational affairs;
- Developing a legislative program promoting member interests, including TRS, through the TSTA legislative process;
- Political action / get out the vote (GOTV);
- Participating in Association governance at the state and national levels through electing state and national delegates and statewide TSTA-R officers.

The TSTA-R President is our members' representative on the TSTA Board of Directors, and members in each organized TSTA-R region elect regional Directors (who serve on the TSTA-Retired Board) as well as regional officers.

IF NOT US, WHO?

Be a part of the movement again! As an integral part of the public-school employees' union, your TSTA-R membership will contribute to the on-going movement that supports, protects, and strengthens public education in Texas. Strength in numbers, remember? Imagine how effectively your wealth of knowledge and experience could impact education today. With **TSTA-Retired**, you can continue to support public education and advocate for the welfare of all school employees, both active and retired.

Not ready to retire yet? Enroll as a **TSTA Pre-Retired Subscriber** while still employed. Lock in today's dues rates by planning ahead and pre-purchase your Lifetime membership whether you plan to retire next year or in twenty years!

CONNECT WITH US — Stay Informed!

- **Download the FREE TSTA smartphone app!** (available for iPhone and Android) Visit your app store and search for "TSTA"

- **On Facebook:** www.Facebook.com/tstar.near ("Like" us to receive updates)
- **On the web:** Visit www.tsta.org and look for "TSTA Retired" under For Members
- **Visit the TSTA News Center and sign up for "The Briefing" newsletter**
- **Member Benefits:** www.neamb.com and www.tsta.org
- **Our email:** Reach us at TSTA-R@tsta.org
- **Our postal address:** TSTA-R / 8716 N Mopac Expy / Austin TX 78759
- **Our phone number:** 877-ASK-TSTA (275-8782)

ENROLLMENT OPTIONS

NOTE: If you were an Active member, you must join TSTA/NEA-Retired in order to retain your member benefits.

Still a TSTA member? Become a PRE-RETIRED SUBSCRIBER.

Pre-purchase Lifetime TSTA-R/NEA-R membership before you retire. When you retire, contact TSTA Membership Records with your retirement date to activate your Retired Lifetime membership so you can maintain all your TSTA/NEA member benefits. The transition is seamless! Choose from three payment plans -- with no yearly dues thereafter (except region or local dues if applicable). **Certified member?** Your subscription is \$550. **ESP member?** Your subscription is \$430. Within each plan, choose to pay in full or in monthly installments via bank draft or credit/debit card.

Already retired? Become a RETIRED LIFETIME MEMBER.

One-time lifetime dues amount with no yearly dues thereafter (except region or local dues if applicable). Upon full payment of Retired Lifetime dues, receive a certificate of Lifetime membership. You will retain your eligibility for NEA member benefits, have TSTA-R/NEA-R voting rights for life, receive TSTA-R/NEA-R publications, and be eligible to participate in activities, meetings, and social outings. To be eligible for this category, you must be retired. **Retired Certified?** \$550 dues. **Retired ESP?** \$430 dues. Pay in full, or in installments via bank draft or credit/debit card.

OR — Become a RETIRED ANNUAL MEMBER.

One year membership in TSTA-R/NEA-R. Dues are \$61 for Retired ESP and \$75 for Retired Certified plus region/ local dues where applicable. Dues must be paid every year to maintain membership. To be eligible for this category, you must be retired.

You can join TSTA-R/NEA-R online by going to www.mytsta.org.

MEMBER BENEFITS: Savings and Resources

As a member of TSTA-R/NEA-R, you have access to a wide variety of member benefits, such as:

- **Insurance Plans:** Supplemental health plans; life insurance; auto, home, and renters coverage; pet health; dental and vision coverage; sport and leisure vehicle insurance; and more!
- **Everyday Savings:** Cell phone service; Shop Now / Pay Later program; hearing aid program; shopping card with new warehouse club membership and autorenewal agreement; auto buying; online shopping discounts on merchandise from top retailers; free or discounted magazine subscriptions; and more!
- **Travel & Vacation:** NEA Travel Program with savings on car rentals, cruises, hotels, resorts, and guided tours all in one place; attractions discounts through TSTA.
- **Banking, loan, and credit card programs**
- **Retirement saving and planning resources**

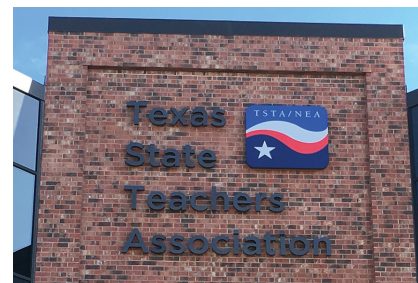
For details about member benefits and current program offerings, please visit www.neamb.com or call 800-637-4636 (Toll-free) and visit www.tsta.org/for_members/member-benefits/. Program offerings are updated throughout the year.

FELLOWSHIP AND SOCIAL NETWORKING

Meet with other education retirees in your area on the regional, state, and national level. Each TSTA-R region develops programs and activities based on member interest and input. As a member you can:

- Monitor TRS and the Texas legislature
- Receive publications, including “NEA Today,” the TSTA “Advocate,” NEA-R’s “This Active Life” magazine, and electronic informational notifications
- Get together for general meetings in your area
- Plan group trips through tour packages
- Organize and become a leader
- Volunteer together in your community
- Attend state and national TSTA and NEA conventions and conferences
- Stay involved by voting in TSTA-R/NEA-R elections and running for TSTA-R officer and delegate positions
- “Like” us on Facebook (www.facebook.com/tstar.near) and share important information and articles with others
- Encourage other members to visit the Retirement Planning Center at www.neamb.com
- Spread awareness of member benefits available to current and potential members

TSTA-Retired/NEA-Retired Retirement with a Rewarding Future



Retire from your job, not your profession!