



**WEA**  
*Retired*

**Stay connected.  
Keep great benefits.  
Make a difference.  
Join WEA-Retired  
or WEA Pre-Retired!**  
*Retire from your position,  
not your profession.*

**Together with WEA and NEA, WEA-Retired  
stands strong for our profession and for Washington students.**

WEA-Retired prepares Washington Education Association members for a meaningful and successful retirement. We give our members opportunities to connect with each other and to advocate for positive changes in public education. By joining WEA-Retired, you gain access to valuable WEA and NEA benefits, stay up to date on critical issues concerning retirement security, and remain engaged in the profession you love. You have been dedicated to your students, your career and public education since your first day on the job. Retirement does not end that commitment. Joining WEA-Retired allows you to stay involved — at whatever level you choose.

**Stay Connected**

Joining WEA-Retired keeps you connected with your colleagues, your union and your profession. You will stay up to date with newsletters, emails, and social media. Local chapters, as part of UniServ Councils, offer the chance for you to socialize with former colleagues and to maintain a lifetime commitment as a union member.

**Keep Great Benefits**

You will keep the same excellent benefits you enjoyed as an active WEA/NEA member with WEA-Retired membership. This includes NEA Member Benefits, such as credit and insurance programs, including the \$1,000,000 liability insurance that is important if you choose to substitute. WEA's Attorney Referral Program offers two free 30-minute consultations a year. Don't forget to visit [www.neamb.com](http://www.neamb.com) for savings!

**Make a Difference**

While active school employees work hard at their jobs, you can make sure their interests are represented in Olympia. It may be as simple as emailing legislators or participating in face-to-face meetings. During legislative sessions, WEA-Retired lobbies for our students, our public schools, our profession and ourselves. We promote quality life-long healthcare and a pension that provides school employees with a secure retirement.

**For more information, visit our website at [www.washingtonea.org/retired](http://www.washingtonea.org/retired)**

# WEA-Retired / NEA-Retired Enrollment Form

Today's Date \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Retirement (or expected date of retirement) \_\_\_\_\_

Local Association \_\_\_\_\_  
(If retired, list school district where you live or where you worked.)

Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Middle Initial \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Home phone \_\_\_\_\_ Home email \_\_\_\_\_

Cell phone \_\_\_\_\_ WEA Member ID OR SSN4 (last four) \_\_\_\_\_

YES! I understand that the National Education Association and its affiliates – including the Washington Education Association, UniServ Councils, Local Associations, and National Education Association Member Benefits may use automated calling and/or text my cell phone on a periodic basis. Carrier message and data rates may apply.  
OK to text me

Female  Male

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

American Indian/Alaska Native

Caucasian/Euro-American

Multi-Ethnic

Black/African American

Asian

Other

Hispanic/Latina(o)

Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander

Choose not to declare

**Membership Choices:** All memberships combine WEA-Retired & NEA-Retired dues.

**Pre-Retired Life Membership — \$550. Any WEA/NEA member not yet retired may join as Pre-Retired.**

PAY IN FULL: \$550 by personal check payable to WEA-Retired or by credit card on our secure website at [www.washingtonea.org/retired](http://www.washingtonea.org/retired).

MONTHLY PAYMENTS. Ten payments of \$55. To enroll, contact WEA-Retired at [karlakraigelund@icloud.com](mailto:karlakraigelund@icloud.com) or call 800-622-3393, ext. 007067. Your pre-retired membership is activated when the last payment is made.

## Retired Membership

Retired Life — \$550.

PAY IN FULL: \$550 by personal check payable to WEA-Retired or by credit card on our secure website at [www.washingtonea.org/retired](http://www.washingtonea.org/retired).

Retired Annual — \$83 by personal check payable to WEA-Retired or by credit card on our secure website at [www.washingtonea.org/retired](http://www.washingtonea.org/retired). Annual membership is valid Sept. 1 through Aug. 31. No pro-rating for partial-year membership.

Retired Monthly — \$6.92 deducted monthly from your DRS pension by the Department of Retirement Systems. Complete and return the "Washington Education Association - Retired Dues Deduction Authorization Form" at [www.washingtonea.org/retired](http://www.washingtonea.org/retired). (Available only for retired monthly membership, and only to individuals receiving pensions from Washington State DRS.)

Associate — if you were not an active member of WEA/NEA at the time of your retirement. Check here, plus check either "Retired Life," "Retired Annual" or "Retired Monthly" above.

Mail this form to: **WEA-Retired**  
**Attn: Membership**  
**P.O. Box 9100**  
**Federal Way, WA 98063-9100**