

CEA-RETIRED

WORKING TO IMPROVE
RETIREMENT AND HEALTH-
CARE BENEFITS FOR RETIRED
EDUCATORS

- **Effective lobbying** for issues that affect both retirees and public education
- **NEA and CEA publications** (*NEA Today* and *CEA Advisor*) to stay informed on important issues
- **Programs on topics of interest** such as identity theft, healthcare benefits, GPO-WEP, and staying fit
- **\$1 million liability insurance** for members who work as substitutes in public schools
- **Continued influence** on education issues; opportunities to meet with legislators
- **Opportunity to interact** with friends and colleagues at county meetings and two yearly statewide meetings
- **Access to NEA Member Benefits programs** that provide cost savings on insurance, travel, credit card, and discount purchase programs. If you have insurance through CEA or NEA, you must continue your membership.

For more information, go to
CEA Member Benefits at
www.cea.org/memberbenefits
and NEA Member Benefits at
www.neamb.com

The voices of our members

"Someone suggested I take a life membership. Best bargain I ever made. I have been retired now for 26 years and I am still kept up to date!"

Betty Long

"As a professional educator—albeit retired—I think it is important to keep abreast of all that impacts the future of public education. CEA-Retired is one way of ensuring this." Mary Gail Cokkinias

"CEA-Retired is a vibrant organization for retired teachers in Connecticut. CEA-Retired helps protect our retirement benefits and keep us informed on any issue that will impact our pension or healthcare."

Myles Cohen

"There's no better way to stay actively involved in supporting the profession I love than being a member of CEA-Retired." Althea Carr

"CEA-Retired is the organization I rely on for up-to-date important information on a variety of topics. It can be a scary world governed purely by politics without CEA-Retired."

Josephine Radocchio

"My membership in CEA-Retired is my way of continuing the responsibility we all have to work for our collective welfare."

Karl Decker

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MORE THAN EVER
THE COMMITMENT
CONTINUES



BENEFITS OF CEA-RETIRED MEMBERSHIP

We work with CEA and NEA members to

- Protect and improve pensions and healthcare benefits.
- Strengthen Social Security and Medicare.
- Improve public education.
- Participate in national and regional conferences and seminars.
- Monitor the actions of the legislature and the State Teachers' Retirement Board.

CEA-Retired and NEA-Retired unified membership is the fastest growing segment of both organizations. CEA-Retired is the only retired teachers' organization in Connecticut that is affiliated with CEA and NEA. If you've been a member of CEA throughout your teaching career, stay involved with the organizations that have worked for you!

How to join CEA/NEA Retired

Lifetime or Annual Memberships are available. Retired membership is unified therefore you must purchase both CEA and NEA retired memberships.

- **CEA/NEA Retired Lifetime Membership:** CEA retired lifetime membership is \$250 and NEA retired lifetime membership is \$300. Please send only one check for \$550.
- **CEA/NEA Retired Annual Membership:** CEA retired annual membership is \$25 and NEA retired annual membership is \$35. Please send only one check for \$60.
- **CEA/NEA Pre-retired Lifetime Membership:** CEA pre-retired lifetime membership is \$250 and NEA pre-retired lifetime membership is \$300. Please send only one check for \$550.

ENROLLMENT FORM

Along with a check made out to CEA, mail this form to **Cherie Young, CEA-Retired Membership Connecticut Education Association, 21 Oak Street, Suite 500, Hartford CT 06106-8001**

First name			Middle initial			Last name		
Individual ID number						Date of birth		
Home address				Apt/unit				
City			State		ZIP			
Phone <input type="checkbox"/> cell <input type="checkbox"/> home			Home email address					
Teaching town from which you retired/will retire				School		Position		
Subject				Effective or estimated date of retirement				

COUNTY

Select ONE CEA-R county you would like to be affiliated with

- Fairfield
- Hartford
- Litchfield
- Middlesex
- New Haven
- New London
- Tolland
- Windham

GENDER

- Male
- Female

POLITICAL AFFILIATION

- Democrat
- Republican
- Independent
- Unaffiliated

ETHNICITY

- American Indian / Alaska Native
- Asian
- Black
- Hispanic
- Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander
- Caucasian (not Hispanic origin)
- Multi-Ethnic
- Other
- Unknown

MEMBERSHIP TYPE Choose one **CEA** type and one **NEA** type:

- CEA Retired Lifetime
- CEA Retired Annual
- CEA Pre-retired Lifetime
- NEA Retired Lifetime
- NEA Retired Annual
- NEA Pre-retired Lifetime

Note: Retired and pre-retired membership in Connecticut is unified with NEA. **Members must belong to both.**

Signature

Date