

NAAAE membership

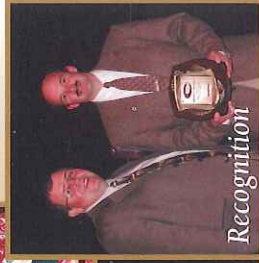
The Professional Choice for Agricultural Educators



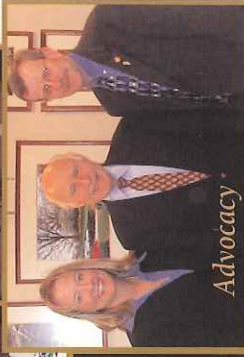
Networking



Professional Development



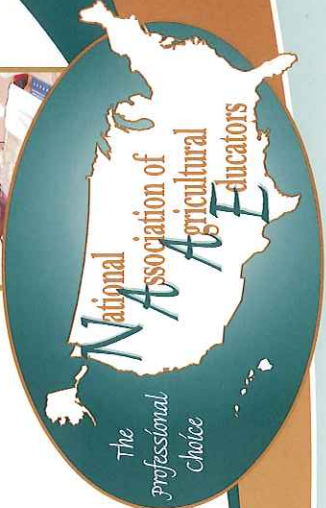
Recognition



Advocacy



Service



Promoting Student and Teacher Success
 NAAAE strongly encourages you to join both the NAAE and your respective state agricultural educators association. In most cases, state association officials collect dues from individual educators and forward national dues on to the NAAE. Contact NAAE or your state agricultural education leaders to find out how to join your state (and national) agricultural educators association. If your state does not have an organized association, you may remit your dues payment along with your name and address directly to NAAE.

Who can I contact for more information?

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Snapshot of NAAE Membership Categories

Category	Active and Associate Life Membership	Student Membership	Retired and Retired Life Membership	Organizational Membership
College scholarships	●	●	●	●
Professional/liability insurance coverage	●	●	●	●
Low group rates for professional/liability insurance upgrades	●	●	●	●
Instructional materials and online resources	●	●	●	●
Teaching positions listing	●	●	●	●
Savings/access to professional conferences and workshops	●	●	●	●
GEICO auto insurance discounts	●	●	●	●
Additional insurance discounts	●	●	●	●
Toll-free access to NAAE	●	●	●	●
Affinity Credit Card Program	●	●	●	●
NAAE bi-monthly electronic newsletter, News & Views	●	●	●	●
Two 1/4-page spaces in the NAAE quarterly newsletter	●	●	●	●
Recognition on NAAE website, with a link to your organization's website	●	●	●	●
One complimentary NAAE convention registration fee	●	●	●	●
Access to all-member mailings	●	●	●	●
Recognition in NAAE Annual Report	●	●	●	●



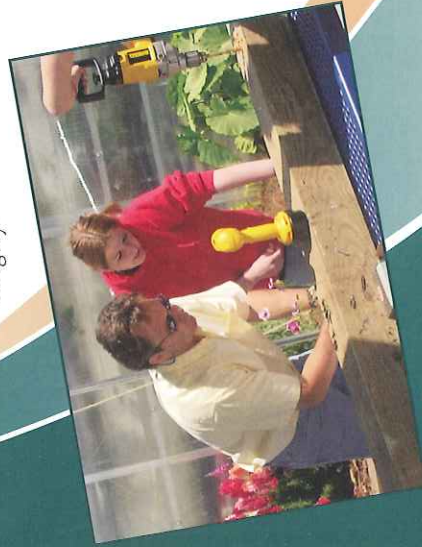
How NAAE Membership Helps You Succeed

Since 1948, NAAE has provided leadership opportunities, service and advocacy for agricultural education professionals.

NAAE seeks to advance agricultural education and promote the professional interests and growth of agriculture teachers as well as recruit students who have a desire to teach agriculture. Membership benefits assist members in growing professionally and in becoming more effective agriculture educators.

Anyone interested in agricultural education is eligible to join the National Association of Agricultural Educators (NAAE). NAAE's general membership categories are designed to meet member needs.

The chart on the back shows the resources and services available in each membership category.



The NAAE mission is...
"Professionals providing agricultural education for the global community through visionary leadership, advocacy and service."

Opportunities NAAE Networks

The NAAE is a federation of state agricultural educators' associations with approximately 8,000 members. State, regional and national conferences allow you to network with peers who share concerns and expertise. These events provide camaraderie and fellowship along with professional development opportunities.

Awards and Recognition Programs

NAAE develops professional pride by recognizing members who conduct outstanding agricultural education programs. Members can apply for state and national recognition in the following areas:

- Outstanding Young Member
- Outstanding Agricultural Education Teacher
- Outstanding Postsecondary/Adult Ag Ed Program
- Outstanding Middle/Secondary Ag Ed Program
- Teacher Mentor
- Teachers Turn the Key

NAAE also recognizes innovative teaching ideas through the Ideas Unlimited Program.

Individuals and organizations that make outstanding contributions to the organization and the agricultural education profession are recognized through the Outstanding Service Citation, Lifetime Achievement Award and the Outstanding Cooperation Award.

NAAE State Associations by Region



Advocacy

Legislative Action Center

NAAE provides web-based access to the U.S. Congress, all state legislatures, and information on government affairs affecting agricultural education. NAAE also assists in developing priorities and strategies to influence federal legislation and appropriations. NAAE has representatives on several national organization boards to represent its members' interests and concerns.

Service

Grassroots Leadership

The organization's governing body consists of a board of directors with a president, president elect and six regional vice presidents who are all educators elected by their peers.

News & Views

This national newsletter keeps you updated on news and trends in agricultural education, resources, legislative advocacy and NAAE activities and events.

Professional Development

NAAE provides information, an exchange of ideas, and knowledge-building experiences both through workshops held at the NAAE convention and webinars. Using NAAE's remotely delivered programs, you can get professional development targeted to your needs without the time and expense of travel.

Online Resources

NAAE's Communities of Practice is a professional networking site where you can share resources, find innovative ideas and interact with your peers from across the United States. NAAE.org features curriculum materials, legislative and workshop updates, links to state association sites, and access to a listing of agriculture teaching positions available throughout the country.