

Washington Association of School Administrators 2025–26 ACTIVE MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

ACTIVE MEMBERSHIP

Active membership is open to those currently serving as a full- or part-time school administrator.
Active members receive all membership benefits (see page 2).

GENERAL INFORMATION

☐ New Member ☐ Renewal/Change ☐ Member Update

Ph.D. Ed.D. Mr. Mrs. Ms.

First Name MI Last Name

Informal Name Professional Title School District/Building

CONTACT INFORMATION

Preferred Mailing Address ☐ Work ☐ Home (Please provide work and home information for our records.)

Work Mailing Address

Home Mailing Address

City State Zip

City State Zip

Work Phone

Home Phone

Work Email

Home Email

Date of Birth (for demographics only)

Spouse's Name

RACE/ETHNICITY

American Indian or Alaska Native
Asian
Black or African American
Hispanic or Latino/Latina
Middle Eastern or North American
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander
Two or More Races
White
Not listed
Prefer Not to Respond

ACTIVE MEMBER COMPONENT PREFERENCE

Please select one group with which you feel the closest affiliation:

Superintendents Principals Special Education Administrators

Instructional Program Administrators (IPAC)

Please select the subgroup with which you feel the closest affiliation:

Curriculum & Instruction Grants Management Library Media
Pupil Services Instructional Technology Vocational/CTE

Business and Personnel Administrators (BPAC)

Please select the subgroup with which you feel the closest affiliation:

Business Services Negotiations Personnel Technology (Operations)

DUES WASA will invoice you directly in 7–10 days.

Dues are calculated at three-quarters of one percent of the previous year's salary. First-time member's dues are calculated on current salary.

I'm a previous member. My 2024–25 salary: _____

I'm a first-time member. My 2025–26 salary: _____

SUBMIT APPLICATION

Submitted by (Print Name)

Date

RETURN TO: EMAIL: Kaley VonVolkli kvonvolkli@wasa-oly.org or MAIL: PO Box 14459, Tumwater WA 98511



Thank you for joining WASA! Watch for your welcome email coming soon.

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ACTIVE MEMBER BENEFITS

WASA'S MISSION

WASA is committed to leadership: leadership in providing equity and excellence in student learning, and leadership in developing competent, ethical, and visionary leaders by providing member services, offering growth opportunities for leaders, and promoting community and legislative support for education.

ACCESS TO CRITICAL INFORMATION

Current issues, events, and other useful items are communicated to members through several media:

- WASA's website (www.wasa-oly.org) features current information on hot topics, legislative activity, professional learning, career opportunities, member directories, and other newsworthy items.
- WASA's quarterly publication, *Hotline*, and the WASA News produced each month, deliver recent news and upcoming information on activities.
- Email, Facebook, and Twitter alerts communicate critical issues and time-sensitive data.
- Special focus publications include the annual Legislative Session Guide and end-of-session Legislative Report.
- *This Week in Olympia (TWIO)* is a weekly communication distributed during the legislative session that provides a deep and comprehensive review of matters legislative.
- The WASA Legislative Report Podcast with Dan Steele focuses on key legislative issues to keep WASA members informed of hot topics and emerging conversations in Olympia.

BARGAINING RESOURCES

WASA Active members have access to crucial bargaining resources. WASA's Bargaining Manual is an invaluable resource for navigating the bargaining process. Tips, bargaining presentations, and district agreements are updated as they become available. The WASA team also stands ready to provide on site assistance for districts preparing for potential work stoppages.

GOVERNMENT RELATIONS

WASA members form a powerful, collective voice in support of public education. WASA's highly regarded legislative team is actively involved with all legislation affecting Washington's public schools. WASA communicates member perspectives and priorities to legislators and policymakers in Washington State and provides members access to the latest happenings in the legislative arena.

INDIVIDUAL ASSISTANCE

WASA staff are on call 24/7 to offer members individual assistance with administrative issues, employment information, problem solving, and counseling.

LIABILITY INSURANCE AND LEGAL SERVICES

WASA Active members are protected in legal situations with a \$1M Educators Professional Liability Policy. Active members are also eligible for legal assistance with due process, contract issues, and other issues related to their professional assignment.

MEMBERS ONLY RESOURCES

Active members receive access to our "Members Only Resources" including but not limited to budget and bargaining communications and superintendent contracts.

NETWORKING AND LEADERSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Members are part of a valuable network of colleagues who share ideas and strategies, solve problems, and address common concerns. Alignment with one of five component groups ensures members receive valuable interaction and networking opportunities within job professions in addition to more expansive networking opportunities.

AASA

WASA supports membership in our national affiliate, the American Association of School Administrators. AASA provides a variety of benefits designed to support both you and your district. They represent the dreams, educational expertise, and concerns of nearly 10,000 local school system leaders to the three branches of the federal government.

Active AASA members receive all AASA benefits and services, including the Legal Support Program (\$1M individual professional liability coverage/up to \$20K for job protection defense claims based on continuous years of membership), a member discount when registering for AASA conferences and more.

PROACTIVELY SERVING TODAY'S EDUCATIONAL LEADERS

The Washington Association of School Administrators is committed to the development of quality education through professional leadership. Members benefit from a supportive community of professional leaders working to:

- Provide, in concert with AWSP, OSPI, and other professional organizations, research-based, high-quality leadership academies for ongoing professional learning.
- Sustain a positive impact on legislative and community leaders to meet the demands of school administrators in Washington State. WASA is taking a lead in efforts to secure ample school funding for districts statewide.

WASA PROFESSIONAL LEARNING

WASA'S GOAL IS TO BE THE PREMIER ORGANIZATION FOR STATEWIDE PROFESSIONAL LEARNING. OUR STRATEGIES FOR ACCOMPLISHING THIS VISION ARE OUTLINED IN THE STAR GRAPHIC BELOW.

