

Why Join NAFME?

For music educators who want to provide the highest-quality education for their students and advocate for their profession, NAFME and your state MEA provide access to the best advocacy support, professional development, career connections, and student opportunities. These resources help you enhance your teaching while you give back to your profession and strengthen it for future generations.

"NAfME represents all music content focuses and interests with great equality and a consistent move toward progressive music education."

– Rebecca, member from Louisiana

The members of NAFME and our federated state music education associations are a powerful force. Tens of thousands of music educators nationwide, joined by our supporters and advocates, serve millions of students in our nation's schools. Through NAFME, music teachers and supporters have been striving to provide music students with the best possible education for more than 100 years.

*"If you want to be a leader in your profession, join NAFME and get involved in the work of our Societies and Councils to make a difference for your fellow educators and all our students."
– Martha, member from Nevada*

It's Easy to Join!

Find your dues online,
see all the benefits of membership,
and join today at nafme.org.

Need more information?
Contact memberservices@nafme.org or
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Mission: NAFME is a collaborative community that supports music educators and advocates for equitable access to music education.

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Together, We Are NAFME!



Professional Learning
Student Opportunities
Advocacy Support
Career & Leadership Connections
Teaching Resources

Connections and Opportunities ... when you join NAFME and your state music education association!

Professional Learning

- **Keep up-to-date on music standards, research, and professional directions** for all teaching areas and levels through national and state publications, including:
 - *Music Educators Journal*
 - *Teaching Music* magazine
 - *Journal of Research in Music Education*
 - *Journal of General Music Education*
 - *Journal of Music Teacher Education*
 - *Update: Applications of Research in Music Education*
- **Take advantage** of discounts on NAFME books, plus free online teaching ideas and resources contributed by experienced music educators.
- **Access free online continuing professional development clock hours – on your own time!** – through the new NAFME Learning Center.

Career and Community

- **Influence the direction of your profession** by voting in NAFME elections and by participating in interest-area Societies for research and teacher education and Councils for general music, orchestra, chorus, band, jazz, program leaders, guitar, composition, and Innovations.
- **Connect with your fellow educators nationwide on Amplify**, the online