

EXECUTIVE BOARD ELECTIONS



Each Spring, AEA holds an election to fill openings on the Executive Board through an election process as defined in AEA's Standing Rules. Each position has a 2-year term (State Council is a 3-year term.) This year, five (5) positions on the Executive Board will reach the end of their terms. The open positions to be filled, starting next school year will be: President, State Council Representative (1 of 3), High School Liaison and Elementary School Liaisons (2.) Below, you will find snapshot job descriptions of each position that is open. Applications will be available in February.



President

THE JOB: The President is the Chief Executive Officer and policy leader of the Association. He/she suggests policies, plans, meetings and activities for the association. He/she is the official spokesperson for AEA and is responsible for all Association communications. He/she is expected to attend all appropriate meetings and directing the Association's calendar of events. He/She is responsible for the progress and work of the Association.



Elementary School Liaisons



THE JOB: It is the responsibility of the elementary school liaison to provide support for all 14 elementary school rep council members. If a concern arises regarding contract issues, members should first consult their contract either in hard copy or on our union website. If the issue is not resolved through a contract read, members should then seek out guidance from their individual site rep council member(s). Ultimately, if the issue can't be resolved at that level, it then becomes the liaison's responsibility to become involved. Contact either one of these reps if you work at Sutter, Mission, Turner, Marsh, Fremont, Kimball, Belshaw, Lone Tree, London, Diablo Vista, Grant, Carmen Dragon, Muir and Orchard Park Elementary Schools.



High School Liaison

THE JOB: The position of High School Liaison was created to provide a voice on the Executive Board specifically for high school teachers. Therefore members at Bidwell, Prospects, Live Oak, Dozier-Libbey Medical H.S., Delta Academy for the Performing Arts, Deer Valley and Antioch High are encouraged to bring unresolved issues to their school site representative, who, in turn, will contact their High School Liaison if further help is needed.



State Council Representative

THE JOB: State Council Reps are voting members of AEA's Executive Board. The CTA State Council of Education is the democratic arm of CTA. The council votes on all legislation on which CTA takes a position – either for or against. We meet four times a year in Los Angeles, spending nearly all of the weekend in committee or general sessions. The members can select which committee he or she would like to join, and most of the time the request is honored. The committees range from Special Education, Civil Rights in Education, Professional Rights and Responsibility, Safety, Language Acquisitions, etc.