The Warren Wilson College Teacher Candidate is a reflective innovator serving in communities with heart, head, and hands

Membership as a Student in the NCAE

SNCAE, the student membership program of the National Education Association in North Carolina, the NCAE, is required of senior students (membership is part of class fees) and student teachers in the Teacher Education Program. Additional information is available at http://www.nea.org/student-program/membership/

At that NEA site you will find this information about member benefits:

Member Discounts and Services: As an NEA member, you'll receive special benefits and discounts on professional and consumer products and services.

Dues Rebate After Graduation: During your first year of teaching and regular NEA membership, you'll be eligible to receive a rebate of $20 for each year you were a student member.

Scholarships: Student members are eligible for NEA's Jack Kinnaman Scholarship and others

Leadership training: Members can gain skills in communication, time management, group management, organizing, and publishing.

Professional Workshops: We cover everything from stress management to interviewing skills.

Publications: NEA Today, Tomorrow's Teachers, and your state newsletter are available to members.

Community Outreach: Student members can work alongside peers and working professionals to make positive differences in communities across the country. Special grants are available for student chapters that want to start an outreach program.

Legal Services: NEA provides $1 million in professional liability coverage and offers other legal services such as will writing, consulting, etc.

Technical Support and Assistance: If you've got a great idea for a membership drive or local workshop but need some help to pull it off, NEA can help. Student Program members are part of a network that includes local association leaders, UniServ staff, state affiliate officers, and staff at NEA headquarters.

Legislation and Lobbying: NEA supports America's public schools on national and state levels. As a member, you can be a part of this process and support pro-public education legislation.