

2024 Nomination Form for MAE Statewide Election & MAE Delegate to the 2025 NEA Representative Assembly

POSITIONS OPEN *(all positions are 3-year terms)*

- _____ MAE President
- _____ MAE Vice-President
- _____ MAE Secretary Treasurer
- _____ NEA Director

*MAE Board of Directors (Check one)

<input type="checkbox"/> Admin at Large	<input type="checkbox"/> Higher Education
<input type="checkbox"/> Aspiring Educator	<input type="checkbox"/> Northeast Region – Majority
<input type="checkbox"/> Capital Region – Majority	<input type="checkbox"/> Northeast Region – Minority
<input type="checkbox"/> Capital Region – Minority	<input type="checkbox"/> Northwest Region – Majority
<input type="checkbox"/> Delta Region – Majority	<input type="checkbox"/> Northwest Region – Minority
<input type="checkbox"/> Delta Region – Minority	<input type="checkbox"/> Southwest Region – Majority
<input type="checkbox"/> East Central Region – Majority	<input type="checkbox"/> Southwest Region – Minority
<input type="checkbox"/> Gulf Coast Region – Majority	<input type="checkbox"/> Retired
<input type="checkbox"/> Gulf Coast Region – Minority	<input type="checkbox"/>

_____ **2025 NEA RA Delegate (check one)** *Please note, 2 delegates allowed per region*
(July 2-6, 2025, Portland, Oregon)

_____ East Central _____ Delta _____ Northeast _____ Northwest _____ Southwest _____ Capital _____ Gulf Coast

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Local Association: _____ MAE Region: _____

School/Work Site: _____

E-mail: _____ Primary Phone: _____

Position: Check One

- Supervisory (Administrator, Principal, etc.)
- Non-Supervisory (Teacher, Counselor, ESP, etc.)
- Retired

Ethnic Group: Check one

- American Native/Alaskan Native
- Hispanic
- Asian Pacific Islander
- Black
- Caucasian (not of Spanish origin)

I, the undersigned, hereby certify that the above information is true and correct. I am an Active, Life, Retired or Education Support member of the MAE/NEA. All information requested on this form must be provided.

Signature of Nominee:

Date:

Attached are the signatures of 100 MAE members in good standing in the candidate's MAE Region who nominate the above candidate, or a letter signed by the Local President endorsing the above candidate if running for State-wide positions.

This form may be duplicated.

DEADLINE FOR FILING IS NOVEMBER 30, 2024, BY 5:00 P.M.

NOTE: - PLEASE SEE QUALIFYING PROCEDURES FOR INSTRUCTIONS!

QUALIFYING PROCEDURES

- A. The deadline for qualifying for a place on the ballot is **November 30th** of each year. This means the qualifying papers **must** arrive at the MAE office (775 North State Street, Jackson, MS 39202-3086) by that day.
- B. You may qualify in **one** of three ways:
1. Members seeking the office of **President, Vice-President, Secretary/Treasurer, NEA Director or NEA Alternate Director** must have been an active member in good standing for **three (3) consecutive years**. Good standing is defined as *unified – local, state, and national* – **with all dues paid**. Members seeking the office of MAE Board of Directors or NEA Delegate must be a current member in good standing.
 2. Your Local Association may put your name up for a position. Your local should vote on the matter and the local president then sends a letter to the MAE Elections Committee. The letter should include:
a.) the name of the person nominated b.) the position for which the person nominated is running.
 3. The prospective candidate may get 100 signatures of voting (paid in full) members from his/her MAE region to sign a petition placing the person's name on the ballot. The signatures **or** a letter from the **Local President** should be sent to MAE.
 4. To qualify as a candidate for NEA delegate one must submit a completed nomination form.
- C. All qualifying papers must be submitted in one of the following ways:
1. Sent by certified mail received to the MAE no later than November 30th by 5:00 p.m. (return receipt requested for each position)
 2. Hand delivered to the receptionist in the MAE office where a receipt, with **date and time**, will be given.
 3. Sent via email to alattimore@maetoday.org attention **MAE Election Committee** in the subject line.