

KASSW Membership Application

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Name: _____

Home Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

School District or Coop: _____

School Building Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phones: (H) _____ (W) _____ (C) _____

EMails: _____

(Preferred)

(Alternate)

Membership Category

Regular (\$25)

Associate (\$15)

Student (\$10)

Retired (\$10)

New Member

Renewal

Position Funding

Special Education

Regular Education

Title I Funds

At-risk Funds

Drug/Alcohol Funds

Other (specify) _____

Mary Aldritt Education Fund

Mary Aldritt was the first school social worker in Wichita. The Mary Aldritt Education Fund was established after her death at the request of her sister.

Yes, I wish to donate to the Mary Aldritt fund, in the amount of: \$ _____.

To be included in the 2008-2009 membership directory, please return by 12/31/08. Please allow 4-8 weeks to process your application.

Make check payable to KASSW. **Total amount enclosed:** \$ _____.

Return Applications & Direct Questions to: Laura Hatrup, Membership Chair
1023 Robinson Rd, Apt. D; Topeka, KS 66604
(785) 650-7647; lhattru@topeka.k12.ks.us

KASSW Membership Benefits

- Annual Membership Directory for statewide networking.
- Annual conferences specifically for school social workers through the Midwest School Social Work Council.
- Representation in Midwest School Social Work Council. Influence at the highest levels through lobbyists. State representation at KASSW board meetings.
- Newsletter published three times a year.
- KASSW website with local and national information about school social work: <http://www.kassw.org>
- Discussion Board (via website) for sharing ideas, questions and resources with other school social workers.
- Legislative advocacy and monitoring through our legislative chairperson and committee. Updates are published in the newsletter and "action alerts" are sent out as needed.
- Opportunities to be in leadership roles in school social work and a voice in KASSW through your regional representatives.

KASSW Membership Categories

Regular: Those with MSW or BSW degrees who are employed in public schools. Members in this class shall have full voting rights, may serve as chairpersons or members of committees and be elected to serve as officers of the Association.

Associate: Those who, regardless of educational background, are employed in a capacity affiliated with school social work. Others who support the purposes of the Association. Members in this class have full voting rights and may serve as members of committees.

Student: Undergraduate students in BSW programs and graduate students in schools of social welfare who have placements in schools settings. Members in this class have full voting rights and may serve as members of committees.

Retiree: Those previously employed as a school social worker. Members in this class have full voting rights and may serve as members of committees.

Memberships are accepted at any time during the school year. The membership year runs from September through August. Members who have joined by December 31 will be included in the Membership Directory.

SSWAA Membership Benefits

- SSWAA covers school social work at the national level. It is the only provider of national school social work conferences. SSWAA has a government relations person in Washington, DC.

- SSWAA offers internet resources, weekly and monthly newsletters, and reduced registration fees at National School Social Work Conferences.
- SSWAA's website membership page address is: <http://www.sswaa.org/membership.html>