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Membership Categories

Which AWSP Membership Is for You?



AWSP currently offers five membership types that run annually from Sept. 1 to Aug. 31. This chart will help you determine your membership type. Apply for or renew your membership at www.awsp.org/membership.

Are you currently a principal or assistant principal?

YES

Active Member

For principals, assistant principals, and others employed in professional work related to the elementary, middle level or high school administrative team.

Most of our members fall into this category.

Membership **INCLUDES** national membership legal benefits.



NO

NO

Are you aspiring to be a principal or assistant principal?

YES

NO

Aspiring Member

For those who are pursuing or considering a career in administration and/or are working to obtain their principal credentials.

Membership does **NOT** include legal benefits.



Associate Member

For central office personnel, teachers, college professors/instructors, and others who are employed in an educational field other than the principalship.

Membership does **NOT** include legal benefits.



Were you a principal or assistant principal in the past 7 years?

YES

NO

Are you still employed in an educational role?

YES

Advocate Member

For former active members (principals and assistant principals) who are leaving their current role but need to maintain their national legal benefits.

Remember, you may need legal protection for 5-7 years after you leave the principalship.

Membership **INCLUDES** national membership legal benefits.



Lifetime Member

For former AWSP members who are no longer employed in education, with no intent to return to a full-time position.

Membership **INCLUDES** national membership legal benefits. Lifetime Members select from these levels of involvement: Fully Retired, Retired + Serve as an AWSP Mentor, Retired + Serve as an AWSP Ambassador, and Retired + Serve as an Admin. Substitute.

