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"I'm a new teacher and new member of NSTA and the exposure to new resources is great. It allows me to keep current and keep subjects fresh and fascinating for students."

Gideon Alegado  
Kentwood High School  
Covington, WA

# PRESERVICE & NEW TEACHER MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

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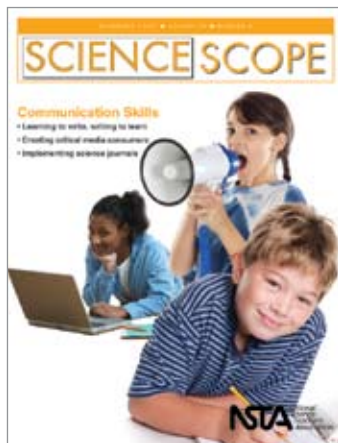
# Members enjoy the best teaching resources, plus online and face-to-face professional development to build skills and improve performance.

- Award winning journals, grade-specific and filled with teaching strategies.
- National and regional conferences for the best face-to-face, hands-on learning across the nation—institutes, symposia, workshops, and presentations.
- Online Learning Center, with career-long professional development management tools.
- E-newsletters and listservs—stay informed and current, daily, weekly and monthly.
- Web seminars and short courses to build your science knowledge.
- NSTA books just for science educators—topical, strategic, and pedagogical.
- Your community—meet colleagues and friends, professional contacts, be involved and nurture your passion for science education.

## YOUR CHOICE OF...



*Science and Children*  
Keep current on trends, teaching techniques, science lessons, and activities for elementary teachers.  
(9 times per year)



*Science Scope*  
Find easy-to-read, activity-based articles developed and tested by teachers for middle level educators and their students.  
(9 times per year)



*The Science Teacher*  
Receive cutting-edge classroom ideas and timesaving strategies for teachers of high school science students.  
(9 times per year)



*Journal of College Science Teaching*  
Access the only scholarly journal for the teacher of science at the college level.  
(6 times per year)

## PLUS...



*NSTA Reports*  
Our quick-read newspaper covers the latest science teaching news and informs you about resources and opportunities.

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- The core site ([www.nsta.org](http://www.nsta.org)), where members can search all archives of our journals, shop for discounted materials, register for our award-winning conferences, or catch up on current happenings in science education world-wide;
- The NSTA Learning Center (<http://learningcenter.nsta.org>), with career-long Professional Development management tools and interactive, topical courseware to build content knowledge and teaching skills;
- The NSTA Communities, at [www.nsta.org/communities](http://www.nsta.org/communities), a destination that brings together science education professionals to interact, mingle, share activities and resources, form groups, and provide and receive support and help to and from fellow educators.



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## Easy Ways to Join:



1 Visit [www.nsta.org/join](http://www.nsta.org/join).



3 Fax this form to 703-243-3924.



2 Mail the attached form with your payment to NSTA, P.O. Box 90214, Washington, DC 20090.



4 Call NSTA Member Services at 800-722-NSTA (6782) or 703-243-7100.

## YES, I want to join NSTA!

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**1 CONTACT INFORMATION (PLEASE PRINT)**  
 Have you ever been a member of NSTA?  No  Yes ID# \_\_\_\_\_  
 Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 Title \_\_\_\_\_  
 Institution \_\_\_\_\_  
 Expected date of graduation \_\_\_\_\_  
 Preferred mailing address  School  Permanent  
**School Address**  
 Address \_\_\_\_\_  
 City/State/ZIP \_\_\_\_\_  
 E-mail address \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Fax (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_  
**Permanent Address**  
 Address \_\_\_\_\_  
 City/State/ZIP \_\_\_\_\_  
 E-mail address \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Year born (Optional. For demographic purposes only) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Please omit my name and postal address from the mailing list NSTA makes available to other organizations.

**2 MEMBERSHIP OPTIONS**  
 Student—\$34/yr. For students enrolled in an accredited college or university as a student with an interest in science education only. Include proof of current registration with your payment. Instructor must sign here:  
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 New Teacher—\$34/yr. Teachers who are in their first five years of teaching. Send a copy of your teaching certificate or a letter from your administrator.  
 Joint NSTA/SCST Student—\$39/yr. Includes membership in both Society for College Science Teachers and NSTA; publication received is the *Journal of College Science Teaching*.

**3 CHOOSE YOUR JOURNAL**  
 Select the grade-specific journal(s) of your choice  
 *Science and Children*—9 issues a year; grades K–6  
 *Science Scope*—9 issues a year; grades 6–9  
 *The Science Teacher*—9 issues a year; grades 9–12  
 *Journal of College Science Teaching*—6 issues a year, college

**4 NUMBER OF JOURNALS**  
 Select the number of journals you would like to receive (for student and new teacher options only)  
 One Journal—\$34  Three Different Journals—\$102  
 Two Different Journals—\$68  Four Different Journals—\$136

**5 DISCIPLINES (check all that apply)**  
 Biology  Chemistry  Computer Science  
 Earth Science  Environmental Science  General Science  
 Physics  Physical Science  Technology Education  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

**6 POSITION (check all that apply)**  
 Teacher  Professor  Dept. Head/Chair  
 Administrator  Student  Other \_\_\_\_\_

**7 INSTITUTION (check all that apply)**  
 Public  Private  Laboratory  
 Business  Informal  Home School  
 Library  2-Yr. College  4-Yr. College  
 Graduate School  Other \_\_\_\_\_

**8 WHICH GRADES DO YOU TEACH? (check all that apply)**  
 Preschool/Kindergarten  5<sup>th</sup> Grade  10<sup>th</sup> Grade  
 1<sup>st</sup> Grade  6<sup>th</sup> Grade  11<sup>th</sup> Grade  
 2<sup>nd</sup> grade  7<sup>th</sup> Grade  12<sup>th</sup> Grade  
 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade  8<sup>th</sup> Grade  College 2 Year  
 4<sup>th</sup> Grade  9<sup>th</sup> Grade  College 4 Year  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

**9 METHOD OF PAYMENT**  
 Check enclosed, payable to NSTA.  
 School purchase order enclosed, PO # \_\_\_\_\_  
 (School purchase order must be attached.)  
 Please charge       
 Card # \_\_\_\_\_  
 Exp. Date \_\_\_\_\_  
 Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Send me information about starting an NSTA student chapter

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