

# Application for CATE Membership

(or you can join online at [www.CATEweb.org](http://www.CATEweb.org))

MEMBERSHIP:  New Member  Renewal

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_

County \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

School \_\_\_\_\_

District \_\_\_\_\_

Position \_\_\_\_\_ Grade Level(s) \_\_\_\_\_

PAYMENT:  Check enclosed (payable to CATE)  Credit Card

MC/VISA # \_\_\_\_\_

Expiration Date \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Dues: Regular  \$50 for one year  
 \$90 for two years  
 \$135 for three years

Retired Teacher  
 \$40 for one year  
 \$300 for lifetime membership

Student Teacher  
 \$25 for one year\*

\*This rate is valid for one year only. Please validate by obtaining the signature of a school official:

Signed \_\_\_\_\_

MAIL application to:

CATE  
P.O. Box 23833  
San Diego, CA 92193-3833

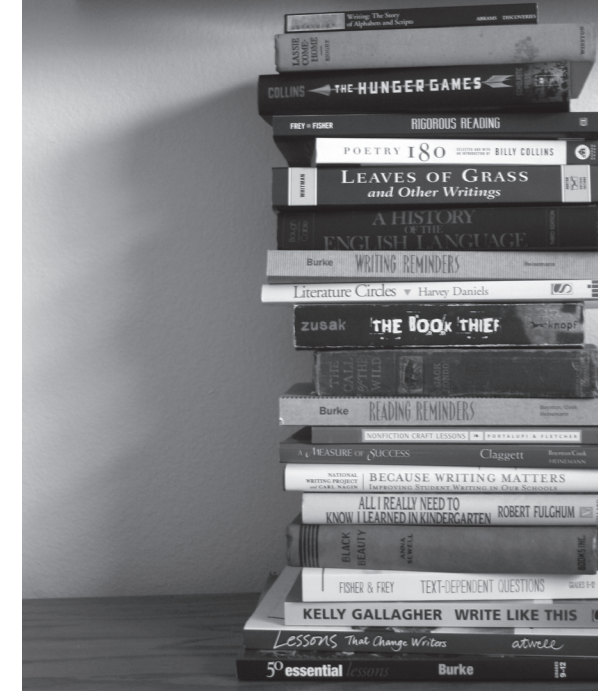
Check here if you wish to join NCTE and need further information sent to you, or you can go online to [www.NCTE.org](http://www.NCTE.org)

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CALIFORNIA ASSOCIATION OF TEACHERS OF ENGLISH



## Supporting Excellence in English Language Arts

A Nonprofit Public Benefit Corporation

# DEDICATED TO THE TEACHING OF ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS

## What is CATE?

The California Association of Teachers of English is a non-profit professional organization dedicated to excellence in the teaching of English Language Arts in pre-school through college. CATE is also one of the largest affiliates of the National Council of Teachers of English.

## Nine Regional Councils:



1. Redwood
2. Upper
3. Capitol
4. Central
5. FACET (Fresno)
6. TUCATE (Tulare)
7. Kern
8. Southland
9. San Diego

## Why Belong to CATE?

In attending my first CATE conference, I learned so much about my profession, my content area, and where we are headed in education. I had never been in a room with so many passionate and spirited people who all shared my love of teaching. The culture of the conference provided a welcoming environment to have real conversations about teaching our students, and the many challenges we face as educators.

*-Victoria Carlstrom, San Bernadino, CA*

CATE has provided me with opportunities to connect, collaborate, and learn with veteran educators. I've grown personally and professionally from my involvement with CATE.

*-Matt Brashears, Sunnyvale, CA*

Every time I come to a CATE conference I am renewed with enthusiasm for my craft. I leave with lesson plans as well as a new love for my profession. Words cannot truly express how CATE has not only made me a better teacher but also a better person.

*-Jennifer Naumann, Huntington Beach, CA*

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## What Do CATE Members Receive?

- automatic membership in a local council (see map)
- advance notice of CATE activities statewide
- reduced fees for CATE/local council conferences, including the annual statewide convention
- voting privileges—opportunities to select statewide representatives to lead English Language Arts teachers
- legislative updates
- current information through CATEweb and social media
- *California English*, the journal of CATE (see below)

## *California English* features

- articles on relevant issues and nationwide trends in education
- current state and national legislative developments affecting teachers
- lesson plans and teaching techniques

