



CENTRAL OEA/NEA



Emerging Leaders Program

If you are looking to get more involved in your local association but don't know where to start, Central OEA/NEA offers interested members an Emerging Leaders program to get you on your way.

Come learn about...

- The many layers of the Association
- Learn what your Leadership Style is
- Issues you will encounter as an Association Leader
- Skills you will need as an Association Leader
- How you can become more involved in your Association
- How to become an OEA or NEA delegate to Rep Assembly and why
- What does OEA Headquarters look like....

Testimonial...

Two years ago, I was volunteered by a friend to join the Emerging Leaders program through Central OEA/NEA. To give you some background, I'm quiet, an introvert, and not a "take charge" kind of person, so to have someone suggest I be a part of a program about leaders in the union was scary! I actually thought my friend had lost her mind.

I had just spent the year as a building representative for my local union, and it was clear I still had much to learn, so I decided to attend. Wow -- I am so glad I did! This program opened my eyes and I was able to learn so much about the union at all the different levels.

I now have a better understanding of myself and my leadership style, parliamentary procedures, the roles of different leadership in the union, how the union specifically helps students and teachers in a variety of ways, and various experiences of those in the union from different locals. It also helped me understand more about Central OEA/NEA's committees and where I can best use my skills.

~ Ashley Lambacher

Led By:

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If You Are Interested:

If you are interested in learning more about the program or wish to join send an email to: emerging.leaders@centraloearnea.org

Free Contact Hours:

Upon completion of the program, participants will be awarded a certificate detailing the number of contact hours earned.

Meeting Dates:

2022

August 25	Back to School Happy Hour (Hofbrau Haus)
September 7	In-person
October 12	OEA Building Tour
November 16	Virtual

2023

January 11	In-person
February 15	Virtual
March 15	In-person
April 12	In-person
May 17	Virtual
June 14	Cadre final dinner

Meetings begin at 5:30 PM