

66Theatre education provides skills for a lifetime. We are here to support your work, honor your accomplishments, advance your skills, and advocate for the field.99

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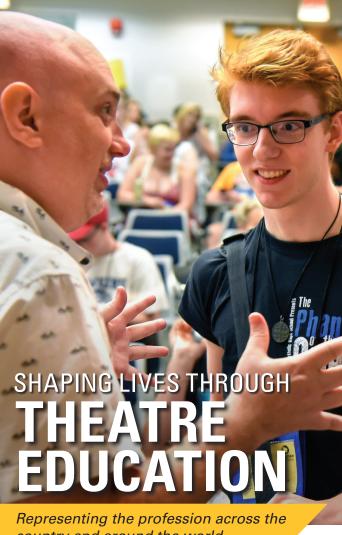
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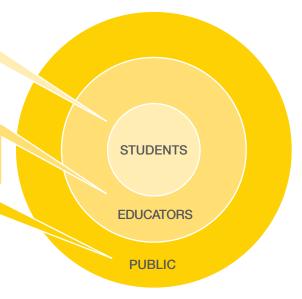
We are passionate about theatre education and we want all students to have access to theatre in their curriculum. **Our mission is simple**:

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HONORING STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT in theatre and enriching their educational experience

SUPPORTING EDUCATORS by providing professional development, networking opportunities, resources, and recognition

INFLUENCING PUBLIC OPINION and policy-makers that theatre education is essential and builds life skills



By the numbers

47 states

13 countries

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125,000 student and teacher members

4,700 schools

2.3 MILLION
Thespians inducted since 1929

For students

Honoring student achievement in theatre and enriching their educational experience through the International Thespian Society.

 Pride, recognition, and affirmation in earning induction into an international honor society

Official membership pin, card, and certificate

School, state, and international leadership opportunities

- Eligibility for exclusive state and international Thespian opportunities including workshops, performances, individual event assessments, college auditions, scholarships, and more
- Dramatics magazine, the only publication edited exclusively for theatre students and teachers



For teachers

Providing professional development, networking, resources, recognition, and representation.

- Member rates for EdTA National Conference, International Thespian Festival, master classes, and vetted educational resources
- Chapter conferences with professional education and networking
- Teaching Theatre journal edited for working educators and teaching artists
- School, state, and international opportunities for awards, leadership development, and recognition

 Representation in promoting and shaping theatre arts education policy through the National Coalition for Core Arts Standards, Theatre Education Advocacy Day, the Arts Education Partnership, and more



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