

Membership Application

The Sacramento Coalition to Save Public Education (SCSPE) is comprised of parents, teachers, classified workers, and community groups/members who want to preserve the institution of public education. Our belief is in equal educational opportunity for all. We believe that public schools are dedicated to the development of what we hold in common. They are the one institution in which we all participate, the one place where all young people can develop skills for the world of work and the foundation for lives of meaning and purpose, based upon the values of democracy, tolerance, cooperation, and civic participation. This is an invitation to all interested parents and community members to join us.

Annual SCSPE Dues:	\$10 – Students: \$5 (no one t	turned away due to lack of funds)
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Membership dues amount enclosed:	\$10	\$5	Other
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I do not wish to join at this time, but want to make a donation in the amount of <u>\$</u>______

Name: (please print)			 	
Address:			 	
Phone:		E-mail:	 	
Organization	:			

STATEMENT OF PRINCIPLES

- We believe that free access to public education is the cornerstone of our democracy.
- We believe all students must have the opportunity to learn and participate in all scholastic and extracurricular activities.
- We believe all members of the community must be accountable for the success of our schools.
- We believe teachers and classified personnel must have the ability to have a collective bargaining agreement.
- We believe Sacramento County voters have elected school boards to be accountable for the public schools in their jurisdictions.
- We support—in partnership with the community, students, parents, teachers, and classified personnel—improving student achievement and learning conditions in Sacramento County school districts.
- We believe that any and all charter school programs can be accomplished in public non-charter schools.
- We support saving public education from privatization and any takeover by a private corporation.

I agree with the principles of the Sacramento Coalition to Save Public Education.

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