

NEW MEXICO

Chapter Toolkit 2024-2025



Dear Teacher Leaders,

Welcome to the 2024-25 school year! I want to welcome you and thank you! I deeply appreciate your commitment and dedication to the students of New Mexico and to the teaching profession as many of you are veteran teachers. Having people like you in the classroom with a drive and enthusiasm for teaching and learning is invaluable.

This Toolkit is meant to serve as a useful resource with details and suggestions to get your chapter started this school year, or to reinvigorate it. The materials will also be available on our website as a digital option so you can easily access the hyperlinks in the manual. Any updates made throughout the year to this toolkit will be available on <u>our website</u>. These resources have been largely developed by peer teacher leaders, and we are grateful for their time and expertise.

This year, we have some changes to where to access curriculum materials. We have moved away from MrOwl and have created several CANVAS based digital tools for your toolkit. For providing information about EdRisingNM we have Educators Rising 101. For teachers we have resources in a course titled Teacher Academy I. We are in the process of developing Teacher Academy II this fall. We do have many resources available to teacher leaders.

The state office is here to help you with all of your needs. Should you need materials, connections or PD opportunities please contact us. We are grateful to have your wisdom, intelligence, and heart as EdRising NM Teacher Leaders and wish you success this year!

Sincerely,

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2024-2025 Calendar of Events

Fall 2024

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July 1 National Membership Registration/Renewal Opens

> August 1 State Registration Opens

August 23–24 CTSO Advisor Academy PD in ABQ, NM

July 1 National Membership Registration/Renewal Opens

August 22 Monthly TL w/State Zoom Meetings Begin (Third Thursday of Each Month @ 4pm)

August 26 Student Ambassador application opens

SPRING 2025

January 5 State Conference Competition Material Submissions Open

February 1 National Student Membership Fee Paid in Full Deadline

> February 3-7 Educators Rising Week!

March* National Conference Registration Opens

> March 3-7* State Conference in ABQ at UNM

September 23 Student Ambassador Deadline

October 21-23 Deadline CTSO Fall Student Rallies (10/21) ABQ (10/22) Roswell (10/23) Las Cruces

November 1

National Student Membership Fee Deadline State Student and Teacher Registration Deadline

November 1 Breakout Submissions, Judge Applications, and Vendor Applications Open

December 1 State conference registration opens

SUMMER 2025

June* Student Leadership Training

June 26-29 National Conference Orlando, FL @ Renaissance Hotel Seaworld

Year Round Virtual Professional Learning Opportunities through Canvas

*All Dates Will Officially be Announced by National and/or State Office

Educators Rising New Mexico 2024-25



About Us

Educators Rising provides resources and opportunities that combine directly with Career and technical Education (CTE) courses at the secondary and post-secondary level (with dual credit as available).

Educators Rising is a community-based model, where co-curricular and extracurricular chapters at high schools feed Educator Preparation Programs (EPPs) at institutes of higher education with the support of State Departments of Education, local funders and foundations. As a CTSO, chapters provide students a place for support and networking, a strong curriculum that structures and prepares students for their future profession, with conferences that provide a stage to network and be recognized for their achievements in the profession and develop the collegiality that comes from being part of a community of professionals, and a movement, and performance based competitions that provide opportunities to prove themselves as professionals.

Collegiate chapters provide Teacher Prep and Education Policy Programs with a reliable source of aspiring educators from high school programs and help grow the profession by supporting students on their path to graduation and into the classroom. The result is a pipeline of accomplished educators who are positioned to make a lasting difference in the lives of their students, and the field of education.

Educators Rising NM was established in June of 2015 as a grassroots effort to fill the need for teachers in New Mexico, led by the late Dr. Karen Trujillo.

Educators Rising New Mexico offers support to New Mexico Teacher Leaders through ongoing communication and mentorship, connecting area universities with chapters, hosting annual state conferences and professional learning opportunities. We have a creative and collaborative network of Teacher Leaders committed to the students of New Mexico, the field of education, and willing to share their ideas, resources, and experience. Start a chapter and join our inspiring team today!



Educators Rising Quick Facts

Shortened Use must be EdRising (no space, no ED) NOTE => Do not use "ER"

Brand Colors

Aqua Blue, Black, Gray Logos available upon request from <u>info@edrisingnm.org</u> or within your National Membership Portal.

Established

1937 as Future Teachers of America Also formerly known as: Future Educators Association (2000–2015), Future Educators of America (1980s–2000), Future Teachers of America (1937–1980s)

National Membership Base

40,000+

Our Mission

Educators Rising is cultivating a new generation of highly skilled educators by guiding young people on a path from middle/high school through college and into their teaching careers, by working with future educators who reflect the demographics of their communities and who are passionate about serving those communities through public education.

Vision

A clear pathway in every school district for young people who want to serve their communities as highly skilled educators.

Key Words

Education, Teaching, Training



Chapter Membership

Educators Rising New Mexico is an official affiliate of the national Educators Rising organization and recognized by the NM Public Education Department as a Career Technical Student Organization (CTSO). Open to middle and high school students, chapters exist or are developed in two categories: **Co-Curricular "Class"** and **Extra-curricular "Club"** Chapters, or **both**. School districts and buildings that do not have an Education Career Pathway program may start as an extracurricular/club chapter. Career Technical Centers and / or school districts that have Education Career Pathway programs may start as a co-curricular chapter.

Intracurricular	Co-curricular Course "Teacher
Chapter	Academy" Chapter
Intracurricular chapters are a great starting point for gaining experience and recruiting students interested in the field of education.	Co-curricular chapters can be a semester or year long class that focuses on an introduction to education with observations, dual credit options as available.

Curriculum Options

CERRA Teacher Cadet Curriculum	EdRising NM Teacher Academy Curriculum
This Workshop is for registered Educators Rising Teacher Leaders with principal-approved chapters for the academic year who are committed to teaching a co-curricular course and have never been trained in the curriculum prior. Available every 2-3 years depending on the number of new Teacher Leader registrations.	This Workshop is for registered Educators Rising Teacher Leaders with principal-approved chapters for the academic year who are committed to teaching a co-curricular course. Prior CERRA training is recommended but not required.
Content: Instructional three-day workshop that includes Teacher Cadet curriculum book, and access to CERRA online resources.	Content: An in-person workshop of the Scope and Sequence, Pacing Guide, and Curriculum Map for Teacher Academy 1 (STARS #0562), plus access to Canvas resources and activities.



Annual Registration Requirements

Chapters must register or renew their membership annually with the state and national offices to be considered an official affiliate chapter of Educators Rising NM. New chapters must complete an Organization Approval Form with their principal to verify their chapter status for their school. State and national membership is required for access to scholarship opportunities, resources, participation in state/national events, professional learning opportunities, and more.

National Office	State Office
July 1 begins annual membership	August 1 begins annual
registration/renewal	membership registration/renewal
No annual fees for MS/HS Teacher	No annual fees for teachers,
Leaders	advisors, or students
No annual fees for College Faculty/Staff Advisors	Teachers, Advisors and Students must be registered with the national office
MS/HS Students have \$10 fee due 11/1/2024*	Student Submittable registration required with chapter registration
Collegiate Aspiring Educators have	State Registration Deadline for
\$25 fee	Chapters AND Students
through NEA due 11/1/2024*	11/1/2024

*All Dates Will Officially be Announced by National and/or State Office





How to Register/Renew Annual Membership

NATIONAL TEACHER LEADER REGISTRATION/RENEWAL

- 1. Go to <u>educatorsrising.org</u>
- 2. Choose JOIN or TEACHER LOGIN at top right of home page
- 3. You will then see the option to **JOIN US** to begin registration or **PROFILE** to renew registration
- 4. If you are registering for the first time, select the EDUCATORS RISING MIDDLE AND HIGH membership **there is no fee for Teacher Leaders*
- 5. If you are renewing your membership from last year, select **PROFILE** to update your account
- 6. Here is a guide to the <u>Teacher Leader Orientation PowerPoint</u>

NATIONAL STUDENT REGISTRATION/RENEWAL

- 7. Go to educatorsrising.org
- 8. Choose JOIN or STUDENT LOGIN at top right of home page
- 9. You will then see the option to **JOIN US** to begin registration or **PROFILE** to renew registration
- 10. If you are registering for the first time, select the EDUCATORS RISING MIDDLE AND HIGH membership
- 11. If you are renewing your membership from last year, select **PROFILE** to update your account
- 12. Choose the **BILL ME** option to pay for membership if using school/grant funds (**\$10/student**)
- 13. Here is a guide to the *Educators Rising Membership Portal*



STATE TEACHER LEADER REGISTRATION/RENEWAL

Chapter Registration for Teachers/Co-Teachers

- 1. After completing the National Registration process, go to the EdRising NM website at <u>edrisingnm.org</u>
- 2. On the homepage just below the calendar, click the **State Chapter Registration** button that will redirect you to our Submittable accounts
- 3. Create your Submittable account if necessary, and complete the **Chapter State Registration for Teachers Form** for your chapter

*Note: Co-Teachers must also complete the form.

What Happens Next?

Our office team will reach out to you through the email address you've provided in your registration form to request a copy of your **Program of Work** and a **Chapter Organization Approval Form** you've completed with your principal if you are a brand new chapter. Once these documents are turned in, you are recognized as an official EdRising NM Chapter. **Your primary email address will be added to our list-serv** to receive all of our updates and event information. A confirmation email will be sent confirming your status within 3-7 business days.

Program of Work

The program of work is the summary of events or projects the chapter plans to execute throughout the year. This means fundraising, community engagement or support, philanthropy, student networking and recruitment, and any other events you are going to host this year. Please complete the program of work document and send it to <u>info@edrisingnm.org</u> once it is complete. The newest version is available on

https://www.edrisingnm.org/start-a-middle-or-high-school-chapter.

Chapter Organization Approval Form

The chapter organization approval form is required of new or revived chapters at any school who has never had a chapter before, or has not had a chapter in over two academic years. This form must be completed by you and your principal to assure the chapter involvement at the school is expected, approved, and supported. Please complete the chapter organization approval form with your principal if you are a new school with the program this year. Then send it to <u>info@edrisingnm.org</u> once it is complete. The newest version is available on

https://www.edrisingnm.org/start-a-middle-or-high-school-chapter.



Submittable as a Teacher Leader

In Submittable, you will become an active member of our state team as a role in the system. This means you can view and manage your student registrations. This allows you to check exactly how many students have registered, and who they are.

You can do this by following the steps below:

- 1. Log into <u>https://www.submittable.com/</u> using the email address you used for your account during State Chapter Registration above
- 2. Click your initials/profile icon in the top right-hand corner

3. Click **Educators Rising NM** under **Team Accounts** in the drop-down menu Students who have completed their state registration will be assigned to you and visible here for your convenience.

STUDENT REGISTRATION/RENEWAL

All students associated with your chapter must complete national and state registrations. National registration steps are available on page 10 of this document.

State registration for students is free. Students must

1. Log into/create an account at <u>https://www.submittable.com/</u> *Note: We recommend they create their accounts using personal email addresses due to firewall restrictions across districts.

2. Complete the **State Registration for Students** form available at <u>https://educatorsrisingnm.submittable.com/submit</u>

That's it! Students who select your school name will then be assigned to your account once your chapter registration is complete and your role within our team on Submittable is established within 3-7 business days.

Students must finalize registration by November 1, 2024.

FEELING UNCERTAIN? NO PROBLEM!

EdRising NM State office is able to assist you as you register your chapter and your students. We want to make sure teacher leaders of New Mexico are confident behind their chapter establishment. For a bit more detail on how to register, email info@edrisingnm.org.



Member Benefits

Students	Teachers
Represent as a Student Ambassador at state/national	Monthly Professional Learning Opportunities with TLs across NM
Participate in state/national competitions and conferences	Access to NM Teacher Academy curriculum in Canvas, including scope and sequence, resources
Professional learning and scholarship opportunities	and activities (with online training)
Access to student resources on national site (with paid membership)	Access to Teacher Leader resources, activities, ideas and awards on national site
Ongoing support and mentorship as students enter the profession	Ongoing chapter support and teacher mentorship
Connect with New Mexico colleges and universities	Professional learning and curriculum development opportunities
Performance-based assessments and competitions to showcase their growing skills	State and District Leadership opportunities
Access to the Educators Rising National Honor Society highlighting high-achieving students	National organization Leadership opportunities
Network and communicate with like-minded peers and teachers	Eligibility for NextGen and Carl Perkins grant funds
across the state	Network and communicate with like-minded educators and colleagues across the state



Tips for Recruiting Students

General Announcement/Meeting

You might not get many takers announcing for the "Teacher Class" or "Future Teachers Club" as students already have set (and often negative) outlooks on the teaching profession. Instead, try making an announcement like:

> "Are you interested in changing the world? Do you see yourself in a career making a lasting impact on people, changing lives and helping create stronger societies? If so, join us at

> _____ to discuss your place in an exciting new class / club we are offering".

You could also try a different approach that would serve to gain curiosity:

"Do you find yourself thinking about the future, but you have too many awesome skills to pick just one career? Join us at

_____ to learn about an incredible program we are offering that will help you find the perfect fit if you consider yourself to be a leader with great people skills and looking for a career that has no limits!

Targeted/Specific Recruitment

- > Identify students who have ALREADY displayed the critical skills needed for great teachers, such as:
 - Displays Growth Mindset
 - Displays Empathy
 - Displays Curiosity
 - Displays Leadership skills
 - Collaborative
 - Creative (thinking outside the box/divergent thinkers)
 - Problem Solver
 - Solution Creator
 - Supportive of others
 - Challenges thinking
 - Challenges stereotypes
 - Open to learning about different cultures, opinions, ideas, values
 - Seeks out or responds well to coaching/constructive feedback



- Social awareness
- Displays Awareness of Equity
- Good communication skills
- Good listening skills
- Consider students who represent the diversity of the school and community who would bring a rich perspective to classrooms and schools (e.g., males, students of color, students spanning a variety of socio-economic levels, represent varied interests, etc.).
- Purposely seek out 1 or 2 students who will serve as great ambassadors for the chapter, even if they are not likely to become educators. They will still become more informed taxpayers with a healthy respect for teaching, while drumming up interest for others to follow suit.
- Think outside the box and break the mold of what previous generations may have looked to for teachers. 21st Century teachers teaching in 21st Century classrooms may not be 4.0 grade point Literature lovers. They need to be 4.0 PEOPLE lovers!
- Consider students who may have given you a run for your money in the past. Their "rambunctious" spirits as teenagers might prime them perfectly for being powerhouse change makers in their own classrooms!
- Once registered by the national office, log on to your membership portal and visit <u>https://members.pdkintl.org/Recruitment_Promotion</u> for further recruitment resources and tips!



Tips for your Chapter Recruiting Meeting

- Consider having more than one meeting to accommodate interests and needs (different lunch shifts, before/after school, etc.).
- > Invite the superintendent and your administrators.
- > Invite a student or alumni who has taken the class or been in the club (reach out to other school programs, alumni, and collegiate chapters).
- > Keep it short and sweet but POWERFUL!
- Mention BIG selling points such as dual credit (if available), classroom observations, unique experiences (school board meetings, attend regional and state conferences, national conference, etc.).
- > Think about what teenagers want to hear.
- Make membership somewhat exclusive, combatting the idea that "anybody can teach". Plant the seeds EARLY that this is just not true.

Meeting Hints

Have a regular meeting time - once a week, once every two weeks, or once a month. If only once a month, be sure to communicate with your members between times (using bulletin boards, notes, announcements, text messages, email, or social media).

- Start meetings on time.
- Follow your agenda we've provided a sample agenda on the next page.
- Write an agenda on the board or give each person a copy.
- Have paper and pencil for each member.
- Use parliamentary procedure.
- Find a regular meeting place quiet, well lit, well ventilated, and easy to reach.



Promoting Your Chapter

- Ask teachers for recommendations of students who have expressed an interest in teaching.
- Advertise in your school newspaper.
- Have a booth at registration at the beginning of the year.
- Create a flier for students and teachers to hand out.
- Have committees for various activities. Be generous with responsibilities.
- Develop a booklet outlining the group's program.
- Provide door prizes at some of the meetings.
- Hold a faculty welcome and reception.
- Provide interesting programs with good speakers, movies, refreshments, and entertainment.
- Keep new members active and engaged.
- Hold group "brainstorming" sessions.
- Sponsor an activity for the entire student body.
- Place notices of meetings and activities on chalkboards in classrooms.
- Use a point system to encourage active membership and/or earn privileges.
- Create a web page highlighting chapter activities.



Sample of State Teacher Leader Resources (accessible on state website)

- *View Upcoming Events:* You can find new events or updates by joining our listserv or checking out our <u>website</u> calendar.
- *EdRising NM Roadmap:* A visual breakdown of deadlines and events approaching, mapped out for the entire year.
- **Teacher Leader Monthly Calls:** A series of monthly calls for teacher leaders starting in **August** and held every third **Thursday** of the month until May during the academic school year.
- **Teacher Academy Curriculum and Summer Workshops:** Have you missed our summer workshops? Keep an eye open for upcoming workshops throughout the year.
- Canvas and Resources: Explore the curriculum and resources curated by your peers in our Canvas site, accessible to any teacher leader who is a recognized teacher of the state and registered with our program.
- Sample Documents and Bylaws: Find Educators Rising document samples such as fliers, student roles and bylaws located in your national teacher leader portal.
- Recruitment/Promotion: All you need for recruitment, meetings, and membership to start your chapter is available on <u>our website here</u>. Resources on our website are accessed with the password "NM".
- *Teacher Leader Networking:* Getting involved with collaboration among your peers is part of the fun! Download GroupMe app to text and network with other teacher leaders across New Mexico: <u>https://groupme.com/join_group/51098387/wKNf0C8t</u>
- State Competition Standards and Rubrics: All rubrics and standards used in our annual state conference to better guide your students in meeting our competition guidelines are available on our website and are updated annually in October.



Sample of National Teacher Leader Resources

(accessible with complete national registration)

- Access your Chapter Membership Roster: See a full list of paid members in your chapter with membership numbers, membership type, and expiration dates.
- *Welcome Kit:* Download these year-round for easy reference just print what you need!
- *Teacher Leader Quarterly Calls:* A series of quarterly calls for teacher leaders in September, November, February, and April (recordings available after).
- **Co-Curricular Activities and Resources:** A calendar list with important dates throughout the school year, plus discussion topics for each month and the standards-based activities.
- *Chapter Resources:* Find sample templates, letterhead, start-up materials, and more to help you run your Educators Rising chapter.
- *Recruitment/Promotion:* All you need to recruit student members or promote your program to school administrators, the community, or other stakeholders.
- *Tips for Teacher Leaders:* Discover ideas for using videos with your students, recommendations for getting the most out of the EdRising Membership, tips for fundraising, and more!
- *Educators Rising Standards:* All materials and activities are anchored by the Educators Rising Standards, and define what high school students exploring teaching need to know and be able to do to take their first steps on the path to accomplished teaching.
- *Virtual Town Halls:* Several times a year we host Virtual Town Hall events, where students, teachers, professionals, all gather to discuss current events in education.
- *PDK Educational Foundation Scholarship Program Outreach Resources:* For teachers, counselors, administrators, and chapters to share information about the scholarship program within their community.



National/State Conference Policies and Expectations

Each year, Educators Rising hosts a conference to convene our network of rising educators and Teacher Leaders. It's a unique opportunity for students and their Teacher Leaders to:

- Connect and learn from each other through breakout sessions.
- Network with other members from across the country.
- Compete for titles in competitive performance-based events designed to allow students to develop and showcase their teaching skills.
- Be inspired by keynote presentations from education leaders.

Competition guidelines for the 2024-2025 year will be released in October after national rubrics and guidelines have officially released. Below are last year's guidelines for reference.

- Students could only participate in one Individual event and one Team event
- Competitions that do not meet a minimum entry count (At least 5 students [INDV] or 2 schools [TEAM]) will not be held. Students who applied for a cancelled competition can then compete at the national conference due to the removal from state.
- Individual/Dual events are considered individual events



2023 NM Students and Teachers at National Conference in Orlando, FL



Educators Rising NM Teacher Academy Curriculum

The following curriculum topics were created by the EdRising NM Curriculum Team, and are intended as a tool for Teacher Leaders in planning and implementing rigorous, standards-based/evidence-based instruction. Teachers are not required to teach every activity, and the calendar is not intended to keep teachers in lock step, but to guide them through the year. The curriculum team does recommend that students be exposed to these units as they are well aligned with the national Educators Rising Standards. The units and topics should be the focus of the curriculum. If your class is a dual credit course, that prescribed curriculum will supersede these recommendations.

NMPED STARS # Alignment

Teacher Academy 1 (Education Methodology) 0562

Access to the Curriculum

Access to the EdRising NM Teacher Academy Curriculum is granted to teachers who attend the Educators Rising NM Teacher Academy training (see page 6). The CERRA Teacher Cadet curriculum training is recommended but not required. Teachers must have received official training in order to use the curriculum.

Standards Used

- <u>Teacher Cadet Standards</u>, CERRA Teacher Cadet Curriculum
- Educators Rising National Standards
- <u>Common Core Career Tech Standards</u>, page 8
- <u>5 Core Propositions, National Board for Professional Teaching</u> <u>Standards</u> (NBPTS)
- INTASC Standards

Curriculum Textbooks Used

- CERRA (2017). <u>Experiencing Education: Teacher Cadet Curriculum (11th</u> ed.). Wentworth Printing.
- Kato, S.L. (2021). <u>Teaching (3rd ed.)</u>. Goodheart Wilcox.
- Koch, J. (2015). Teach³: Introduction to Education. Cengage Learning.



TIMING/PACING	UNITS & TOPICS
August	 THE TEACHING PROFESSION ETHICS & PROFESSIONALISM QUALITIES OF EFFECTIVE TEACHERS (NBPTS 5 CORE PROPOSITIONS) EXPLORING CAREERS IN EDUCATION TEACHER EVALUATION / REFLECTIVE PRACTICE HISTORY & GOVERNANCE OF EDUCATION
August	 BECOMING A TEACHER STEPS TO BECOMING A TEACHER CERTIFICATION, LICENSURE, ENDORSEMENTS EDUCATOR PREPARATION PROGRAMS
September	THE TEACHING PROFESSION • ETHICS & PROFESSIONALISM (CODE OF CONDUCT, TEACHER RIGHTS & RESPONSIBILITIES, STUDENT & PARENT RIGHTS & RESPONSIBILITIES, FERPA)
September	ALL ABOUT THE LEARNER • GROWTH MINDSET, MENTAL HEALTH & TRAUMA • CULTURALLY & LINGUISTIC RESPONSIVE TEACHING • SOCIOECONOMIC STATUS/POVERTY
October	 ALL ABOUT THE LEARNER GENDER (LGBTQIA IN EDUCATION) LEARNING STYLES (ABILITY DIFFERENCES, MULTIPLE INTELLIGENCES) SPECIAL EDUCATION (STUDENTS WITH EXCEPTIONALITIES, SPED CATEGORIES, IDEA, GIFTED & TALENTED) SES/POVERTY (BARRIERS TO LEARNING, AT-RISK STUDENTS, SOCIOECONOMIC DISPARITY) MENTAL HEALTH
November	PLANNING FOR INSTRUCTION CURRICULUM & LESSON PLANNING (STANDARDS, BACKWARD DESIGN) BLOOM'S TAXONOMY/COSTA'S TEACHING STRATEGIES CLASSROOM MANAGEMENT
December	PLANNING FOR INSTRUCTION • CURRICULUM & LESSON PLANNING • ASSESSMENT



TIMING/PACING	UNITS & TOPICS
January	PLANNING FOR INSTRUCTION CURRICULUM & LESSON PLANNING BLOOM'S TAXONOMY/COSTA'S TEACHING STRATEGIES ASSESSMENT CLASSROOM MANAGEMENT
January	Internship • Intern/Mentor Teacher Forms • Assignments (Weekly Journal Prompts)
February	INTERNSHIP • INTERN/MENTOR TEACHER FORMS • Assignments (Weekly Journal Prompts) • Teaching Portfolios
March	INTERNSHIP INTERN/MENTOR TEACHER FORMS Assignments Teaching Portfolios Education: Past, Present, Future*** History of Education Governance of Schools Education Reform Philosophies of Education ***Optional given Time/Required for Dual Credit
April	Internship • Assignments (Weekly Journal Prompts) Planning for Instruction • Assessments Education: Past, Present, Future*** • History of Education • Governance of Schools • Education Reform • Philosophies of Education
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Sample Monthly Schedule

The following are suggested Schedule & Ideas.

Have an Educators Rising table at school for recruiting members Fundraising Project Kickoff Help with Back to School Night

September

Planning meeting Recruitment meeting Attend Annual State Conference Participate in Educators Rising Week Tutor for State Testing

October

Motivational Speaker Register for State Conference Halloween Party

November

Thanksgiving Service Project Help with Career Day

December

Holiday Social Tutor for finals Scholarship guest speaker

January

Finalize State Competition registration / submission

August

Help with registration

February

Fundraiser/Sell candy grams, Valentine flowers Attend Annual State Conference Participate in Educators Rising Week Tutor for State Testing

March

Attend State Conference Visit/help in elementary school classrooms

April

Hold Career Day for all school organizations Elect chapter officers for new year Volunteer at Special Olympics

May

Hold end of school Educators Rising NM chapter awards' banquet Tutor for final exams Volunteer to decorate at the teacher's award banquet

June

Attend the national Educators Rising Conference



Project Ideas

Classroom Participation

- Teach a class
- Help substitute teachers
- Work as teacher aides
- Tutor students before and after school
- Make posters to motivate students
- Visit schools & assist in classrooms
- Volunteer for after-school programs (e.g., Boys & Girls Club)

Teacher Appreciation

- Sponsor Teachers' Night
- Honor Teachers on holidays
- Help with registration
- Honor retiring teachers
- Help new teachers
- Send "welcome back to school" cards
- Honor a teacher during
 Teacher Appreciation Week

Fundraising

- Car wash
- Valentines Grams
- Recycling
- Canned food drive
- Talent Show
- Raffles

- Bake sale
- Community-specific

Education Awareness

- Participate in college night
- Research and create
 newsletter
- Submit articles to the school
 newspaper
- Career day
- Invite speakers from local universities
- Serve as teacher aides
- Visit college campuses
- Attend school board meetings

Service

- Book drive
- Volunteer in the community (eg., read books in local schools, summer camps, family advocacy programs)
- Connect with area non-profit institutions (e.g., food pantries)
- Assist at local voting polls
- Participate in NMPED and EdRising national student committees



2023-2024 Chapters *Recognized as Spanish Bilingual Chapters

High School Chapters

Alamogordo High School Atrisco Heritage Academy Career Enrichment Center Carlsbad High School Centenntial High School Chaparral High School Clovis High School Cuba High School Del Norte High School Deming High School Dexter High School Early College Academy Eldorado High School Farmington High School Gadsden High School Goddard High School Hatch Valley High School*

Logan High School Los Lunas High School Manzano High School Newcomb High School Organ Mountain High School Pecos Cyber Academy Piedra Vista High School Rio Grande High School Rio Rancho High School Santa Rosa High School Santa Teresa High School Taos County Chapter Thoreau High School Twin Buttes Cyber Academy High School V. Sue Cleveland High School West Mesa High School

Middle School Chapters

Tse Bit Ai Middle School West Las Vegas Middle School

Collegiate Chapters

Eastern New Mexico University - Portales Eastern New Mexico University - Ruidoso New Mexico Highlands University* New Mexico State University



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