

NEA SM Negotiation Team Application

The qualities desired in a negotiations team member are:

- Punctual, reliable; must not have outside responsibilities which interfere with necessary meetings of the negotiations team (including negotiations)
- Thoughtful; articulate
- Experience in negotiations or training by KNEA
- Willingness to learn and grow
- Ability to work with a team
- Broad knowledge of district operations
- Facilitation skills
- Exhibit good emotional control
- Present a positive image of the Association
- Ethical
- Ability to maintain confidentiality

Qualified candidates must submit their application by September 6th, 2024 at 5:00 p.m.

Applications should be submitted to Linda Sieck, Ad Astra Uniserv Director, by email linda.sieck@knea.org or by mail 11015 W. 75th Terrace, Shawnee, KS 66214

Application for NEA SM Negotiations Team

Name: _____

Building: _____

Grade/subject taught: _____

Please answer the following questions on a separate sheet and attach to this form.

1. Why do you want to be on the negotiations team?
2. What qualities do you bring to the team that you feel will be valuable?
3. What experience have you had in negotiations?
4. What bargaining training have you participated in?
5. Do you have the time available to meet with the team during planning and to be available for negotiations sessions? Last minute meetings are normal; expect the team to meet up to three times a week during negotiations. Summer meetings and fall planning sessions also occur. There will also be training sessions that will be mandatory.