

Election Day

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**Local elections matter. Primaries matter.
Your vote matters. ELECTION DAY IS
TUESDAY.**

Our GCAE-endorsed primary candidates are public school champions whose work will impact your life as a public school worker on a day-to-day basis. Local elected officials make decisions on policies and budgets for our schools, our students, and ourselves. *And* these elected officials are our neighbors who are answerable to us through our unions and community organizations.

Join your coworkers to canvass:
tinyurl.com/GCAEcanvass26

Early Voting is happening now, and *Election Day* is March 3! GCAE endorsed candidates:
tinyurl.com/GCAEendorsements



Union Elections

Beginning on March 22, you can vote for your next state and local union leaders!

State-level union election information is available at <https://www.ncae.org/ncaeelections>

Candidates for the Guilford County Association of Educators Board of Directors are:

SECRETARY: 2-YEAR TERM

- Kimberly Singletary

TREASURER: 2-YEAR TERM

- Kathleen Herbst

ELEMENTARY DIRECTOR 1: 1-YEAR TERM

- Tamisha Davis

ELEMENTARY DIRECTOR 3: 2-YEAR TERM

- Tonya Johnson

ELEMENTARY DIRECTOR 4: 2-YEAR TERM

- Hannae Avery

ESP DIRECTOR 1: 2-YEAR TERM

- Christopher McCain

MIDDLE SCHOOL DIRECTOR 2: 2-YEAR TERM

- Selena Keith
- Sheilalisa Koto
- Crystal Satterfield

HIGH SCHOOL DIRECTOR 2: 2-YEAR TERM

- Lisa Randall

STUDENT SERVICES DIRECTOR: 2-YEAR TERM

- Betsy Sumerford

Plug In and Build YOUR Union

GCAE Canvass for Toby & Ebony tinyurl.com/GCAEcanvass26	Saturdays in February 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM Guilford County	Register
GCAE Mass Meeting tinyurl.com/GCAEmass3-12-26	Thursday, March 12 5:30 - 7:30 PM Smith High School	Register
Have a Building Meeting!	any time at YOUR work site!	Sample Agenda
Take a #RedForEd Group Photo	Every Wednesday at YOUR work site!	How To #RedForEd

Need some union swag? Check out the [GCAE Shirt Shop!](#)

Ways to Plug In with NCAE & NEA:

GCAE is the local affiliate of our state union, NCAE, and our national union, NEA. The following opportunities are available for all GCAE members ready to learn one more thing, take one more step, or dig just a little bit deeper.

- **Summer Member Organizer & Battleground Summer Applications Open**
 - [Battleground Summer Canvassing Info & Application](#)
 - [Summer Member Organizing Info & Application](#)
 - BOTH Applications are rolling and due by Monday, March 22nd, 2026. Priority will be given to applicants who apply by Friday, February 6, 2026.
- **NCAE Schoolhouse Voices Parent & Community Training Series**
 - Thursday, February 26, 6:00-7:30 PM
 - Virtual
 - Register: <https://www.mobilize.us/ncae/event/854110/>
- **Region 4 Caucus Meeting for NCAE RA Delegates**
 - Saturday, March 7, 2:00-4:30 PM
 - delegate information 2:00-3:30
 - Big Action Training for all workers 3:30-4:30
 - First Baptist Church of Elon
 - Register: <https://www.mobilize.us/ncae/event/899623/>
- **NEA Year-Round Organizing: Transformational 1:1 Conversation Training**
 - Wednesday, March 11, 7:00-8:30 PM

- Virtual
 - Register: https://nea-org.zoom.us/meeting/register/HZOxaccORkGMCUPu_wUW9Q#/registration
 - **NEA Year-Round Organizing: Effectively Affirm, Answer, Redirect training**
 - Thursday, March 12, 7:00-8:30 PM
 - Virtual
 - Register: <https://nea-org.zoom.us/meeting/register/ONbZUonoTimLNnJwvhuQ6g#/registration>
 - **2026 NCAE SMO T-Shirt Design Contest**
 - Entries due March 15, 2026
 - \$300 cash prize
 - [Enter Here](#)
 - **Kids Over Corporations Mass Meeting**
 - Monday, March 16, 6:00-7:00 PM
 - Virtual
 - Register: <https://www.mobilize.us/ncae/event/904999/>
 - **Connect with NCAE & NEA**
 - Fill out: <http://join.nea.org/north-carolina/connect>
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Ways to Plug In with Our Community Partners:

- **AROS: Free the Future Action Call**
 - Wednesday, February 25, 7:00-8:00 PM
 - Virtual
 - Register: <https://www.mobilize.us/reclaimourschools/event/875573/>
- **G4A Parent Power: Guilford Families Fighting for Our Schools**
 - Thursday, February 26, 5:45-7:30 PM
 - McGirt-Horton Branch Library
 - Register: <https://www.mobilize.us/downhomenc/event/882748/>
- **Red Wine & Blue: The Real Impacts of Vouchers on Public Schools**
 - Thursday, February 26, 7:30-8:30 PM
 - Virtual
 - Register: <https://secure.ngpvan.com/XXeUdaze3EaTVSjYGWGDw2>
- **Southern Workers Assembly: Southern Education Worker Fightback Summit**
 - Saturday, February 28, 10:00 AM - 3:00 PM
 - Virtual
 - Register: <https://actionnetwork.org/events/southern-education-worker-fightback-summit/>
- **Making the Grade: Advocating for Fair School Funding in the States**
 - Monday, March 2, 2:00 PM
 - Virtual
 - Register: https://us06web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_Fac-gBAzTr2YuD-k1akPug#/registration
- **PSS Public School Families Organizer Onboarding**
 - Monday, March 2, 6:00-7:30 PM
 - Virtual
 - Register: <https://www.mobilize.us/downhomenc/event/871760/>
- **Public School Strong Organizing Meeting**
 - Tuesday, March 10, 7:00-8:30 PM
 - Virtual
 - Register: <https://www.mobilize.us/downhomenc/event/596321/>

- **Indivisible: From Posts to Power: Using Social Media to Build Real-World Power**
 - Wednesday, March 11, 7:00-8:30 PM
 - Virtual
 - Register: <https://www.mobilize.us/indivisibleguilford/event/897744/>
- **Public School Strong: School Board Campaign Training: Winning for our public schools, our kids and our democracy**
 - Thursday, March 19, 7:00-8:30 PM
 - Virtual
 - Register: <https://www.mobilize.us/raceforward/event/894251/>
- **Participate in a study for inclusion specialists**
 - [Information](#)

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