



# Kentucky Educational Development Corporation (KEDC)

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## Newport Independent 2025-2026 COOPERATIVE MEMBERSHIP AGREEMENT

**BOARD MEMBERSHIP**

**\$3,913.21**

- **Networking and professional development opportunities** for Superintendents and school personnel;
- **Communication/Marketing Blitzes**
- **Advice and limited legal services** from the KEDC Board Attorney;
- **Advice and information services** from KEDC Facilities Consultant;
- **Instructional Support** services thru Professional Learning workshops and via KEDC's Instructional consultants;
- **Grant Opportunities** through Special Education, Adult Education, Dept of Labor, U.S. Department of Education, Dept of Justice, and more;
- **PurchasePros** membership including access to **collective bidding, purchasing, and technology services – cabling, network, etc.;**
- **Salary surveys and ranking reports with online access;**
- **Minority recruitment advertising;**

**TOTAL COOPERATIVE MEMBERSHIP FEES:**

**\$3,913.21**

**For KEDC budgeting purposes please return this form by June 30, 2025.  
Your 2025-2026 invoice will be issued based on this form.**

**You must notify KEDC in writing by June 1, 2025, to withdraw from KEDC membership.  
Fees calculated based on your 2024 ADM of 1257.7**

**The Universal Service Fund Letter of Agency on the reverse of this form facilitates USF Reimbursement for Districts utilizing USF eligible Consortium Bids and is incorporated in this agreement. Your signature below authorizes KEDC to submit USF form 470 on your behalf and certifies compliance with the USF regulations contained in the Letter of Agency by the Newport Independent School District.**

**To assist KEDC and KPC's ongoing efforts to improve the Collective Bidding/Purchasing and Technology Services, Newport Independent Schools agrees to provide KEDC as requested with annual and periodic Vendor Lists comprised of information such as vendor name, total amount purchased, items purchased, quantities, and purchase prices. District agrees to notify KEDC of any new construction or renovation to allow KEDC to advise of services available as well as notify KEDC when it is soliciting its own bids.**

**I hereby certify that the Newport Independent Board of Education has agreed to participate in the KEDC programs and services with the terms as indicated above.**

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Board Chairperson Board Chairperson

Board Order # \_\_\_\_\_ Purchase Order # \_\_\_\_\_  
(Please supply) (PO# is Optional)