

OCSS Membership Form

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Position/Grade	

	Professional Membership (\$30)
	Retired Educator (\$15)
	Higher Education (\$35) Group & Membership
	Full Time Student (\$15)

NCSS/OCSS Joint Memberships

(Can only be used when a first time NCSS member)

- _____ Regular NCSS/OCSS Joint (\$100)
_____ Comprehensives NCSS/OCSS (\$115)

Rates effective through Dec 2020

Please note: Membership in NCSS and membership in OCSS are separate memberships.



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OCSS is always on the lookout for new leaders, check out our website for current openings.

The Ohio Council for the Social Studies

Educating Ohio's Citizens



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Ohio Council for the Social Studies



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Ohio Council for the Social Studies
800 East 17th Avenue
Columbus, Ohio 43211

The Ohio Council for the Social Studies serves as the premier voice for social studies professionals in Ohio. We advocate for the vital role of social studies and assist educators through professional development for the delivery of effective and innovative instruction. Our conferences and publications provide a network of services to members throughout the state.

PUBLICATIONS

OCSS Newsletter

A quarterly publication providing the latest social studies news, legislative updates, classroom resources, lessons, and more!

Ohio Social Studies Review

The yearly scholarly journal of OCSS delivers peer-reviewed articles focused on a central theme.

OCSS Web site – www.ocss.org

Your portal to professional resources, OCSS information, regional events, and past OCSS publications.

CONFERENCES & REGIONAL WORKSHOPS

Annual Conference Join us each year for Ohio's premier social studies conference features prominent speakers, dozens of classroom-oriented sessions, half-day workshops, vendor exhibits, and networking opportunities.

Regional Workshops

CSS partners with the Ohio Historical Society and other organizations to host classroom-oriented seminars and workshops throughout the state.

NETWORKS

Supervisor's Network

Curriculum specialists, supervisors, and social studies department leaders meet periodically in Columbus to share strategies, learn the latest news from ODE, and discuss issues impacting social studies instruction.

Higher Education Network

Ohio's university instructors gather periodically to examine issues related to teacher



PROFESSIONAL ADVOCACY

Working With Decision-Makers

Classroom teachers, university instructors, and social studies professionals from related organizations serve on the executive board. Together, we carry your voice to Ohio's legislators and the Ohio Department of Education, advocating on behalf of social studies education. We have testified in favor of increased social studies graduation requirements and sought equal treatment of educators' views at public hearings on educational issues.

Being Part of the Process

OCSS members have served on the Ohio Model Curriculum Committee, the Ohio Licensure Committee, as well as Ohio Achievement Test content advisory and range finding committees.



AWARDS HONORING PROFESSIONAL EXCELLENCE

Outstanding Social Studies Teacher

Honors two outstanding educators each year

Emerging Social Studies Teachers

Student teachers or early career educators, first three years

Social Studies Leader Award

Honors a non-K12 professional who significantly impacts social studies instruction in Ohio.

Awards for University Students

Sheehan Scholars program honors an outstanding undergraduate in social studies education from each university in Ohio

Nomination forms found on tour website www.ocss.org

2020 Ohio Council for the Social Studies 64th Annual Conference

Theme: Preparing Energized and Engaged Democratic Citizens Through Social Studies

The Largest Assembly of History/Social Studies Educators in the State of Ohio

*October 26th & 27th 2020
Embassy Suites in Dublin, Ohio*

*Registration at
www.ocss.org*