

# BTU ALL IN: Building POWER for our Union and Schools!



Yes! I stand with my union.  
I want a strong voice at work and in my community.

### Why Your BTU Membership Matters:

As a member of the Boston Teachers Union, you are joining a community of educators that are working to build **POWER** for our students, our schools, and each other. We stand for:

- P**rofessional growth and expertise.
- O**rganizing with our students, parents, and community.
- W**orkers rights and labor solidarity.
- E**quity, inclusion and social justice.
- R**espect for our profession and members.

A strong, unified union means better learning conditions for our students, sustainable teaching and retirement conditions, and a powerful voice for public school educators.

An engaged and fully active membership strengthens our ability to negotiate, advocate and activate!

**Your Union, Your Voice! - Register online at [www.btu.org/membership](http://www.btu.org/membership)**

## MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION - NEW BARGAINING UNITS

PLEASE PRINT LEGIBLY

Last Name First Name Middle Initial

Street Address Apt. No.

City State Zip Code

Cell Phone

Non-CoaH Email

School

Unit A: Teachers, Deans, Nurses, Counselors

Unit B: Building Subs, Paraprofessionals, Tutors, Custodial Staff, Office

Social Media Contact **(optional)**:

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### Boston Teachers Union Membership and Authorization for Dues Deduction

I hereby apply for membership in the Boston Teachers Union, AFT Local No. 66 in the City of Boston, and I agree to abide by its Constitution and Bylaws. I authorize the union and its successor or assignee to act as my exclusive bargaining representative for purposes of collective bargaining with respect to wages, hours and other terms and conditions of employment with my employer.

Effective upon ratification of an initial collective bargaining agreement with my employer, I hereby authorize and direct my Employer to deduct from my pay each pay period the amount of dues certified by the union which is as follows:

- Professional Unit (Unit A):** 1.23% of Teachers Bachelor's Maximum
- Non-Professional Unit (Unit B):** One-Half of the Above Amount

There shall be no change in the amount of dues deduction without 60 days prior notice to me by Local Union No. 66, Boston Teachers Union, AFT, AFL-CIO.

While I can resign my membership at any time, this authorization shall continue in effect until revoked by me by submitting written notice of revocation during the drop period of August 1 to August 30 of a given year to the employer and the union. After submitting my written request my membership revocation will take effect 60 days following the end of the drop period, unless I decide to maintain my union membership. This card supersedes any prior check-off authorization card I signed.

I recognize that my authorization of dues deduction, and continuation of such authorization from one year to the next, is voluntary and not a condition of my employment.

In order to comply with Internal Revenue Service ruling, be advised that your membership dues are not deductible for federal income tax purposes. However, they may be tax deductible as ordinary and necessary business expenses.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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