

For over 70 years, the IRTA has worked to enhance the lives of retired teachers and promote the importance of public education throughout our state.

Once again, we are reaching out to school districts to request the contact information of certified staff who are planning to retire in 2026. By gathering this information, we hope to extend an invitation for retiring educators to join our association, providing them with valuable benefits such as legislative advocacy, social events, educational resources, and more.

Thank you for your time and assistance. Please fill out the form provided:

**Fillable Form: [IRTA 2026 FOIA Request – Fillable form](#)**

Or if you prefer, please send the information to [freedom@irtaonline.org](mailto:freedom@irtaonline.org). Your support is vital to the continued success of our mission to serve Illinois educators, both current and retired.

If your district has NO RETIREES this year, simply reply to this email with the word NONE and **please include** your name, district name and number of your district and I will consider the request fulfilled.

This is a request by the Illinois Retired Teachers Association, a 501c4 not-for-profit Illinois organization under the Illinois Freedom of Information Act.

Thank you,

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