

NCTE Assembly Benefits

1. Connection to a national network of professionals working to improve the teaching of English language arts.
2. Representation on the NCTE Board of Directors and publication of assembly annual reports in the NCTE Annual Reports document.
3. Information on assembly activities and operations and leadership through Council-Grams (a newsletter for Council leaders).
4. Information on NCTE through the NCTE Directory, NCTE press releases and other announcements, and the NCTE Web site.
5. Ability to obtain tax-exempt status with the IRS through the NCTE Group Exemption Letter.
6. Publications benefit through the Information Exchange Agreement and the Committee to Review Publications of Affiliates and Assemblies.
7. Membership recruitment through the Special Interest Brochure which is sent to all new NCTE members, through the NCTE Web site links to assembly membership information and to the assembly's Web site (if there is one), name and address lists or labels for NCTE members with the same interests as those of the assembly, and ideas and success stories in Council-Grams.
8. Consulting services from NCTE staff on affiliate projects, such as conference planning, membership recruitment, and involvement of people of color.
9. The use of Manage My Organization, an online program designed to enable NCTE affiliates and assemblies to manage their membership using the NCTE database.

Note: In addition assemblies receive specific benefits at the NCTE convention and, possibly, other NCTE meetings. These benefits are based fundamentally on assembly size, linking Council services to the number of people served and encouraging assemblies to increase their membership in order to effect a corresponding increase in services.

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	Required # of members	Annual Convention Benefits Available	Member Promotion Benefits	Other	B.O.D. Membership
Level 1 (Entry Level)	25-99—must maintain a minimum of 25 NCTE members	SIG (Special Interest Group) time for meeting or session	Promotion in certain NCTE publications and mailings.	Council- Grams to officers.	One (25-149 NCTE members)
Level 2	100-249	as above	as above	as above time & space for meetings at other NCTE conferences	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • one (25-149 members) • two (150-349 NCTE members)
Level 3	250-999	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • as above • Part I Concurrent session OR Part II workshop* • Exhibit booth 	as above	as above	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • two (150-349 NCTE members) • three (350- 549 NCTE members) • four (550- 749 NCTE members) • five (750-949 NCTE members) • six (949 or more NCTE members)
Level 4	1000+	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SIG time • Exhibit booth • Part I concurrent session AND Part II workshop • Meal Function** 	as above	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • as above • negotiable— maintenance of membership lists, mailings, etc. 	six (949 or more NCTE members)

* *Annual Workshop Provision:* An assembly of level 3 or 4 may offer its workshop annually, provided paid registration indicates continuing interest (50 enrollees at one-day workshops; 100 at two-day workshops). Assemblies do not receive revenues from convention events, but do receive free handouts such as NCTE publications (limits to be established by the Council) and preconvention publicity.

** *Meal Function Provision:* An assembly at level 4 may sponsor and administer a meal function annually at its own financial risk and perhaps through its own advertising network (e.g., its journal), providing that meal function is scheduled during a non-conflicting meal slot.