

# 4 STEP GUIDE

## TO START AN EDUCATORS RISING IL CHAPTER

Educators Rising is the **ONLY** Career & Technical Student Organization (CTSO) for **ALL** future educators

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### STEP 1 – IDENTIFY THE 1-2 TEACHER LEADER(S)

- A. The teacher(s) planning to lead the chapter will complete their FREE EdRising Teacher Leader memberships. Then teachers will have access to the free planning

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### STEP 2 – CHOOSE AN IMPLEMENTATION MODEL FOR YOUR EDUCATORS RISING IL CTSO CHAPTER

- A. An extracurricular CTSO with scheduled meeting days and times
- B. A co-curricular program to implement within an existing CTE education course
- C. Transition an existing future educator club in your district.
- D. Future Teachers of America changed to FEA. FEA transitioned into Educators Rising in 2015.

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### STEP 3 – RECRUIT & REGISTER STUDENTS TO BECOME EDUCATORS RISING MEMBERS

- A. Teachers can use their free recruitment resources to excite students to join the new program and become a part of your district's educator pipeline!
- B. Student participants need to register as Educators Rising members.
  - Teachers can complete students' Educators Rising student memberships for them. To make this process easier, teachers can have students complete this worksheet ahead of time to simplify the registration data entry process.

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### STEP 4 – PAY FOR STUDENT MEMBERSHIPS

- A. Student Educators Rising memberships cost \$25 per student.
  - a. \$15 of the fee supports the national Educators Rising organization
  - b. \$10 of the fee supports Educators Rising Illinois
- B. Teacher leaders can select "Bill me" to make a single payment.

**All CTSOs rely on student and advisor memberships for funding eligibility and longevity.**

## YOUR EDRISING IL CTSO CHAPTER IS READY!

- A. Teacher leaders should access their Chapter Membership Roster to ensure that all students are registered to the correct teacher leader, school, and state.
- B. Log in and go to Educators Rising High School Resources – Teacher Leader Resources
- C. Locate EdRising IL Resources: <https://ieanea.org/resources/illinois-educator-pipeline/>