## BENEFITS OF MEMBERSHIP

Join with other teachers who share your passion for science, want to inspire their students, and have realized the benefits of an association advocating their interests at the state level.

# Your \$50 Annual Membership Lets You:

- Register at a discounted rate for CSTA conferences and events
- Network with other teachers who share your interests
- Stay up-to-date with email alerts and CSTA websites
- Attend professional development on NGSS and more
- Participate in association leadership and become involved at a state-wide level
- Be an advocate for high quality science education for all students in the State of California
- Enjoy discounts at OfficeMax, Monterey Bay Aquarium, and more

Join CSTA Online at: members.cascience.org.





# JOIN OUR COMMUNITY OF SCIENCE TEACHERS TODAY!

CSTA

# California Science Teachers Association (CSTA)

950 Glenn Drive, Suite 150 Folsom, CA 95630

916-979-7004

csta@cascience.org

twitter.com/cascience

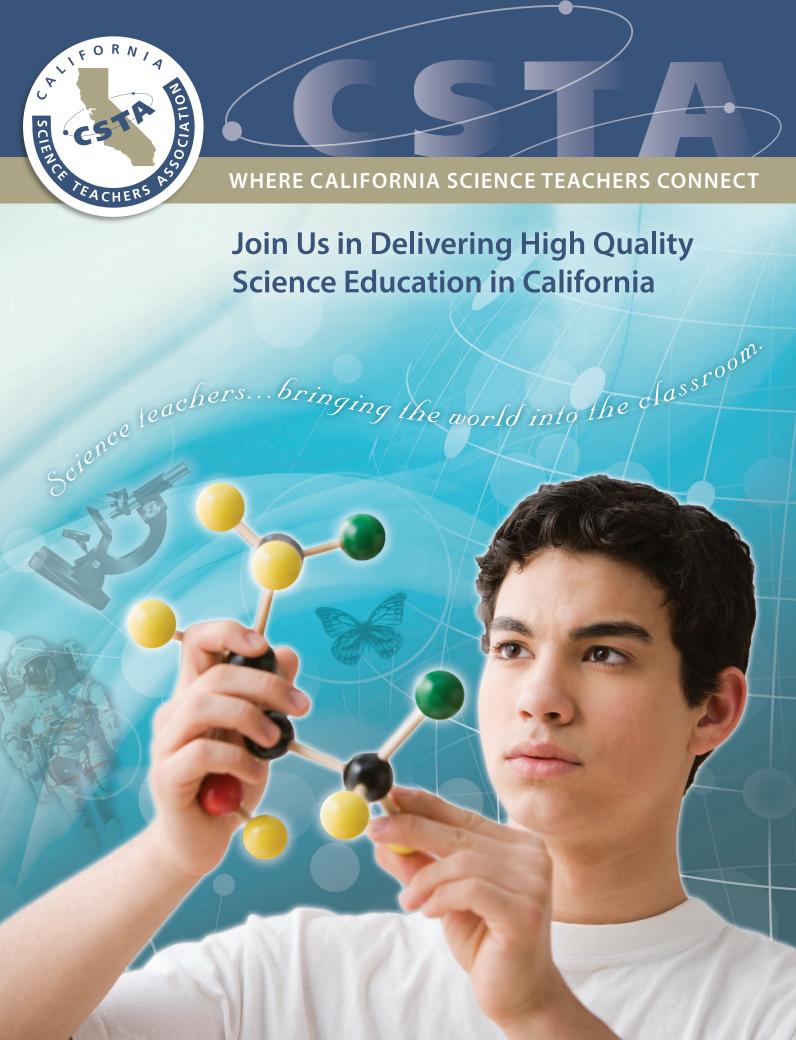
facebook.com/California
ScienceTeachersAssociation

www.cascience.org

www.classroomscience.org



CSTA is a non-profit 501(c) (3) organization so dues maybe tax deductible. Check with your tax preparer. EIN: 94-2926545



### You Are Invited to Join with Other **California Science Teachers To:**

- Keep updated on NGSS implementation
- Gather at the Annual Conference
- Enhance Your Knowledge & Skills
- Share Teaching Tools & Resources
- Influence State Education Policy

As the advocate for high quality science education in California for more than 50 years, the California Science Teachers Association (CSTA) offers networking, professional development, and advocacy to ensure state policies and legislation support you in inspiring your students. Join our community of more than 2,500 K-6, middle school, and high school science teachers, college faculty, and educators.

# **Stay Current on NGSS**

Rely on CSTA to keep you informed of the latest developments on Next Generation Science Standards (NGSS) and Common Core implementation. Through the annual conference, updates on hot issues, newsletter and website resources, CSTA will help you understand the new requirements and provide beneficial ideas and strategies recommended by science teachers.

CSTA will keep you abreast of new standards and provide useful information to help you adapt your teaching.

"CSTA makes me a better teacher."



"I like having access to up-to-date information



on science education."

#### **Network at the California Science Education Conference**

Your CSTA membership enables you to attend CSTA's annual professional development conference at a discounted rate. This is the ideal place to discuss changes impacting California science teachers, and learn new methods to enhance your curriculum.

> "CSTA's annual conference helps me stay updated on NGSS."

#### **Become a Presenter**

Members are encouraged to submit presentation proposals to share best practices, experiences, and ideas at the annual conference. Presenters gain additional registration discounts.

> "It keeps me in touch with the science education community."

#### **Discover Best Practices & Resources**

New as well as experienced teachers appreciate CSTA's range of resources:

- Connect with other science teachers regionally and state-wide
- Enhance your teaching and knowledge of science
- Gather information about best practices through networking
- Attend regional and statewide professional development seminars
- Become a mentor to support new teachers
- Gain leadership skills by joining the CSTA board and committees

#### **Find Useful Teaching Tools**

Be inspired and get critical information guickly on CSTA's two robust websites.

On www.cascience.org, you'll find the most current information on NGSS for California, job openings, links to free and low cost teaching resources, conference information, and member only resources.

Go to www.classroomscience.org to learn how other teachers are adapting their curriculum in response to NGSS and Common Core as well as other classroom tips.

#### You'll also find:

- Calendar of events (which can be filtered by region)
- Science education news and free classroom tools
- California legislative and policy updates
- Award applications for you and your students

# **Impact Education Policy Decisions**

You have a voice in Sacramento through CSTA. As the advocate for high quality science education in California for more than 50 years, the California Science Teachers Association has influenced state education policies and assures that science teachers' views are represented.

> "CSTA advocates for science." education in the State of California."

