

**PROFESSIONAL LIABILITY INSURANCE**

**TWO OPTIONS FOR PURCHASING PROFESSIONAL LIABILITY INSURANCE:**

1. Students can join a professional organization such as the two listed below. Professional liability insurance is included within the membership fee at no extra cost to the student for either of these two organizations.

# MISSISSIPPI PROFESSIONAL EDUCATORS (MPE)

WEBSITE: <https://www.mpe.org/general/register_member_type.asp>?

* Choose the tab ***Student- Join Now***then choose ***Student Membership***at a cost of $14 per academic year.

**MEMBER CATEGORY**: Student Teacher **SCHOOL:** Mississippi State University **COUNTY:** [Oktibeha](https://mpe.org/mpe/index.php)

# MISSISSIPPI ASSOCIATION OF EDUCATORS (MAE)

WEBSITE: <https://join.nea.org/mississippi/>

* Choose ***Join MAE***then scroll down and choose ***Student Membership***at a cost of $25 per academic year, which includes membership at the state and national {NEA) levels.

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1. Students can join the professional organization that supports their content area (i.e.

***EXAMPLE:*** *National Science Teacher Association) and purchase professional liability insurance through that organization. This, most often, is an additional fee after membership is established.*

***It is the student's responsibility to maintain professional liability insurance coverage through Phase IV.***

***Simply upload your proof of professional liability insurance purchased through the professional organization in the Admission to Teacher Education: Phase II canvas course (Examples: receipt or membership card). Membership in an organization other than MAE or MPE does not always provide professional liability insurance automatically.***