

ATF/AFT-NM Union Leadership Program Application

Name:

School Name:

Local Name:

Your Address:

Your Zip Code:

Your Cell Phone/Home Phone:

Personal Email Address:

Experience

What subjects/grades do you teach?

How many years have you been teaching?

What was your preparation for becoming a teacher?

How have you continued your professional development?

Please list any professional organizations of which you are a member:

Please list your area(s) of interest in education and education policy:

Commitments

Please check all the commitments in the boxes provided:

- I will be available by email on a regular basis.
- I will attend all full-day Saturday and/or evenings meetings. Exact calendar of classes to be determined.
- I will complete and be prepared to discuss the assigned readings related to education policymaking.
- I will participate in conducting research and other documentation.
- I will submit an article to a local paper and/or AFT-NM on-line or hard copy publications.

Essay

Please write a short essay (approximately two typed, double-spaced pages) describing an initiative in which you were an active participant that was designed to produce positive classroom or school change. Be specific about your role.

Recommendations

Please attach two letters of support. Appropriate references would be from your local building rep, a colleague, an officer or your local, your principal, a student, a parent, or another individual who can speak to your leadership abilities and your union/school involvement.

Applicant's signature:

Date: