



OEA

Member Lobby Day

Tuesday, June 6, 2023

from Northeastern Ohio to Columbus

NEOEA Promotes Member Lobby Day

Member Lobby Day provides an opportunity for our members and other members of the public education community to collectively lobby the Ohio General Assembly about issues that are important to public education, education employees, and the learners we serve.

Register by calling 1-800-282-1500 and ask for Government Relations or at <https://secure.ngpvan.com/trW6J7-300y9J92o4bjstQ2>.

- **NEOEA will reimburse mileage for two attendees per car. Please let us know by emailing desk@neoea.org if you will be carpooling.**
- The briefing starts at 9:30 a.m. and is provided in the President's Room at the OEA building, 225 East Broad Street in Columbus. We encourage you to schedule your meetings to begin after 10:30 a.m. so you can participate in the morning briefing at OEA.
- **You will need to make your appointments** with legislators from your area. To access contact information for your legislator, go to the following web address: <http://www.legislature.ohio.gov>. You will be taken to a page that will allow you to locate your legislator's contact information by typing in your zip code. When you contact your legislator, tell them you want to speak with them as part of OEA Member Lobby Day and would like to set an appointment regarding education-related issues. OEA staff will also help you make appointments.
- Members are encouraged to schedule their own meetings with their own legislators in advance of the OEA Lobby Day. If the legislator is not available to meet with you, make an appointment with their Legislative Aide. If you have never scheduled a meeting with your legislator or would like help scheduling a meeting, please email advocacy@ohea.org. An OEA staff member will help place your appointment on June 6.
- OEA will provide food for those attending the OEA Lobby Day training at 9:30 a.m. OEA will provide voucher cards for lunch on your own, to be picked up at registration.
- Feel free to invite your school board members or administrators.

