

AAUW Dues, Fees, and Tax Deductibility

Effective April 2026

AAUW California members pay a bundled payment for three organizational segments

1. AAUW National dues
2. State dues
3. Branch dues, if a branch member, are set by the individual branches, are not uniform, and are in addition to AAUW National and AAUW California Dues.

Dues are typically paid in a single payment: collected by the branch or paid online by the member via the Community Hub.

As of January 2024, all National dues are fully tax deductible.

National and Lifetime Memberships	National Dues	State Dues	Branch Dues
<p>National Membership Individuals holding an associate or higher degree from a higher education institution accredited by a regional accrediting agency recognized by the U.S. Department of Education</p> <p>AAUW California Members-at-Large pay national and state dues only.</p> <p>Branch members pay national and state dues in addition to the applicable dues for each local branch of which they are a member.</p>	\$76	\$30 (waived for past state presidents)	Varies
<p>Paid Life Membership Individuals who qualify for national membership may pay 20 times the national rate one time and become exempt from further national dues.</p>	\$1,520 one time payment	\$30 per year	Varies
<p>Honorary Life Membership Individuals who qualify for national membership and have been members for 50 years can apply for honorary life membership and become exempt from further national and state dues.</p>	\$0	\$0	May be waived by branch
College/University (C/U) Memberships and Students	National Dues	State Dues	Branch Dues
<p>C/U Membership Any accredited higher education institution is eligible to become a C/U member and can appoint one or two eligible representatives to receive free national membership. Local branch and state membership dues are an additional cost.</p>	\$250	\$0	N/A
<p>Memberships for Students of Non-AAUW C/U Partner Schools Undergraduates or degree-seeking graduates enrolled in full-time or part-time programs may join and renew at this rate through graduation.</p>	\$18.81	\$10	Varies
<p>Memberships for Students of AAUW C/U Partner Schools Undergraduates or degree-seeking graduates enrolled in full-time or part-time programs may join and renew at no cost with automatic renewal through graduation.</p>	\$0	\$10	Varies
New Member Campaigns	National Dues	State Dues	Branch Dues
<p>Shape the Future For new members who join AAUW at a public event.</p>	\$38	\$30	Varies