

Membership Reporting Master Key

Payment Options

Members have 3 options to pay their state membership dues:

1. Annual Payment—Available to members. One-time payment of \$35.00 by check, credit card, money order, or recurring payment by annual bank draft or credit card.
2. Monthly Payroll Deduction—Available to TRS annuitants. Dues paid in monthly installments of \$2.92 withheld by Teacher Retirement System of Texas (TRS) and paid to TRTA. Option not available to annuitant beneficiaries. The Membership Enrollment form/TRS 593 can be found on the TRTA website here: www.trta.org/trs593. Both forms should be sent to the TRTA Membership Department who will then deliver the TRS forms to TRS.
3. A membership may be paid annually or by monthly installments through TRTA's approved benefit partner, AMBA, and their payment collection system. The TRTA Board of Directors and AMBA will work together on these options for TRTA members.

Use the following key to determine the membership type of an individual.

TRTA Member Type Key

- NM stands for Non Member. These are members that have been added to the database with no payment, or members whose membership has been expired for more than 3 years.
- LM stands for Life Member. These members paid a one-time fee, and their membership will never expire. We no longer offer this type of membership.
- M stands for Member. These are members who pay annually. Members will fall into one of these categories:
 - Blank Category = Annual Member, will need to renew every year
 - AMBA Category = Member is signed up on an automatic yearly payment by card through AMBA
 - BD Category = Member is signed up on an automatic yearly payment by bank draft through TRTA
 - CC Category = Member is signed up on an automatic yearly payment by card through TRTA
- CM stands for Continuous Monthly. These are members who pay monthly. CMs will fall into one of these categories:
 - TRS Category = Member is signed up on an automatic monthly payment by TRS Annuity through TRS. Their paid-through date will be updated each month after their monthly payment has been processed.
 - AMBA Category = Member is signed up on automatic monthly payment by card through AMBA. Their paid-through date will be updated each month after the monthly payment has been processed.