

## Student Membership Dues Structure

The opportunity for youth participation in PTA is limitless. Students may be members in PTAs as well as PTSAs. However, having a PTSA signifies a specific commitment to the inclusion of students in PTA. The association can tap into this potential by giving students a voice and working with them on their concerns.

If a unit PTA wishes to include a student member dues structure, the bylaws must be amended and forwarded along with the standing rules to the California State PTA parliamentarian for approval. (refer to the California State PTA *Toolkit*, 3.2.3)

Students, upon payment of membership dues, have all membership privileges and responsibilities.

**Amended Bylaws for Local PTA/PTSA Units must conform to the model following:**

### Article IV – Membership and Dues, Section 4

Each adult member of the association shall pay annual per capita dues of \_\_\_\_\_ dollars and \_\_\_\_\_ cents (\$\_\_\_\_\_) per adult member to the association.

Each student member of the association shall pay annual per capita dues of \_\_\_\_\_ dollars and \_\_\_\_\_ cents (\$\_\_\_\_\_) per student member to the association.

- \*\*\*a. Such annual dues shall include the portion of one dollar and seventy-five cents (\$1.75) per member payable to the National PTA.
- \*\*\*b. Such annual dues shall include the portion of one dollar and twenty-five cents (\$1.25) per member payable to the California State PTA.
  - c. Such annual dues shall include the portion of \_\_\_\_\_ dollars and \_\_\_\_\_ cents (\$\_\_\_\_\_) per member payable to \_\_\_\_\_ District.
  - d. Such annual dues shall include the portion of \_\_\_\_\_ dollars and \_\_\_\_\_ cents (\$\_\_\_\_\_) per member payable to \_\_\_\_\_ Council.
  - e. Each association shall forward to the council per capita dues of \_\_\_\_\_ dollars and \_\_\_\_\_ cents (\$\_\_\_\_\_) annually.
  - f. The remainder shall constitute the local portion of each member's dues and shall remain in this association.

## Family Membership Dues Structure

California State PTA discourages group and/or family memberships. The concept of group memberships (e.g., family memberships) must include the payment of per capita dues, a membership card issued to each member and the PTA's bylaws must stipulate the number of members considered to be a family (per the example below).

If a unit PTA wishes to include a family membership dues structure, the amended bylaws must be forwarded along with the standing rules to the California State PTA parliamentarian for approval. (refer to the California State PTA *Toolkit*, 3.2.4)

**Amended Bylaws for Local PTA/PTSA Units must conform to the model following:**

### Article IV – Membership and Dues, Section 4

Each member of the association shall pay annual dues of \_\_\_\_\_ dollars and \_\_\_\_\_ cents (\$\_\_\_\_\_) per member (also means per capita) to the association, or \_\_\_\_\_ dollars and \_\_\_\_\_ cents (\$\_\_\_\_\_) per family of \_\_\_\_\_ (number) members.

For each person included in a family membership, the per capita portions listed below shall be remitted.

[letters a through f as listed above]