

MISSOURI EDUCATORS F ★ A ★ C ★ S



What Is MoEFACS?

The Missouri Educators of Family Consumer Sciences is a professional organization for people engaged in teaching, coordinating or supervising family consumer sciences and human services education at the middle, junior high, senior high, postsecondary or adult levels. MoEFACS is a division of

the Missouri Association for Career and Technical Education (Missouri ACTE) and is affiliated with the Association for Career and Technical Education (ACTE). To join, visit: <http://www.mo-act.e.org/> and click on “Join Today” in the box on the left-hand side of the Webpage.

Benefits of Membership

As professionals, Missouri family consumer science and human services educators share similar concerns, interests, challenges, and the need for relevant in-service activities. Membership in MoEFACS, Missouri ACTE, ACTE, and family consumer science and human services affiliates provides opportunities for all members to benefit professionally through a variety of avenues.

Legislative Support

Legislative action involves members in each affiliate group. Unified information provided to Congress and state legislators helps shape laws and secure funding to support career and technical family consumer science and human services education. A unified voice for support of family consumer science and human services education and CTE relies on increased membership at all levels.

Current Information

Each member receives professional journals and publications throughout the year that provide the latest information regarding CTE and family consumer science and human services education at the local, state and national levels. Publications highlight innovative programs, contemporary issues, CTE research and findings, effective instructional resources and techniques, and much more. Members of ACTE receive Techniques magazine eight times a year. “The Missouri ACTE Reporter,” published online quarterly, provides members with up-to-date information and CTE news from around the state.

Leadership

Opportunities for leadership are provided through offices and committees at all levels of membership including the governing board of each affiliate and periodically holds the presidency of Missouri ACTE and ACTE. The MoEFACS Board is comprised of family consumer science and human services educators from across the state. Besides guiding the direction of the organization, the MoEFACS Board develops the professional development schedule for the family consumer science and human services division during the annual Missouri ACTE summer conference.

In-service

In-service meetings are planned annually to educate and inform members on current educational initiatives and relevant issues in the fields of career and technical education (CTE) and family consumer science and human services education. The ACTE and its affiliate groups meet in the fall in cities across the nation. The Missouri ACTE holds its annual summer conference each July. MoEFACS conducts its annual in-service in conjunction with Missouri ACTE.