There’s Power in Teaching

**Mission:** Established in 1937 as Future Teachers of America, Educators Rising cultivates highly skilled educators by guiding young people on a path to becoming accomplished teachers, beginning in high school and extending through college and into the profession.

- Educators Rising is a national membership organization that provides students with authentic opportunities to experience teaching and build the skills they need to be successful educators.
- Educators Rising offers several opportunities for students to take leadership roles and represent the future of the teaching profession.
- Starting with high school students, we provide passionate young people with authentic opportunities to experience teaching, sustain their interest in the profession, and help them cultivate the skills they need to be successful educators.
- In high school, Educators Rising supports curricular programs where students explore the teaching profession and gain hands-on teaching experience. In college, Educators Rising supports campus-based student groups that promote the development of aspiring teachers.

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"CTE classes have helped me learn skills that I use now and will use in the future. I learned that I want to be a teacher and work with young students who are seeking to find their own way. I have learned from my CTE teachers that I too want to become a CTE teacher."

Brooklyne Hales, Educators Rising Utah state superintendent

In Utah, CTSOs align with the national CTE Career Clusters® and 35 CTE Career Pathways.

At the annual Educators Rising National Conference students, from across the country, compete for national titles in more than 20 competitive events.

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EdRising PROFILE

Educators Rising is a Career and Technical Student Organization (CTSO) dedicated to ensuring that the future is full of high-quality educators.

Thirty-two states and regions are Educators Rising affiliates.

Educators Rising schools include middle/junior high and high schools.

More than 43,000 students have signed up as rising educators.

51 percent of the Educators Rising student network is comprised of students of color.

NATIONAL RECOGNITION

Each year, Educators Rising Utah student members compete at the Educators Rising National Conference in 20 competitive events.

**Educators Rising Utah Secondary First Place Winners**

Madily Arnold and Elayna Knowles
Wasatch High School
Researching Learning Challenges

Sydnie Jo Fonoti and Rosalie Faith Songer
Snowcrest Junior High School
Children's Literature Pre-K
**Goals**

Educators Rising Utah Goals 2022-2023:
1. Increase membership by 10 percent.
2. Increase competitive event participation by 10 percent.
3. Add three new chapters.

**Service**

The Educators Rising service project focuses on members providing service to their teachers and school community throughout the year. This service project is a way of saying thank you to Utah teachers and the community while preparing to be an educator.

**Teaching**

Through internships and student teaching experiences, Educator Rising members make a positive difference in the lives of children and young adults. “I had the opportunity to spend two hours every day as an intern. I gained an improved work ethic, better organizational skills, and speed. This has been an amazing experience,” said Melodie Marshall.

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**EdRising Utah Regional Highlights**

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Utah CTSOs are open to all qualified students without regard to race, color, national origin, sex, disability, or age.

**Growing a Community**

Educators Rising is a community-based movement that provides Grow Your Own programming through curriculum and supporting student activities. Chapters are provided classroom resources along with the opportunity to attend conferences where members, teacher leaders, and educators come together to showcase the skills they have gained in their education and training programs.

Visit EducatorsRising.org to view the calendar of national events.