

Education **Funding**



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Triple Title I funding

Use Title I funding to ensure that districts offer educators competitive salaries

Create community schools and expand these services for 300,000 students and their families

Affordable Higher Education

Provide debt-free community college for two years, or other high-quality training programs

Double maximum value of Pell Grants

Improve the Public Service Loan Forgiveness program to offer \$10,000 of student debt relief for every year of national or community service, up to five years

Early Childhood Education

Provide universal pre-K for 3- and 4-year-olds

Provide funding to ensure early childhood education workforce is lifted out of poverty

Charters and **Vouchers**

Ban for-profit charters and increase accountability and transparency for current charters

Oppose diverting public funds for private school voucher programs



Visit **AFTvotes.org** for additional information on the presidential candidates.



Make your voice heard

Make no mistake: We are in the fight of our lives— for a better life for our members and the communities we serve, to preserve our democracy, and to defeat Donald Trump.

-AFT PRESIDENT RANDI WEINGARTEN

In the year since the AFT launched **Presidential Endorsement 2020**, we've made it our mission to build deep engagement and facilitate honest conversations between candidates and members. More than 300,000 AFT members have directly engaged in this transparent process by participating in our 10 candidate town halls across the country, dozens of telephone town halls and a first-of-its-kind presidential forum where the top candidates focused on public and higher education.

The AFT executive council recently adopted a resolution calling for stepped up engagement with the campaigns of the candidates who share our values and have forged real connections with our members. That and related resolutions and information are available at aftvotes.aft.org/aft-endorsement-process.

Some things you can do as part of this next phase of Presidential Endorsement 2020:

- Sign the AFT Pledge for 2020 at AFTvotes.org.
- Run for delegate. States where filing is still open are listed at AFTvotes.org.
- Become familiar with the issues that AFT members say matter to them—public education, higher education, healthcare, and labor and civil rights.
- Make sure your friends, family members and colleagues are registered to vote.

Go to **AFTvotes.org** for more information and resources. Stay connected: Text VOTE to 69238*

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