

EMPLOYER BULLETIN

STRENGTHENING THE EMPLOYER AND TRS PARTNERSHIP

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Did you know that you have a partner in providing TRS benefit information to TRS members?

The TRS Outreach Department is a resource for you and your TRS members at any point in their careers. The Outreach Staff is available for both virtual and in-person presentations at your school district. We can help members understand their retirement benefits including the optional Supplemental Savings Plan (SSP) and death and disability benefits. Review the types of presentations in this bulletin and contact our Outreach Staff to see how we can help you educate your TRS members about their benefits!



Types of TRS Presentations

Please review the different presentation options below and follow the instructions as noted.

TRS Member Services Overview for HR

You already know that TRS works with you to ensure accurate and timely reporting of essential employment information for all TRS members. This webinar is specifically created for Human Resources staff to review what TRS does. It explains at a high level how retirement, disability and death benefits are calculated. It also clarifies employer responsibilities relative to the retirement process and post-retirement limitations.

Register for Webinar March 5, 2025 at 10 a.m

Registration link: https://trsil-org.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_HjorFn28SnWgCMoi_nvb7w

TRS Express!

TRS Express! is offered either in-person or virtually for your TRS members. Sessions can be held after school or as part of an institute day as one of your optional breakout sessions. It covers the basics of the TRS pension calculation, disability and death benefits, and how to interact with TRS on an ongoing basis. It also explains how the TRS Supplemental Savings Plan can be incorporated into an overall retirement plan, presented by one of our Voya Retirement Education Specialists. TRS Express! is offered virtually in most months and members will find registration links on the online TRS Calendar. To request a district-specific presentation either virtually or in-person, see the instructions under Request a Presentation on the following page.

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