Dear administrator,

I'm writing to request approval for membership in the International Society for Technology in Education (ISTE). ISTE is globally recognized as a leading professional association for educators using technology to improve learning outcomes. Membership includes professional learning opportunities specifically designed for young educators seeking to develop their skills to become more effective at enhancing student learning.

As an ISTE member, I'll have the opportunity to participate in numerous professional learning activities such as webinars, book studies and online communities that will help me build my content knowledge and learn new strategies I can use in the classroom and share with my colleagues.

ISTE members also have access to the ISTE Standards and training to use the standards to improve teaching and student learning outcomes. As a member, I'll be exposed to the most timely and relevant topics and trends in educational technology and have the opportunity to ask questions and learn from leading experts in education. By passing on the information and resources I gather, I can help position our school and district as leaders in developing our students as digital age learners.

Membership includes:
- Access to more than 20 ISTE Professional Learning Networks that provide valuable connections to thousands of educators who share best practices and resources to successfully implement technology and new education frameworks.
- Admission to the ISTE Webinars. These sessions offer 30-minute professional development webinars presented by peer educators and leaders on important topics such as makerspaces, STEM, digital citizenship, project-based learning and 1:1 implementations.
- The ISTE Standards, a family of learning standards all educators can use to amplify digital age learning, teaching and leading.
- Subscription to *Empowered Learner,* ISTE's member magazine that provides an in-depth look into the issues, practices and policies affecting education -- with a technology bent.
- Member discounts on ISTE books, online courses and events, including the annual conference, one of the world's most influential edtech events.

ISTE membership costs only $125 a year.

I'm confident that ISTE membership will improve my teaching practice and boost student learning outcomes. I look forward to sharing the knowledge I gain with my peers as we work together to create engaging learning experiences that will help our students truly succeed in the digital age.

Feel free to visit [the ISTE website](#) for more information.

Thank you for considering this opportunity!

Sincerely,