

BUILDING REP BASICS

Becoming a leader at your school is a small step you can take to advocate for your students, as well as better working conditions for yourself and your peers.

Frequently Asked Questions

What is the time commitment?

Approximately 4 hours per month.

Our admin is supportive; why do we need a Building Rep?

If/when your admin is transferred, retires, or resigns, having a union presence in your building will ensure respect for your contract.

What if I have never done something like this?

You are not alone! UniServ Directors are available for training, and you can work with colleagues from other schools to learn the ropes!



WHY BECOME A BUILDING REP?

Enforce your contract!

- Advocate with your colleagues by identifying ways to mitigate contract violations at your school, without having to escalate

Represent educators in your building at the Rep Assembly

- Vote on TAAAC actions
- Participate in Training
- Hear bargaining updates from your Negotiations Team

Become a leader in your building

Roles and Responsibilities

- Attend the monthly Rep Assembly
- Host 10-minute meetings in your building to share information from our union
- Support Faculty Advisory Council meetings as a voting member
- Familiarize yourself with our Negotiated Agreement
- Welcome and recruit new colleagues to TAAAC

HOW DO I BECOME A BUILDING REP?

Hold an Election!

Elections are held every June by all TAAAC members during a 10-minute meeting.

Volunteer!

Contact your UniServ Director at 410-224-3330

Learn more about our current Building Reps at: taaaconline.org/for-members/rep-corner/