

Membership Benefits:

TAPT membership is available to individuals involved in school transportation operations or industry-related services and products.

- Ability to become Professionally Certified as a Texas Transportation Professional
- Member Newsletter - Keeping our members relevant - up to date on trends and state and federal regulations
- First to know about TAPT PDC, Conference and Trade Show event registration
- Access to attend complimentary Webinars and to view them later from the TAPT Member's Only Section
- Assistance with Mentors or Consultants for New Administrators or Assessments
- Statewide Chapter Meeting notices
- Access to TAPT Membership Roster with Contact information in the Member's Only Section
- Ability to Vote and hold TAPT Executive Committee and Chapter committee positions
- Advertise in Business Associate Spotlight
- Ability to volunteer for TAPT Committees

Membership is renewable annually and is effective July 1 to June 30 each year.

Click on the Membership TAB to see the various levels available and to join or renew.



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Join Us for the 2027 TAPT Conference & Trade Show!



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**TEXAS ASSOCIATION
FOR PUPIL TRANSPORTATION**

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Professional Development and Certification Program

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Who We Are...

The Texas Association for Pupil Transportation (TAPT) is a non-profit 501(c)(3) professional association with educational and charitable mission and goals, formed to provide state-wide support for school district transportation departments for the enhancement of student safety.

TAPT works to improve pupil transportation policies, standards and equipment both locally and nationally.

Our Story...

TAPT was organized in 1972. Its membership has grown to almost 1800 members.

Our mission is to enhance and promote safe, effective and efficient student transportation operations by encouraging the exchange of ideas through our Professional Development and Certification Program and Annual Conference and Trade Show - the largest State School Bus Industry Trade Show in the nation!

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Professional Development

TAPT Professional Development Courses (PDC) are offered several times throughout the year around the state and at our annual conferences.

Course content addresses

- *Leadership*
- *Personnel Management*
- *Student Management*
- *Liability; Risk Management Issues*
- *Ethics; Diversity*
- *State Reporting*
- *Special Transportation; Mental Health*
- *Emergency Preparedness; Safety & Security*
- *Compliance; Evaluation; Efficiencies*
- *Business Skills; Technology; Presentation*
- *Routing; Dispatching; Field Trips*
- *Budgeting; Purchasing*
- *Accident Investigation*
- *Foundations of School Transportation*
- *Training and Communication*
- *Trainer Academy & Shop Management*

**For shop technician classes—www.tasbt.org
Tx Assoc. for School Bus Technicians**

For a schedule of TAPT courses and locations, please go to www.tapt.com and select the “Education” TAB.

Professional Certification

TAPT offers several levels of Professional Certification to meet a wide range of administrative, operational and educational needs in the area of pupil transportation.

- Pupil Transportation Trainer
- Pupil Transportation Specialist
- Pupil Transportation Supervisor
- Pupil Transportation Special Needs Specialist
- Pupil Transportation Special Needs Supervisor
- Pupil Transportation Shop Technician Specialist
- Pupil Transportation Shop Supervisor
- Pupil Transportation Official
- Pupil Transportation Administrator

Benefits...

- Demonstrates commitment to your profession.
- Enhanced knowledge and professional competencies.
- Improvements in operational efficiencies.
- Career advancement.
- Proves dedication to excellence and leadership.



Get On Board!

TAPT Professional Development Opportunities!