

**INSTRUCTIONS** 

# **OPEN YOUR RETIREMENT ACCOUNT**

NEED HELP?
Call 800 842-2252
Monday to Friday from 8 a.m. to 10 p.m., and Saturday from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. (ET) or visit tiaa.org.
¿HABLA ESPAÑOL?\*
Llame al 800 842-2252

STEP 1

y marque 9 si desea atención en español, de lunes a viernes de 8:00 a 22:00 hrs. y sábados de 9:00 a 18:00 hrs. (hora del Este). Go to www.tiaa.org/guide

Go to www.tiaa.org/guide to view a web tutorial that will walk you through the decision-making process.

#### FILL OUT YOUR ENROLLMENT FORM

CHOOSE YOUR INVESTMENTS

Select from the list of investment choices available under your employer's plan. Please review the prospectuses for the investment choices before making your selections. See next page for how to access the prospectuses.

STEP 2 **TELL US ABOUT YOURSELF**Provide basic information to establish your account.

STEP 3 NAME YOUR BENEFICIARIES

**SPOUSAL WAIVER (IF APPLICABLE)** 

This section may or may not appear on your form, depending on the provisions of your employer's plan. If it does appear on your form, and if you are married and name someone other than your spouse as beneficiary for more than 50% of the death benefit, your spouse will need to complete and sign this section.

STEP 4 SIGN YOUR FORM

If you need to make a change please initial and date next to the correction.

RETURN YOUR COMPLETED FORM

Return your completed form to your employer's HR/Benefits office. You may need to complete a salary deferral agreement with your employer.

#### **IMPORTANT INFORMATION**

Whenever a new account is opened, federal law requires all financial institutions to help the government fight the funding of terrorism and prevent money laundering activities by obtaining, verifying and recording information that identifies each person who opens an account. For this reason, we request your name, physical address (a P.O. Box alone is insufficient), date of birth, Social Security number (or taxpayer identification number), telephone number and other information that will allow us to identify you. Without this information, we may not be able to open an account or process any transactions for you.

\*Todos los contratos están redactados en inglés. Al hacer cualquier trato con nosotros, usted declara comprender nuestros documentos si los lee en inglés o que cuenta con algún asesor de su confianza que se los interprete. All contract documents are in English. When you do business with us, you represent that you can read and understand our English documents or have your own trusted advisor who can interpret them for you.

You should consider the investment objectives, risks, charges and expenses carefully before investing. Please call 877 518-9161 or log on to tiaa.org for paper copies of the product and fund prospectuses that contain this and other information. Please read the prospectus carefully before investing. To have copies of paper prospectuses sent to you at no charge, please call TIAA at 877 518-9161. TIAA-CREF Individual & Institutional Services, LLC and Teachers Personal Investors Services, Inc. distribute securities products. TIAA (Teachers Insurance and Annuity Association of America) and CREF (College Retirement Equities Fund), 730 Third Avenue, New York, NY 10017 issues annuities.

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#### **NEED HELP?**

For assistance in choosing an allocation or filling out your form, please call us at 800-842-2252.

If your employer's plan offers mutual funds as an investment choice, participants with non-U.S. addresses may be subject to certain investment restrictions, including restrictions on purchases of mutual funds.

#### TWO EASY WAYS TO PICK YOUR INVESTMENTS

#### **OPTION A: One-Step Investing**

This option is designed for investors who want to keep it simple — by choosing a single TIAA-CREF Lifecycle Fund to help meet all of their retirement needs. It's a convenient, low-maintenance way to have your retirement investments professionally managed for you — to and through retirement. All you need to do is pick a single TIAA-CREF Lifecycle Fund.

TIAA-CREF Lifecycle Funds have names that match specific investment time horizons — the year an investor expects to retire. So all you need to do is choose the Lifecycle investment with the name that most closely matches when you think that will be.

#### **OPTION B: Pick Your Own Investment Mix**

This option is designed for investors who want to research and evaluate their investment choices and then create their own portfolios. We can give you a head start, by providing some examples of model portfolios that include a mix of different asset classes and represent different levels of tolerance. We can also help you determine how much risk you're comfortable taking as a long-term investor.

Before making your investment choices and completing your enrollment form, please read the prospectuses and plan and investment-related information, including plan fees and expenses and current investment performance. To view the prospectuses online, go to TIAA.org/PRO and enter your Prospectus Access Code: 407682. If you prefer, you can obtain paper copies of the product and fund prospectuses by calling 877-518-9161. Please note that on your enrollment form, you will be asked to confirm that you have received and accessed the relevant prospectus(es) for your investment choices. Please read the prospectuses carefully before investing.

# **OPTION A: One-Step Investing**

Pick the TIAA-CREF Lifecycle Fund that's closest to the year you plan to retire. All of your contributions will go into the fund you pick.

Investment	Туре	Ticker Symbol	Share Class
TIAA-CREF Lifecycle 2010 Fund	Mutual Fund	TCTIX	Institutional
TIAA-CREF Lifecycle 2015 Fund	Mutual Fund	TCNIX	Institutional
TIAA-CREF Lifecycle 2020 Fund	Mutual Fund	TCWIX	Institutional
TIAA-CREF Lifecycle 2025 Fund	Mutual Fund	TCYIX	Institutional
TIAA-CREF Lifecycle 2030 Fund	Mutual Fund	TCRIX	Institutional
TIAA-CREF Lifecycle 2035 Fund	Mutual Fund	TCIIX	Institutional
TIAA-CREF Lifecycle 2040 Fund	Mutual Fund	TCOIX	Institutional
TIAA-CREF Lifecycle 2045 Fund	Mutual Fund	TTFIX	Institutional
TIAA-CREF Lifecycle 2050 Fund	Mutual Fund	TFTIX	Institutional



## **OPTION A: One Step Investing (continued)**

Investment	Туре	Ticker Symbol	Share Class
TIAA-CREF Lifecycle 2055 Fund	Mutual Fund	TTRIX	Institutional
TIAA-CREF Lifecycle 2060 Fund	Mutual Fund	TLXNX	Institutional
TIAA-CREF Lifecycle Retirement Income Fund	Mutual Fund	TLRIX	Institutional

# **OPTION B: Pick Your Own Investments**

Pick your own investments to build a diversified mix that's right for you. Please use only whole numbers and make sure your total allocation equals 100%. **HELPFUL TOOL:** Visit **TIAA.org/calcs** to use our Asset Allocation Evaluator to help you create an allocation.

	Percentage	Investment	Туре	Ticker Symbol	Share Class
EQUITIES	%	CREF Equity Index Account	Variable Annuity	QCEQIX	R3
	%	CREF Global Equities Account	Variable Annuity	QCGLIX	R3
	%	CREF Growth Account	Variable Annuity	QCGRIX	R3
	%	CREF Stock Account	Variable Annuity	QCSTIX	R3
	%	TIAA-CREF Emerging Markets Equity Fund	Mutual Fund	TEMLX	Institutional
	%	TIAA-CREF Growth & Income Fund	Mutual Fund	TIGRX	Institutional
	%	TIAA-CREF International Equity Fund	Mutual Fund	TIIEX	Institutional
	%	TIAA-CREF Large-Cap Growth Fund	Mutual Fund	TILGX	Institutional
	%	TIAA-CREF Large-Cap Value Fund	Mutual Fund	TRLIX	Institutional
	%	TIAA-CREF Mid-Cap Growth Fund	Mutual Fund	TRPWX	Institutional
	%	TIAA-CREF Mid-Cap Value Fund	Mutual Fund	TIMVX	Institutional
	%	TIAA-CREF Real Estate Securities Fund	Mutual Fund	TIREX	Institutional
	%	TIAA-CREF S&P 500 Index Fund	Mutual Fund	TISPX	Institutional
	%	TIAA-CREF Small-Cap Equity Fund	Mutual Fund	TISEX	Institutional
	%	TIAA-CREF Social Choice Equity Fund	Mutual Fund	TISCX	Institutional



## **OPTION B: Pick Your Own Investments (continued)**

	Percentage	Investment	Туре	Ticker Symbol	Share Class
REAL ESTATE	%	TIAA Real Estate Account	Variable Annuity	QREARX	N/A
FIXED INCOME	%	CREF Bond Market Account	Variable Annuity	QCBMIX	R3
	<b>8</b>	CREF Inflation-Linked Bond Account	Variable Annuity	QCILIX	R3
	%	TIAA-CREF Bond Plus Fund	Mutual Fund	TIBFX	Institutional
	%	TIAA-CREF High-Yield Fund	Mutual Fund	TIHYX	Institutional
	<b> %</b>	TIAA-CREF Short-Term Bond Fund	Mutual Fund	TISIX	Institutional
MONEY MARKET	%	CREF Money Market Account	Variable Annuity	QCMMIX	R3
GUARANTEED	%	TIAA Traditional Annuity	Guaranteed Annuity	N/A	N/A
MULTI-ASSET	%	CREF Social Choice Account	Variable Annuity	QCSCIX	R3
	%	TIAA-CREF Lifecycle 2010 Fund	Mutual Fund	TCTIX	Institutional
		TIAA-CREF Lifecycle 2015 Fund	Mutual Fund	TCNIX	Institutional
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	%	TIAA-CREF Lifecycle 2045 Fund	Mutual Fund	ΠΕΙΧ	Institutional
	%	TIAA-CREF Lifecycle 2050 Fund	Mutual Fund	TFTIX	Institutional
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	%	TIAA-CREF Lifecycle 2060 Fund	Mutual Fund	TLXNX	Institutional
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## **OPTION B: Pick Your Own Investments (continued)**

Percentage Investment Type Symbol Class

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INFORMATION FORM

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## **Your Investment Allocation**

Important Information Please be sure to provide instructions on how to allocate your contributions to the investments offered under the retirement plan on the "Choose Your Allocation" form. If your asset allocation is missing or incomplete in any way, your contributions will be automatically invested in accordance with the plan's Qualified Default Investment Alternative or otherwise applicable default investment, which can be located in the plan's Summary Plan Description available from your employer.





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**DEFINITION:** Primary beneficiaries are individuals who are entitled to receive the benefits of your plan if you die.

Make sure the percentages for your primary and contingent beneficiaries each totals 100%.

# NAME YOUR BENEFICIARIES

# Percentage Social Security or Tax ID Number Birth Date (mm/dd/yyyy) Relationship Percentage Social Security or Tax ID Number Birth Date (mm/dd/yyyy) Relationship Percentage Social Security or Tax ID Number Birth Date (mm/dd/yyyy) Relationship



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DEFINITION: Contingent beneficiaries are individuals who are entitled to receive the benefits of your plan if the primary beneficiary(ies) die(s) before you.

To choose more than two primary or contingent beneficiaries, include an additional page with your name, Social Security or Tax ID number, and the information for the additional beneficiaries.

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#### **SIGN YOUR FORM**

By completing this form, you are directing your employer to allocate funds under your employer's plan to TIAA or CREF group annuities and/or to mutual funds and other investment options offered by TIAA-CREF or by other investment providers. All of your rights under these funding vehicles are subject to the terms of your employer's plan. Your employer, or other plan fiduciary, may decide to cease offering any of these funding vehicles as allocation options under the plan and, should your employer or other plan fiduciary decide to do so, you may be required to transfer your accumulations in such plan funding option to another plan funding option.

If your plan offers the TIAA Traditional Annuity, then subject to the terms of your employer's plan, cash withdrawals and transfers from the TIAA Traditional Annuity are currently not subject to a surrender charge. If such a charge is imposed in the future, the charge would apply only to subsequently remitted premiums including any amounts transferred from the CREF accounts, the TIAA Variable Annuity Separate accounts or the mutual funds after the charge is imposed. The amount and value of any accumulation units transferred from any account within a TIAA Variable Annuity Separate account may be affected by redemption charges imposed by the investments in which the account invests. The accumulations in and benefit payments from the CREF accounts, the TIAA Variable Annuity Separate accounts, and the mutual funds and other investment options are variable and not guaranteed; they depend on the investment performance of these accounts. Distributions from 403(b) plans before age 59½, severance from employment, death, or disability may be prohibited, limited, and/or subject to substantial tax penalties. Different restrictions may apply to other types of plans.

Your beneficiary designation will apply to your TIAA and CREF annuities and to the mutual funds and other investment options for which TIAA keeps records.

In accordance with the terms of your employer's plan, fees associated with the administration of the plan may be deducted from accumulations held on your behalf in the TIAA or CREF annuities or in any of the mutual funds and other investment options.

PROSPECTUS AND OTHER DOCUMENTS AG	CKNOWLEDGMENT	
Please check the box below acknowledging access to	the following documents:	
Prospectuses for the investment options	TIAA Business Continuity Policy	

Intermediary Frequent Trading Policy

Please check the box below to acknowledge electronic receipt of prospectuses and other required documents.

I acknowledge that I consent to receiving and have received the above-referenced documents for my plan by means of either the TIAA website (tiaa.org), the website from which this form was downloaded, a CD accompanying my enrollment form, or at the special web address www.tiaa.org/PRO using the Prospectus Access Code provided in my enrollment materials. I further acknowledge that I am able to access these documents via one of these sources. I understand that this acknowledgment applies only to this initial enrollment.

To select this acknowledgment and consent, you must either have access to the websites noted above or a computer with a CD drive and Internet access. In either case, you must also be able to download, view and print the documents. You will need Adobe Reader to view and print electronic PDF documents. If you don't have Adobe Reader, go to www.adobe.com to download a free copy. To request assistance with accessing these documents electronically, please contact us toll-free at 800 842-2252. You understand and acknowledge that accessing documents electronically may involve additional costs, including but not limited to, subscription access fees from an Internet service provider and printing costs.

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Note: Unless indicated above, I acknowledge that I have received paper copies of the above-referenced documents.

Under penalties of perjury, you certify that the taxpayer identification number shown on this form is your correct Social Security number. The Internal Revenue Service does not require your consent to any provision of this document.

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