

Lobby Corps



What to Do

- Sign up to become a Two Minute Activist for AAUW’s action alert network at <https://www.aauw.org/what-we-do/public-policy/two-minute-activist/>, or for Mobile text the word "AAUW" to 21333.
- Respond to action alerts that come from AAUW and AAUW-PA
- Add phone numbers to your cell phone for quick calling. Find your state senator, state representative and federal representative at <https://www.legis.state.pa.us/cfdocs/legis/home/findyourlegislator/>
- Get to know your state legislators committee assignments
- Schedule meetings with your state Senator, state Representative or their aides

What to Do When You Visit Your Legislator

Initial visit

- Schedule a meeting to introduce yourself and AAUW Pennsylvania
- Meet aides (they will be your new best friends), they will read the material you bring.
- Share AAUW Public Policy Program and AAUW Pennsylvania public policy postcard
- Offer to be a resource for the issues

Subsequent or targeted visits

- Call the legislator's office to set up a meeting. Ask who is the best person to talk to about issues you want to address.
- Give an overview of AAUW and its mission
- Use materials from AAUW-PA public policy web site to explain why this issue is important
- Move on to your “legislative ask”.
- Want to feel more confident about talking to your legislator? Review The Art of Lobbying on the AAUW-PA website at <https://aauw-pa.aauw.net/advocacy-and-lobbying/>

Ongoing

Call their office to offer thanks when they vote for our issues