



# AXA's commitment to teachers

# We help teachers and public school employees reach their financial goals.

We go well beyond offering products. We provide strategies to help you reach your financial goals:

#### Semester Strategies<sup>sm</sup>



As an education professional, your life is busy. And your time is valuable. Semester Strategies<sup>SM</sup> is a simplified investment strategy designed exclusively for educators. The program is available to you at no extra cost through the EQUI-VEST® variable

annuity contract. It's designed to evolve with you throughout your career, with built-in monitoring and adjusting by an independent third-party fiduciary to help ensure you're achieving your goals.<sup>1</sup> And it includes 10% downside protection, with the opportunity for growth up to a cap, through the Structured Investment Option (SIO). Semester Strategies<sup>SM</sup> makes it simpler to invest to help you reach a comfortable retirement.

## Fit, Finance & Fun

We help women achieve their investment goals by coordinating with companies like SoulCycle to offer complimentary classes followed by small social gatherings to engage women about their financial futures.



# **Reduce Your Student Loan Debt**

Forty-four million Americans have student loan debt.<sup>2</sup> We offer tools and resources that can help you take advantage of the federal student loan forgiveness programs.



# **Financial Literacy**

We help teachers make meaningful progress toward a more confident future with our simple, engaging Retirement Education Program. Visit our website at https://us.axa.com/ retirement/education-center/index.html.



**1** SWBC is an unaffiliated third-party fiduciary.

**2** Source: "The State of Student Loan Debt in 2018 Report", www.makelemonade.com Please see the last page for more important information and disclosures.

## **AXA Achievement**<sup>SM</sup>

Through AXA Achievement<sup>™</sup>, AXA is one of the nation's largest corporate providers of scholarships, and a comprehensive resource for information to help students and parents take the next step toward saving for college. Since 2003, we have awarded more than \$28 million in scholarships to high school seniors in every state. To learn more about AXA Achievement<sup>SM</sup>, visit our AXA foundation website at **www.axa.com/achievers.** 



## **Strategic Partnerships and Support**

AXA partners and collaborates with local and national associations throughout the country to increase awareness among plans sponsors and participants about the value of their 403(b) plan. With attendance at more than 100 conferences and events annually, AXA is truly committed to the 403(b) market place.







#### **New Teacher Center**

AXA works with with the New Teacher Center — a website dedicated to providing resources to the education community. Visit our website at **www.newteachercenter.org/resources**.



## **We Understand Teachers**

Our AXA Advisors Retirement Benefits Group specializes in helping you and your employees choose a 403(b) plan and invest wisely:

• Designed to meet your unique needs

Our financial products and services are designed to meet the unique needs of educators and staff in K-12 public schools. That's why we're the #1 provider of 403(b) plans for K-12 schools.

• Understanding the pairing

Our financial professionals have a deep understanding of 403(b) plans and how they work together with pension plans.

• Extensive credentials

AXA Advisors have extensive credentials and license requirements so they can offer you greater product choice.

### We're here for you, as your needs change

You can depend on the strength and experience of AXA Equitable. For more than 150 years, AXA Equitable has been helping businesses, individuals and families plan for a secure financial future. Get a better perspective on a financial professional's work experience and background.

### **Checking credentials is easy!**

Go to your state insurance department's website at **brokercheck.finra.org** to learn more about a particular advisor or broker. For more information, go to **axa.com** and type "FINRA brokercheck" in the search field.



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The Structured Investment Option (SIO) is an investment option available within certain EQUI-VEST® series of variable deferred annuities, consisting of various Segment Types, each of which provides a rate of return tied to the performance of a specified Securities Index or exchangetraded fund, allowing you to participate in the performance of an Index by investing in the corresponding Segment. The Segment Buffer is a built-in protection feature in which AXA Equitable will absorb up to the first 10% or 20% of any loss

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