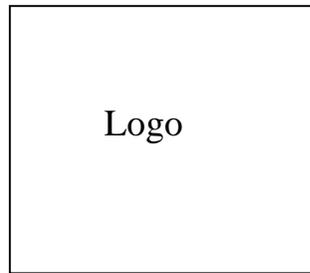


JCQTA

Joint Council of Queensland Teachers
Associations



Application for Membership

On behalf of the _____ (insert name of association) I/We apply for membership of the *Joint Council of the Queensland Teachers' Associations* and in support of that application I/we provide the following information:

1. We hold a certificate numbered _____ from the Corporate Affairs Office confirming our incorporation as an incorporated association.
2. Our email address for correspondence is _____
Our postal address for correspondence is

3. The aims of the association are (if the association has a formal constitution or rules please enclose a copy of the same)

4. Our nominated representative authorised to represent, make decisions and vote on behalf of this association is:

(Insert name)

(Insert email address)

(Insert postal address)

5. That we agree to abide by the rules of the *Joint Council of Queensland Teachers' Associations* and agree to notify the Secretary of the Council of any change of the nominated representative.

Signed:

(Please state office held)

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Send completed membership form with cheque to:

Secretary
Joint Council of Queensland Teachers' Associations
PO Box 233
BRISBANE Albert Street 4002

The Joint Council of Queensland Teachers' Associations (JCQTA) Incorporated is an affiliation of teachers' professional organisations.

Currently the Association represents a range of professional teachers' associations. The full list may be accessed by referring to the JCQTA web site at <http://www. ...>

JCQTA represents these associations at both the national and state level.

A list of current executive members may be obtained from the JCQTA web site.

What are the objectives of the Association?

The objectives for which the Council was formed are:

- (a) to provide a forum and common meeting ground for teachers' associations as defined in these rules;
- (b) to promote greater cooperation and understanding between teachers' associations;
- (c) to uphold within the teaching profession and to proclaim within the community the higher values of education;
- (d) to allow for an expression of a common voice on educational matters in the interests of teachers' associations;
- (e) to provide a direct means of communication between teachers' associations and education authorities;
- (f) to act as the key body representing teachers' associations as a group in communications with education authorities;
- (g) to liaise with other bodies on matters of mutual interest to its members;
- (h) to sponsor and support activities that may assist teachers in the practice of their profession, and the development of their expertise in particular teaching areas, within education institutions and the community;
- (i) to promote cooperation between and undertake liaison with similar associations of members in the teaching profession generally within the state of Queensland, in other states and its territories and dependencies, and in other countries outside the Commonwealth of Australia;
- (j) to promote and encourage research and investigation as it relates to teaching;
- (k) to encourage the publication of teaching papers or other information related to teaching;
- (l) to consider and examine the standards, organisation, administration and laws relating to teaching and the teaching profession and to propose and procure reforms and improvements thereto; and
- (m) to promote links between industry and the teachers' associations

What does the Association achieve?

- ❑ Provision of a forum and common meeting ground for teachers' associations
- ❑ Provision of a direct means of communication with the relevant education authorities
- ❑ Representation on forums and/or policy making bodies of relevant education authorities
- ❑ Representation on national educational forums
- ❑ Sourcing financial support for:
 - ❑ Professional development activities
 - ❑ Student centred activities organised by associations
 - ❑ Ongoing service costs to members
 - ❑ Administration of the Council
- ❑ An up-to-date web site funded through a DEETYA EdNA project . The web address is ...