Application for a letter of professional standing



Guidelines

A Letter of professional standing & confirmation of teacher registration status will only be issued to current and former registered teachers who meet stated requirements.

Requests for these letters should be made in writing on this form to the Queensland College of Teachers (QCT). Please provide particulars that will ensure that the identity of the person requesting the letter can be verified against information held by the QCT and include other information such as the agency or person to whom the letter is to be issued.

A separate application must be used for each agency for which a letter is sought.

There is a service charge for each application, which can be found at <u>http://www.qct.edu.au/registration/fees.html</u> under administrative fees.

Before completing this application, teachers should find out the current requirements set out by the authority in the country in which they wish to register. For United Kingdom applicants please ensure that your status will be acceptable for the purpose of gaining Qualified Teacher Status. See below for links to authorities in the United Kingdom and Canada.

The QCT reserves the right not to issue a Letter of professional standing & confirmation of teacher registration status where the QCT is unable to confirm that the person is:

- A current or former registered teacher in Queensland
- Not subject to any barring or restriction that would prevent them from teaching, is of good professional standing as a teacher in Queensland and their registration has never been revoked, suspended, cancelled or otherwise withdrawn for cause relating to their conduct as a teacher and/or noncompliance with conditions for their registration as a teacher in Queensland.

PLEASE NOTE

Your completed form should be emailed to lops@qct.edu.au or posted to the QCT at the address provided below.

CONTACT INFORMATION FOR OVERSEAS TEACHER AUTHORITIES

United Kingdom

Before completing this application, provisionally registered teachers in Queensland wishing to apply for Qualified Teacher Status in the United Kingdom should ensure that their "provisional" status will be acceptable for the purpose of gaining Qualified Teacher Status. Find out more by contacting the UK Department of Education by email at <u>qts.enquiries@education.gsi.gov.uk</u>

Canada

In Canada, a number of registering authorities require a *Letter of Professional Standing*. Their websites are:

- Ministry of Education, Teacher Services Saskatchewan
- Nova Scotia Department of Education
- Department of Education, Government of the Yukon
- <u>Alberta Education</u>
- Ministry of Education British Columbia
- Professional Certification Unit Manitoba
- Ontario College of Teachers

Contact us

or call 1300 720 944

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GPO Box 702 Brisbane Qld 4001 Australia

Email: enquiries@qct.edu.au



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Please ensure you have read the guidelines before completing the form.	
1 PERSONAL	DETAILS
Full name	
QCT registration number	Date of Birth
Address	
City	State Post Code
Country	
Email address	
2 DETAILS OF	AUTHORITY REQUIRING LETTER/CONFIRMATION
Contact person	
Authority	
Address	
City	State Post Code
Country	
Email address	
3 PAYMENT D	ETAILS
Cheque Please make cheque/money orders payable to - Queensland College of Teachers. Money Order Overseas bank drafts should be in Australian dollars and drawn on an Australian Bank. Other Please contact the QCT if you wish to pay by credit card/BPay or Post Billpay	
4 DECLARATIO	ON AND AGREEMENT
I have rea	ad and understand the contents of this form and the guidelines attached to it.
l underst	and there is a service charge for this application.
I have paid the fee or have made/am making arrangements to pay the fee as required in having this form processed.	
I give consent to the QCT to provide a letter of professional standing and confirmation of teacher registration status to other persons and agencies that I have nominated.	
Submission of this form will be taken as your declaration and agreement.	
Email your completed form to <i>lops@qct.edu.au</i> or post to Queensland College of Teachers, GPO Box 702, Brisbane QLD 4001, Australia	

PRIVACY STATEMENT

The Education (Queensland College of Teachers) Act 2005 authorises the Queensland College of Teachers (QCT) to collect and use personal information for the purpose of carrying out its statutory obligations, duties and functions. In carrying out its functions the QCT will give some personal information to other parties including the Queensland Police Service, the Director of Public Prosecutions, teacher employing authorities, or service providers engaged by the QCT. The QCT is committed to protecting the privacy, confidentiality and security of personal information. A de-identified or aggregate form of data may be released on an open data website. Further details about the QCT's Privacy Statement and collection of personal information may be found on the QCT's website www.qct.edu.au.



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