



QUALITY TEACHING PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT

The Quality Teaching Performance Assessment (QTPA) is an approved assessment tool used to assess the practical skills and knowledge of Pre-Service Teachers against the Graduate Teacher Standards. It occurs in the final year of Initial Teacher Education programs and is a national accreditation requirement for all Pre-Service Teachers.

The QTPA is reviewed and approved by the Australian Institute for Teaching and School Leadership (AITSL) Expert Advisory Group (EAG). Successful completion of the QTPA is a requirement for graduation.

Benefits for Schools

Pre-Service Teachers must pass the QTPA before graduating to provide principals and teachers with the confidence that beginning teachers are classroom ready.

What will this mean for schools?

The QTPA will not necessarily mean more work for schools that take final year Pre-Service Teachers, but more likely a difference in some aspects of the professional experience process.

The QTPA comprises four elements:

- Component A: A Personal Teaching Statement
- Component B: Planning for Teaching and Learning
- Component C: Demonstration of Impact
- Component D: Oral Presentation

To learn more about QTPA please view the recording link below.

QTPA RECORDING

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