



Government of South Australia
Department for Education

educators

Minister for Education's Early Career Teacher of Languages Immersion Scholarship 2021

Application Worksheet



Immersion Scholarships for Early Career Language Educators

2021 Application Worksheet

Purpose:

The immersion scholarship program for language teachers aims to improve language skills, proficiency, and intercultural understanding. The immersion scholarships are only available for languages that have a curriculum or framework in the Australian Curriculum.

All applications are to be completed online <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/earlycareerlanguages>

This worksheet is designed for you to develop your responses offline and copy them into the online form when ready.

I have read the document 'Information for Applicants' document	Yes		No	
I will have passport at the time of departure, valid for at least six (6) months after the return date	Yes		No	
Hold current registration with the Teachers Registration Board of SA	Yes		No	
Held a language teaching position in schools in SA for 5 years or less (including contract positions)	Yes		No	
Have a direct language teaching role for the academic year that the in-country immersion takes place.	Yes		No	
Be available to participate in the program on the specified dates	Yes		No	
Have support from the school principal to participate in the scholarship program	Yes		No	
Be declared fit to travel by a medical professional	Yes		No	
Be willing and available to provide professional learning, based on the experience, within and beyond their site	Yes		No	

(Note: Unless the above are ticked "yes" applicant cannot proceed with the application)

Applicant details						
Current school						
Education Sector (Catholic, Department or Independent)						
Do you hold a permanent position within a Catholic, independent or Department for Education school?						
Do you hold a contract position within a Catholic, independent or Department for Education school?						
Title		Surname*				
First Name* (include middle names)						
Residential Address						
Suburb			State		Postcode	
Contact Details		Work		Home		Mobile
Email						

*your first name and surname as per your passport. It is the responsibility of the applicant to ensure that the passport they hold meet visa requirements for the proposed destinations

Applicants will be selected based on:

1. Ability to explain how the scholarship experience will improve language skills, proficiency and intercultural understanding.
2. Ability to explain how the new knowledge and skills gained through their scholarship experience will benefit their teaching practice.
3. Ability to explain how the experience fit their professional learning plan and how they will share their experience with colleagues within and beyond their sites.
4. What immediate and long term impact the scholarship experience will have on student engagement and retention.

Please respond to the Selection Criteria as outlined above

Please provide full details of the proposed Immersion Experience, including a detailed itinerary.

[Upload your itinerary \(if required\)](#)

Please provide details of the proposed budget for the Immersion Experience.

[Upload your budget \(if required\)](#)

Explain how the immersion program will improve your language skills, proficiency and intercultural understanding.

How does this experience fit into your professional learning plan and what professional learning do you propose to offer from this immersion learning experience?

Please explain what immediate and long term impact the Immersion experience will have on student engagement and retention.

Please provide any other relevant information to support your application.

Referee Statement (to be completed by applicant's principal or line manager)

If not the principal please state your role:

Please provide a statement about the applicant's effectiveness as a teacher of languages in your school/site highlighting strengths and areas for growth.

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Principal's Declaration

I support this application and confirm that the applicant is working effectively as a language teacher in my school or other work location.

Signature:	Principal's Name:	Date:
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Applicant Declaration

I declare that all information provided on this application is true and correct.

Signature:	Applicant Name:	Date:
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To apply go to <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/earlycareerlanguages>