

# MEMBERSHIP

## BY YOU AND FOR YOU:

- 1. A STRONG INFORMED VOICE:**

WASSEA is a peak advisory body that provides informed, researched and persistent input into educational policy at the highest levels of both the Department of Education and Government.
- 2. ADVOCACY:**

Member interests and concerns – especially in times of stress or crisis – are represented fairly and with determination by an experienced management group.
- 3. LEGAL SUPPORT:**

Ordinary and Active Life membership provides protection against unexpected costs associated with actions that may be directed against you in the course of doing your job.
- 4. PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT:**

Annual Conferences, professional development programmes and close links with the Institute for Professional Learning and other professional associations provide the opportunity for personal and professional growth.
- 5. BUILDING COLLEGIAL LINKS:**

Membership opens up opportunities to network and share ideas. Regional / Collegiate meetings, study groups, country visits and teleconferences support members across the state; while Mentoring programmes add a further level of structured support.
- 6. ASPA MEMBERSHIP:**

WASSEA's associate membership of the national association provides access to national and international conferences, input into federal policy and membership of a body of national and international professional school leaders.
- 7. MEMBER BENEFITS:**

**The** Ordinary membership category covers you for injuries received in your journeys to and from work. As well, our Business Partners provide a wide range of special services and discounted rates. These increase each year and are managed to provide the best available service to all financial members.
- 8. SUPPORT FOR OUR STUDENTS:**

WASSEA brings a well-informed view to educational debate that allows it to advocate effectively for sustainable gains in both curriculum and support of students at all levels.
- 9. INFORMATION TO MEMBERS:**

WASSEA acts as a conduit to channel succinct and useful information about local, national and international trends in education. Local issues are regularly highlighted through newsletters, the WASSEA website and through email communications
- 10. AWARDS:**

The association celebrates achievement, and awards for outstanding and long service of its members. It helps promote the profession through support for teachers at all stages of their career

## Membership categories

**Ordinary** memberships are available to:

- Public Secondary School Principals and Deputy Principals of Senior High Schools and High Schools, (including Senior Colleges, Senior Campuses, Secondary Community Schools or Colleges, District High Schools, School of Isolated and Distance Education and Agricultural Colleges).
- Persons acting or relieving in the positions referred to above for more than a semester.

**Associate** memberships are available to persons acting or relieving in the positions referred to above for up to one semester.

**Collegiate** memberships are available to

- Secondary School Principals and Deputy Principals (or their equivalent) in non-government schools
- Members of other national or international secondary school Principals' associations
- Directors and Senior Executives in DoE
- Senior positions in other educational institutions.

**Aspirant** memberships are available to teaching staff working in Western Australian public schools with a secondary component who are seeking to obtain the necessary skills and experience to become a Principal or Deputy Principal.

**Restricted Ordinary, Retired, and Life (Active and Retired)** memberships are only available to existing Ordinary members.

Fees for membership are set by the Association members at the Annual General Meeting. Currently the fees are:

- **Ordinary** membership fee is 0.8% of gross base salary;
- **Collegiate** and **Aspirant** memberships are \$150 per year;
- **Retired** membership is \$20 per year and
- **Restricted Ordinary, Associate** and all **Life** memberships are honorary.

## Contacting us

### **WASSEA**

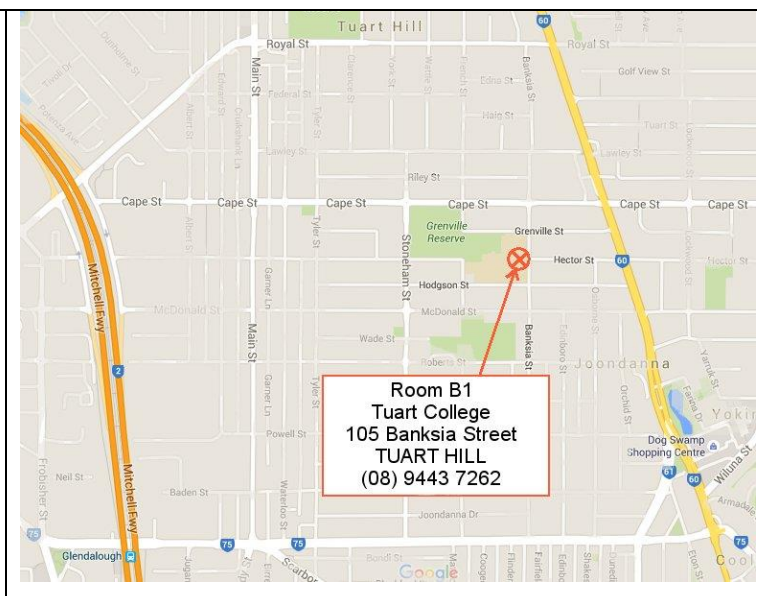
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<i>If you have a different "home address" during the school term, please complete the Term Address details below</i>				
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WASSEA members are automatically entitled to membership benefits provided by third parties such as (but not limited to) ShopRite and National Seniors Australia. In order for members to access benefits, WASSEA may need to disclose member contact details to these organisations. **If you DO NOT wish to access these additional benefits, tick here.**

### Payment Methods

<input type="checkbox"/> <b>EFT</b> BSB / account <b>016 002 / 3497 90973</b> . Reference " <b>memsub and your DoE number</b> "	\$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Cheque Please make cheques payable to WASSEA	
<b>CREDIT CARD</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Mastercard <input type="checkbox"/> Visa	\$ _____
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Card number	Expiry date
Signature	Date

<b>DIRECT DEBIT</b> from salary. <b>(Ordinary members only)</b> Staffing Branch: I authorise the deduction of 0.8% (or the percentage determined at an AGM or Special General Meeting) of my gross base fortnightly salary and the remittance of this amount on my behalf to the Treasurer of the Western Australian Secondary School Executives Association. This authority supersedes any previously issued authority and may be cancelled at any time on written instructions from me.	ID number		
	First name		
	Middle name		
	Last name		
Applicant signature	Date	Witness signature	Date

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# WA Secondary School Executives Association (Inc.)

## Salaries and Annual Membership Subscriptions for all Ordinary Members. (from Dec 2016)

0.8 % of Gross Base Salary

(2014 Agreement stage 3)

Level and Step	Current Salary	1 Payment	2 Payments	Fortnightly Deductions
3.1	\$ 114,626	\$ 917.01	\$ 458.50	\$ 35.16
3.2	\$ 119,257	\$ 954.06	\$ 477.03	\$ 36.58
3.3	\$ 122,489	\$ 979.91	\$ 489.96	\$ 37.57
3.4	\$ 125,810	\$ 1,006.48	\$ 503.24	\$ 38.59
4.1	\$ 129,513	\$ 1,036.10	\$ 518.05	\$ 39.72
4.2	\$ 132,899	\$ 1,063.19	\$ 531.60	\$ 40.76
4.3	\$ 136,289	\$ 1,090.31	\$ 545.16	\$ 41.80
4.4	\$ 137,996	\$ 1,103.97	\$ 551.98	\$ 42.32
5.1	\$ 141,125	\$ 1,129.00	\$ 564.50	\$ 43.28
5.1A	\$ 142,778	\$ 1,142.22	\$ 571.11	\$ 43.79
5.2	\$ 145,768	\$ 1,166.14	\$ 583.07	\$ 44.71
5.3	\$ 150,422	\$ 1,203.38	\$ 601.69	\$ 46.14
5.4	\$ 152,128	\$ 1,217.02	\$ 608.51	\$ 46.66
6.1	\$ 158,188	\$ 1,265.50	\$ 632.75	\$ 48.52
6.2	\$ 163,291	\$ 1,306.33	\$ 653.16	\$ 50.08
6.3	\$ 167,485	\$ 1,339.88	\$ 669.94	\$ 51.37
6.4	\$ 169,192	\$ 1,353.54	\$ 676.77	\$ 51.89

### Notes.

The salaries and subscriptions listed are those applying from December 2016 until the new agreement commences in 2017.

All new members must be approved by the Management Committee, usually at the next Committee meeting. Membership benefits commence after approval, except for Ordinary members whose legal cover and travel benefits have an 8 week qualifying period. Members who change their membership type do not need Committee ratification. However, for a change to Ordinary status, the 8 week qualifying period for legal cover and travel benefits will commence from the date of application to change status.

Pay dates for 2017 are :-

January 12 and 26

July 13 and 27

February 9 and 23

August 10 and 24

March 9 and 23

September 7 and 21

April 6 and 20

October 5 and 19

May 4 and 18

November 2, 16 and 30

June 1, 15 and 29

December 14 and 28

All members have the option to pay their fees by credit card or Electronic Funds Transfer. In addition Ordinary members have the option to pay by direct deduction from their salary. This option is the preferred method of payment and often cheaper for members as it takes into account a pro-rata payment option. The WASSEA membership year is from May to April.