
VICTORIAN HOME EDUCATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Meeting 8: 8 November 2018

Communiqué

The eighth meeting of the Victorian Home Education Advisory Committee (VHEAC) was held in Melbourne on Thursday, 8 November 2018. Committee members discussed a range of issues relating to the implementation and operation of the regulatory changes to home education.

Implementation

- The Victorian Registration and Qualifications Authority (VRQA) provided an update on the third quarter data on home schooling registration applications since the commencement of the new Regulations in January 2018.
- The VRQA also provided an update on the reviews of home schooling registrations which commenced in April 2018.
- The VRQA presented a paper on the first year of the home schooling regulatory changes from an operational perspective. The paper noted the VHEAC's role in the achievements of some outcomes.

Other business

- The Department of Education and Training presented on the Skills First reforms and Free TAFE education initiative and acknowledged receipt of the Home Education Network's (HEN) Skills First evaluation submission.
- HEN presented the results of their 2018 Alumni Survey.
- The committee agreed to meet on 30 April and 25 June 2019.

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