

## **Date Claimer & Call for Presenters**

ETAQ plans to conduct a professional learning activity for English teachers as outlined below. Submissions are called from people willing to share their professional work with participants via presentations/workshops.

Date	Saturday 17 August 2024
Venue	Lourdes Hill College, 86 Hawthorne Road, Hawthorne
Theme	Journeys of Joy, and Justice
Elaboration	The focus of this year's conference is "Journeys of Joy and Justice" and we are inviting proposals that explore opportunities for engaging, equitable and joyful learning in English classrooms. We aim to provide a platform for teachers to share, discuss and ignite inspiration within the endlessly changing landscape of English curriculum and learning. The conference will focus on how texts, teachers and learning experiences can bring both joy and justice to all students, every day.  Some of the topics we are interested in exploring include:  using technology, including Artificial Intelligence to enhance the English classroom experience; developing culturally responsive teaching practices in English; promoting literacy and critical thinking skills; incorporating creativity into the curriculum; and fostering a love of reading in a technological world.  If you have another workshop proposal which you think fits the theme of Journeys of Joy
	and Justice, we encourage you to submit it.
Format	Two keynote addresses plus a suite of supporting workshops in three fifty-five-minute sessions.
Convenors	Candice Green <a href="mailto:cag@nudgee.qld.edu.au">cag@nudgee.qld.edu.au</a> , Kelly Whiteway <a href="mailto:kellylwhiteway@gmail.com">kellylwhiteway@gmail.com</a> and Carley Elliott <a href="mailto:celliott@ipswichgrammar.com">celliott@ipswichgrammar.com</a>
Submission requirements	The following information is required to be submitted:  1. a session title;  2. an abstract outlining the workshop/paper (max 250 words);  3. brief biographical details (max 100 words);  4. whether presenters are prepared to repeat a workshop or presentation;  5. whether presenters are prepared to have their workshop recorded and share a copy of their presentation documents.
Due date	Submissions for workshops are due by <b>Saturday 25 May, 2024</b> .  Submit your proposal at <a href="https://www.etaq.org.au/state-conference-workshop-proposal.html">https://www.etaq.org.au/state-conference-workshop-proposal.html</a>