

AEU/IEU 2022 Student teacher conference

Diversify your teaching practice! Friday 1 July, 10:00am to 5:30pm

Your Union is a place for everybody! Union business is not only about you as a worker but also about what you bring as a unique individual - diversity is our strength. You are the union and the union movement does not leave anyone behind. It is the community you can turn to throughout your career for support as a worker and educator, and draw strength from to have your voice heard.

Our Conference keynote speakers, Dr Al Fricker and Belinda Webb, will provide you with evidence-based practical teaching strategies tailored to a diverse range of students. Our panelists, stallholders and comrades will share their commitment to taking action on diverse union issues, helping you on your way to becoming a well-rounded educator. Let's reconnect again and build our community!

Keynote speaker: Al Fricker

We are excited to welcome back AI Fricker to this conference space. His session will focus on how to decolonise your classroom, including practical strategies of how to incorporate this into your toolkit of diversity.

Within Australian classrooms, there are a range of students from diverse backgrounds and with diverse learning needs. As educators, we must be aware of the diversity in our classrooms and constantly develop our skills to ensure that every student has their learning and wellbeing needs met so that they can reach their full potential.

This presentation explores how decolonising the classroom and incorporating First Nations contexts can contribute to supporting the outcomes of all students. It provides a practical approach that can begin to overcome colonisation, embrace and celebrate diversity, and ensure success for all.

\$25 for union members and \$50 for non-members. If you're not already a member, you can join both the Australian Education Union (AEU) and the Independent Education Union (IEU) for FREE.

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Keynote speaker: Belinda Webb

Belinda Webb is an Education Support Specialist at Covenant College, currently working to support families and teachers working with students with disabilities or additional needs. Belinda is a trained Special Education Teacher and has held roles as a Behaviour Coach and Behaviour Consultant.

This presentation will provide practical strategies to develop your skills in working with students with diverse learning needs and/or learning disabilities, with a particular focus on ASD and ADHD.

Q&A Panel: 'Voices of the union -How to get active'

This panel is made up of a broad range of activists who are connected to core union values through their work. Their methods of activism within the education space help build the world that they want to see. This is your opportunity to hear their strong voices on union-wide issues, and learn how to best empower unique perspectives as a future educator.

We've got a massive day planned with Networking + Music + Stalls + Nibbles + Raffles prizes









