Initial Teacher Education Quality Assurance Oversight Board

17 April 2025

Communiqué

Board members met virtually on 17 April 2025.

Members continued to discuss the Board's work overseeing the quality, consistency and outcomes of Initial Teacher Education (ITE) programs. Members were provided with an update on implementation of the <u>2024-25 workplan</u> for the following priorities:

Monitoring implementation of core content into ITE courses

- *Core content methodology.* The Australian Education Research Organisation (AERO) presented the Board with an approach for undertaking the quality assurance of core content in ITE programs. The Board acknowledged the methodology presented and discussed the next steps for considering this work.
- Information sharing. The Board considered an approach, key principles and next steps for information sharing requests to higher education providers to provide the information needed to undertake core content quality assurance. The Board acknowledged the role of Teacher Regulatory Authorities in this process and noted the importance of working closely together to ensure efficient and effective information flow.

The Board is next scheduled to meet in mid-2025.

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