

## **New**

### **Special examination arrangements assessors 2012 – expressions of interest**

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The Curriculum Council is seeking expressions of interest from suitably qualified and experienced persons to assist with the assessment of special examination arrangement applications for the 2012 WACE examinations. Applications to be assessed will relate to candidates within the specific learning disability, psychological or ADD/ADHD categories.

Assessors will work in pairs with a psychologist and a person with whole of school management experience. Work will be outside of business hours on a contract basis, with payment per application. As highly sensitive information will be accessed during the assessment process, all assessors will be expected to sign a confidentiality declaration.

Assessing applications will present an excellent opportunity for valuable professional development related to assessment of candidates with disabilities. The role is also ideally suited to recently retired senior school administrators, or those on leave.

Interested school counsellors or educational psychologists should have experience assessing and diagnosing senior students with learning disabilities using current, relevant diagnostic tools.

Interested school representatives should have experience working with senior students with learning disabilities in the school environment. Ideally, applicants will have whole-of-school management experience.

Training, to be provided before the start of the assessment period, is expected to occur in mid-May 2010. Training will be conducted after business hours.

Most assessments of special examination arrangement applications will be completed within a tight timeframe in late May and June 2012. Assessors should be available between mid-May and the end of June, with the possibility of some work continuing into August.

This is not a formal selection process. Expression of interest does not guarantee appointment. Applicants will be advised in Term 2 if their services will be required. Assessors from previous years are encouraged to reapply for 2012.

Expressions of interest should be made on the prescribed form (available in Appendices) to be returned to the Council no later than Friday 16 March 2012.



## Special examination arrangements assessors 2012 Expressions of interest

I am interested in being an assessor for special examination arrangement applications from candidates with disabilities in the 2012 WACE examinations.

### 1. Personal details:

Title: (please circle) Mr Mrs Miss Ms Dr Other .....

Surname: ..... Given names: .....

Current employer: .....

Position: .....

Number of years' experience with students with learning disabilities: .....

Tertiary qualifications: .....

Registration number (if applicable): .....

Please attach a supporting statement (no more than one page) outlining your experience of working with senior students with disabilities. (Previously employed assessors do not need to provide a statement unless there is new information to record.)

### 2. Contact details:

Work address		Home address	
Suburb	Postcode	Suburb	Postcode
Phone		Phone	
Fax		Mobile	
Email		Email	

### 3. Referee details:

(To verify your involvement with students with disabilities)

Name: .....

Position: ..... Phone number: .....

### 4. Return details:

Please return this completed form by Friday 16 March 2012 to:

Carolyn Hackett  
Examination coordinator (special provisions)  
Curriculum Council  
27 Walters Drive  
OSBORNE PARK WA 6017  
**OR** Facsimile: (08) 9273 6318

Note: Completion of this form does not guarantee selection as an assessor.