



The Coast Christian School

A ministry of The Coast Community Church
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Teacher's Application Form

Personal Information- please complete down to your signature by hand. The rest of the document may be typed or hand written.

Title..... Surname..... First name.....

Address.....Postcode.....

Telephone (.....)..... email.....

What is your general state of health?.....

Are there any physical problems that may affect your employment efficiency? Yes / No
If so, please explain.

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Christian Background

How long have you known Jesus Christ as Lord and Saviour?.....

Are you an active member of a local church? Yes / No

If so, which church and in what capacities do you serve?.....

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Minister's name..... Telephone (.....).....

Summary of Qualifications and Experience

QualificationsYears of training

Grades qualified to teach:

Last year of teaching or present employment

Do you have a teaching certificate/teaching registration? Yes / No

If Yes, awarded in (State) (Year)

Do you have accreditation by the NSW Institute of Teachers or other Teacher Accreditation Authority. Yes / No

If Yes, please state details for confirmation purposes.....

Type of Employment you Seek:

Short term [] Long term [] Part time [] Full time [] Casual []

Are you willing/able to become a member of the ministry team of The Coast Community Church?
Yes / No

Application

On the basis of the information provided in this form, I hereby apply for a teaching position at The Coast Christian School. I am in full agreement with the Confession of Faith as stated on the last page of this form.

Signature **Date**.....

As required by law, relevant Criminal History, Apprehended Violence Orders and prior employment checks, including relevant disciplinary proceedings, will be conducted on recommended applicants.

References

Please list people who can supply personal and/or professional references. Attach at least one current reference from each category, preferably your Minister and a recent Principal.

Personal			
Name	Address	Email	Phone

Professional			
Name	Address	Email	Phone

Christian Experience and Beliefs (If necessary use a separate sheet of paper)

What is your definition of a Christian? Give a brief account of your Christian conversion and experience.

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What are your views on the authority and historical accuracy of the Bible?

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How does the Bible and its teaching relate to your teaching?

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What are your thoughts on the theory of evolution and its relationship to what the Bible teaches?

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What do you believe is the unique function of a Christian school?

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What policies do you think a Christian school should have in relation to the following areas?

Discipline

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Homosexuality

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Church involvement

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Behavioural expectations

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What motivated you to seek a position in a Christian school?

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There are some areas where Christians differ: while the school does not demand uniformity in all areas, it is important that we know your position in those listed as follows:

The second coming of Christ:

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The development of faith in children:

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Miracles today:

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Spiritual gifts:

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Experience

Please list grades taught and years on each grade. Only list practicums if necessary.

<i>Calendar Year/s</i>	<i>Grade/s taught</i>	<i>Practicum/Part time/ Full time</i>	<i>School</i>

What other employment have you had over the last five years?

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Teaching Methods

What is your approach to teaching?

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What is your approach to discipline?

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How would you evaluate the effectiveness of your teaching and class control?

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How do you handle difficult children?

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Have you had experience in curriculum development? If so, please give details.

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Any further comments.

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With the Teacher's Application Form please feel free to include any supporting documentation. This is optional and may include:

- ◆ Curriculum Vitae
- ◆ Birth Certificate, or other identification: eg passport, Marriage Certificate etc
- ◆ Transcript of school 'exit' results
- ◆ Tertiary institution results, including degrees, diplomas or other professional qualifications
- ◆ Character and professional references
- ◆ Other references
- ◆ Details of other courses completed, including Bible College
- ◆ Any other certificates showing qualifications; eg first aid, cooking, life saving etc
- ◆ A photograph

The aims of Christian Community Schooling

The broad aims of Christian Community Schooling are:

- a) To provide an education of high academic standards that is based on:
 - i) an acceptance of the Lordship of Christ; and
 - ii) an acceptance of the bible as the revealed Word of God; as these are defined in the Confession of Faith of the Association/School.

- b) To provide an education that also:
 - i) fosters self-discipline in the learner while teaching him to accept the discipline of the Church which is the Body of Christ and to obey the laws of the Government,
 - ii) develops the individuality of the learner and stresses the function of the learner as a member of the Body of Christ, and of the Community,
 - iii) trains the learner in the moral and ethical standards of the Bible as interpreted in the teaching of the New Testament,
 - iv) develops the learner's creative and critical abilities, and
 - v) stresses co-operation rather than competition and fosters the development of the gifts, skills and abilities of the learner for the service for Jesus Christ in the body of Christ and the community.

Confession of Faith

The Confession of Faith of The Coast Christian School is as follows:

We believe:

- The Bible is God's Word, inspired by Holy Spirit and without error. It is our sole authority and binding in all matters of faith and conduct.
- There is one holy God, existing eternally Father, Son and Holy Spirit. He is the Creator of all things. Jesus Christ is the Son of God who became man through conception by the Holy Spirit and virgin birth and was without sin.
- The Holy Spirit convicts the world of guilt in regard to sin, righteousness and judgement.
- Satan is the originator of evil and through him sin was introduced into the world after the fall of Adam and Eve. Man is by nature and practice a sinful creature and is unable, by any personal merit or works, to meet the standards of God.
- In love, Jesus Christ voluntarily suffered the penalty of death by crucifixion for the sin of the whole world. He was buried and arose from among the dead on the third day. He is now seated at the right hand of God. By personal faith in Christ one can know the forgiveness of sins, be reconciled to God, become a member of God's family and receive eternal life. Those who do not accept Jesus Christ as Saviour will be separated from God eternally.
- Christ lives in every Christian's life by the Holy Spirit from the moment he is born again into God's family. The Holy Spirit guides, instructs and empowers the believer for godly living and service.
- The Lord Jesus Christ will return in person to receive all believers to himself and to set up his Kingdom. At that time all believers will be united with Him eternally. Then there will be a new heaven and a new earth in which God's sovereignty will be unchallenged.