



# TEACHER PD TEAM

South East Asia, 2018

We're gathering a team of qualified teachers to share their skills with teaching staff at a number of international Christian schools in South East Asia. It's your chance to gain an understanding of cross-cultural missions, experience an international school setting, and contribute valuable skills and knowledge to teaching peers.

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### What is the purpose of this team?

International Christian schools around the world are vital in enabling and supporting cross-cultural mission workers on the field. This team will provide professional input to the international and national teaching staff at a number of schools and also encourage and bless these staff. Many teaching staff serve long term at these schools and have limited opportunities to access professional development, training and best practice modeling.

This team will work in conjunction with the schools to develop a program according to the schools' identified needs. We will be seeking team members with specific skills based on each school's needs.

The team will spend 3-5 days in each school, and there will also be an opportunity to understand the larger cross-cultural missions context which these international schools are part of. You will also experience the culture, eat local food, haggle at markets and ride local transport.

Details of this team and participating schools are still being finalised but we encourage teachers interested in this team to provide an expression of interest so we can let you know details as they are confirmed.

### What countries/cities will be visited?

One or two countries in South East Asia (to be confirmed).

### What are the approximate dates of the trip?

Date is still to be confirmed. Likely 7-12 days in 2018 (coinciding with Queensland school holidays).

### What opportunities will team members have to share their giftings/passions/skills?

We are seeking team members who are qualified teachers currently or recently teaching in Australia. Team members should enjoy teaching and facilitating

training for professional peers, and have a heart to learn more about cross-cultural missions.

Team members will work together as a team and also individually or in small groups. They also need to be able to cope with the realities of life in a densely populated Asian country (pollution, bumpy roads, transport delays, changing itinerary).

### Maximum number of team members:

10 people

### Approximate financial commitment:

\$3,000—\$3,500 which includes flights, accommodation food, transport. Regular Gateway attenders are covered by our insurance. Vaccinations are extra.

### Time commitment for team preparation, prayer and debrief:

Further details will be provided once the team details are finalised. Team members need to be available to meet together as a team in the months prior to departure and also individually prepare materials. The team will also have a debrief meeting after their return.

### Contact Caroline Berry (Gateway Mission Team Coordinator) for more info or register your interest in this team:

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