

QSITE for Early and Middle Years Educators



educators of today, creating tomorrow

QSITE is an important resource for all Early and Middle Years education professionals.

As a professional network and learning community for all Queensland educators, QSITE offers timely, personalised support for educators facing the daily challenge to embed Information Communication Technology (ICTs) into Queensland classrooms.

Why Early and Middle Years education professionals need QSITE

QSITE recognises that Early and Middle Years educators hold the key to a student's future attitudes and abilities and as such, Early and Middle Years educators face special responsibilities in preparing children for their place in an ICT-dominated society.

QSITE understands the unique needs Early and Middle Years school educators face with the pressure to integrate ICTs into classrooms for the benefits of their students' futures.

This is why QSITE extends its network of support to all Early and Middle Years education professionals - to help foster ICT skills and confidence through the support and understanding of other professionals who have faced the same hurdles.

Become a QSITE member today and put the QSITE network and learning communities to work ...for you, your students, your colleagues and your school.

Meet Gayleen Jackson, one of QSITE's Early and Middle Years educators



During her six years of membership, Gayleen has travelled the path from classroom teacher and school-based ICT curriculum and support, to Senior Education Officer, ICT & Middle Phase of Learning, for EQ's Curriculum Branch.

"When I first took the step to give ICT a go with my classes – QSITE was there to support and encourage me," Gayleen said.

"I attended QSITE Conferences and QSITE Professional Development and found I had access to a great network of support."

Gayleen has witnessed first-hand the new dimensions ICT integration gives education for individual students.

"Regardless of their academic ability, ICTs help put children on a level playing field," she said.

"Many students who are visual can communicate their ideas and messages using the exciting software now available to them, like movie making, cartooning and claymation.

"QSITE support brought these possibilities alive for me and my students."



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