

About AAMT

AAMT, founded in 1966, is a federation of eight associations, one from each Australian State and Territory. AAMT represents and supports over 4000 individual and institutional members—about 25 000 educators throughout Australia! AAMT is managed by a Council made up of representatives from each Affiliate, along with an elected President and Treasurer, and alternately a President Elect or Immediate Past President. The day-to-day affairs of the association are managed by an office staff based primarily in Adelaide.

Who is a member?

AAMT does not have direct membership. Anyone who is a member of their local State/Territory affiliated association is also a member of AAMT. Membership is open to individuals and pre-service teachers, as well as institutions (representing multiple people).

What is the difference between AAMT and my local association?

The focus and work of AAMT and the Affiliates is a perfect complement: your local association understands mathematics education matters that are relevant to your particular locale, and operates accordingly. AAMT operates nationally, often advocating at a Federal level. Information and feedback is communicated each way as the organisations work together for the benefit of mathematics education in schools.

More information

Information about AAMT and its activities—along with sample articles, policy documents, and more—can be found at www.aamt.edu.au or contact the AAMT office.

State/Territory affiliates

Canberra Mathematical Association (CMA)

www.canberramaths.org.au

Mathematical Association of New South Wales (MANSW)

www.mansw.nsw.edu.au

Mathematical Association of South Australia (MASA)

www.masa.on.net

Mathematical Association of Tasmania (MAT)

<http://mat.aamt.edu.au>

Mathematical Association of Victoria (MAV)

www.mav.vic.edu.au

Mathematical Association of Western Australia (MAWA)

www.mawainc.org.au

Mathematics Teachers Association of the Northern Territory (MTANT)

<http://mtant.wikispaces.com>

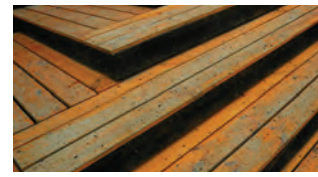
Queensland Association of Mathematics Teachers (QAMT)

www.qamt.org

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The Australian Association of Mathematics Teachers Inc.



As an individual teacher or school, going it alone can be tough.

Get professional support from a network of 25 000 fellow educators across Australia—giving you access to relevant and up-to-date information, resources, professional learning, and more!

Whether you are an early career or experienced teacher, urban or remote, teaching early years or tertiary, the Australian Association of Mathematics Teachers is there to support you.

The Australian Association of Mathematics Teachers (AAMT) is a federation of mathematics teacher organisations from all Australian States and Territories.

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What can your national association do for you?



Advocacy

AAMT acts as a united voice for mathematics educators throughout Australia. It promotes the benefits of mathematics education, and acts in the interest of teachers and better teacher education in order to achieve the best outcomes for students and a mathematically-enabled society.

Your opinions and expertise

AAMT seeks the opinions of members to shape formal submissions to governments and others. AAMT and its networks are also regularly involved in projects with governments, universities, or other groups. Through projects and regular AAMT activities, teachers are invited to contribute to producing materials, reviewing resources or papers, or help with the professional learning of others.

Networking online

A problem shared is a problem halved! The collective knowledge of mathematics educators from all over Australia (and overseas) is an incredible resource!

The *Connect with Maths* project (2013–16) has developed five online communities in key areas: *Early Years*, *Indigenous Students*, *Engaging All Students*, *Maths In Action* and *Digital Learning*.

The AAMT email discussion list has not run out of things to say since its inception in 1997! Join this list to discuss all things mathematical via email.

Go to: www.aamt.edu.au/Communities

Conferences

AAMT hosts its conference in a different State/Territory every two years. These events allow educators to network face-to-face with colleagues from all over the country and learn from a comprehensive program of keynote speakers, seminars and workshop presentations. The 2017 conference will be held in Canberra.

From time to time, AAMT also hosts special interest conferences which are 'think tanks' to focus on a particular issue in mathematics education.

Activities for students

AAMT is involved in a variety of activities for students, including *National Mathematics Talent Quest*. It also supports the *National Mathematics Summer School*, an enrichment program for mathematically talented Year 11 students.

Go to: www.aamt.edu.au/Student-activities

Resources

AAMT sells select quality books, DVDs, software and other resources which can be ordered directly from the AAMT office or via the AAMT website.

Go to: www.aamt.edu.au/Webshop

Professional learning

AAMT aims to encourage and assist educators—at all career levels—with their professional learning. It does this through preparing formal position papers about mathematics education and teaching standards, and also through producing comprehensive resources such as *Top Drawer Teachers* (<http://topdrawer.aamt.edu.au>) and *Make it Count* (<http://mic.aamt.edu.au>). AAMT's *Dimensions* portal is a growing source of high quality professional learning resources. The work of major AAMT initiatives including *reSolve: Mathematics by Inquiry* (a collaboration with the Australian Academy of Science) and the suite of five projects under the banner of the *Australian Mathematics and Science Partnership Programme*, and much more, will be made freely available to teachers and schools.

Professional reading

AAMT publishes three refereed journals: *Australian Primary Mathematics Classroom* (APMC, quarterly), *Australian Mathematics Teacher* (AMT, quarterly), and the *Australian Senior Mathematics Journal* (ASMJ, biannually). There is a journal appropriate to your teaching that will keep you up to date with the latest research and classroom ideas.

Go to: www.aamt.edu.au/Journals

Keep you informed

AAMT posts four hard-copy newsletters to all members annually. It also emails electronic news updates fortnightly, and regularly posts information and items of interest to Facebook and Twitter.

Go to: www.aamt.edu.au/News

