**A Fresh Start: Improving the preparation and quality of teachers for Queensland schools**

**What is A FreshStart initiative?**

*A Fresh Start: Improving the preparation and quality of teachers for Queensland schools* aims to improve the preparation and quality of teachers for all Queensland schools addressing issues across the areas of:

- teacher supply
- initial teacher education
- supervision, mentoring and induction.

Key initiatives for all school sectors include:

- Common Professional Experience Reporting Framework
- Final Professional Experience Recommendations
- Professional Development Reflection Form
- Professional Experience Checklist
- Professional Experience Glossary Of Terms
- Queensland School System Expectations for Graduate Teachers Fact Sheet.

More information on each of the key initiatives, including tools and resources are now publicly available. A cross sector Teacher Quality Reference Group is guiding development and implementation of the initiatives.

**What does the A Fresh Start initiative mean for Catholic education?**

The Catholic sector will have input through the Teacher Quality Reference Group which will act as a forum for discussion, including reporting on the development and progression of initiatives.

**Links**

For more information visit: [A Fresh Start: Improving the preparation and quality of teachers for Queensland schools](http://www.qcec.catholic.edu.au)