



Media release

Legislative Council Legal and Social Issues Committee

State education inquiry heads to Bendigo and Shepparton

The parliamentary committee assessing the state education system travels to central and northern Victoria next week.

Legislative Council Legal and Social Issues Committee MPs will be in Bendigo on Tuesday April 16 and Shepparton on Wednesday April 17 for public hearings.

You can attend the public gallery or [watch the live broadcast](#) each day from 9 am.

“After hearing from students, teachers, principals and other professionals in Gippsland last month, we look forward to gaining further valuable insights from teachers and educators across north central Victoria,” Committee Chair Trung Luu said.

“We have many local witnesses lined up and representatives of the Commission for Children and Young People will be appearing at our hearing in Shepparton.”

The Committee is examining the teaching profession in Victorian state schools and how new technologies could be used to ease administrative burdens on teachers.

It is also exploring ways to recruit and retain teachers and support them throughout their careers.

Student wellbeing and learning outcomes from grades prep to year 12 are also a key focus.

Next week’s full hearing schedules and locations are published on the Committee’s [website](#).

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