

 Forum

Queensland DRANZSEN

When

Wednesday 5 June 2019
09:00am-3:30pm

Where

QFES Emergency
Services Complex
Kedron, QLD

Cost

FREE
Includes catering

RSVP

Friday 31 May
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Event overview:

The Disaster Resilient Australia New Zealand School Education Network (DRANZSEN) consists of representatives from education and emergency services, NGOs, universities, local government and community groups. Participants at this event will explore effective models of disaster resilience education (DRE) to reduce risk and strengthen communities, through student participation and partnership for learning.

The Queensland DRANZSEN Forum will explore:

- climate change impacts on natural hazards in Queensland
- engaging with schools for effective learning partnerships
- local programs and resources for disaster resilience education
- experiences and perspectives of children in emergencies and disasters.

Who should attend?

- School leadership teams and staff interested in STEM partnerships to reduce risk and build resilience in their local community.
- Emergency service representatives involved in youth and community education who want to share practice and collaborate with others.
- Representatives from the Department of Education, Catholic Education, and the independent schools sector.
- Subject-specific teacher associations, other agencies and affiliated organisations.

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Disaster Resilience Education

To develop safe and resilient communities, young learners need to understand the nature of hazards and risk in their local environment and their role in reducing exposure and vulnerability to harm. DRE equips young Australians with the skills and opportunities to take protective action before, during and after an emergency or disaster.

AIDR Education for Young People Program

The Education for Young People Program supports the implementation of initiatives which empower young people to participate as active members of communities, working in partnership for a sustainable, resilient future.

The Disaster Resilience Australia New Zealand Schools Education Network (DRANZSEN) seeks to:

- communicate a shared understanding of DRE connected to international frameworks and relevant to an Australian context
- build the capacity of teachers and other educators to deliver effective and sustainable DRE to young people, informed by contemporary research and aligned with the Australian Curriculum
- provide a forum for schools, emergency management agencies and community organisations in the network to share knowledge, good practice and strategic objectives related to DRE
- facilitate networking and collaboration between stakeholders in the design and delivery of new DRE initiatives.

"For a resilient nation, all members of the community need to understand their role in minimising the impacts of disasters, and hence the relevant knowledge, skills and abilities to take appropriate action".

National Strategy for Disaster Resilience,
COAG 2011

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9:00 AM	Registration
9:30 AM	Welcome, acknowledgment of country , and opening remarks <i>Brigid Little, Australian Institute for Disaster Resilience</i>
9:45 AM	Extreme weather events and the Future Climate dashboard <i>Matt Chesnais, Queensland Fire & Emergency Services (QFES)</i>
10:15 AM	Impacts of recent hazard events on Queensland school communities <i>Jenene Rosser, Independent Schools Queensland</i>
10:45 AM	Morning tea
11:15 AM	Learning partnerships: preconditions for successful engagement with schools <i>Terry Gallagher, Queensland Department of Education</i>
11:30 AM	Local risk, local action: sustainability, geography and virtual education for primary and secondary students in North Queensland <i>Jodie Williams and Dylan Furnell, Townsville City Council</i>
12:10 PM	Birdie's Tree: disaster recovery resources for early childhood <i>Anita Nepean Hutchison, Children's Health Queensland</i>
12:30 PM	Tour of Disaster Centre SOC
1:15 PM	Lunch
2:00 PM	Queensland youth survey: student voice and priorities in education <i>Bonni Guilfoyle and Tracy Fogarty, Queensland Family and Child Commission</i>
2:30 PM	An evaluation of emergency preparedness in young people and child-friendly spaces <i>Justin Elstob and Peta Nichol, Save the Children</i>
3:00 PM	Network updates
3:15 PM	Closing remarks, evaluation and feedback