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'The VPA has significantly broadened my network of colleagues, depth of knowledge and appreciation of its ongoing advocacy for Principal Class.'

*Dale Power, Principal,
Miners Rest Primary School*

'The VPA provides the opportunity to expand professional networks and increase awareness of current trends and developments in education. I would encourage all Principal Class Officers (and in particular Assistant Principals) to join the VPA as the effect of a collection of people is far greater than just one person.'

*Joanne Menzel, Assistant Principal,
Kennington Primary School*

'The VPA provides independent, timely advice and support on some of the difficult day to day problems which arise for Principals. It is a great organisation to be a part of as it deals solely with the issues of the Principal Class.'

*Bryan Nolan, Principal,
Oak Park Primary School*

'The VPA is important to me as a Principal Class member as it provides a strong avenue for advocating and influencing department policy and decision making. Said simply it allows our voice to be heard. With the continuous changes that have occurred in education, it is extremely important that we belong to an organisation like the VPA that provides expert and knowledgeable support and advice and continuously advocates on our behalf.'

*Anne-Maree Kliman, Principal,
St Albans East Primary School*

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Victorian Principals Association

Principals supporting Principals

Our Mission: Outstanding Leaders World Class Schools

With members across all regional and metro areas of Victoria, the Victorian Principals Association (VPA) represents Principal Class in Victorian government primary schools.

The VPA offers immediate support, networking with peers, representation at state and federal levels, professional learning and access to the most recent news and information affecting the education sector.

Professional Services and Support

Information and Advice

Our VPA Member Advisors, experienced former Principals, provide confidential information and support when you need it and can assist you with Work Safe, Merit Protection Board and Equal Opportunity Commission preparation.

Online Communication

Members receive the weekly VPA eletter with the latest education news to keep you up-to-date on the information and issues that matter. The VPA website, and our online Facebook, Twitter and LinkedIn communities connect and support you in your leadership role.

Collegiate Networking

The VPA provides opportunities to attend regular regional meetings and events such as the VPA Annual Conference and Statewide Forum.

Professional Advocacy

A Strong and Respected Voice

The VPA represents members' views and issues to government and the media at state level.

National Representation

As a VPA member you are represented at federal level by both the Australian Primary Principals Association (APPA) and the Australian Government Primary Principals Association (AGPPA).

Professional Learning

Professional Learning Workshops

VPA subsidised professional learning programs encompass the many aspects of school leadership, including:

- The highly regarded Principals as Literacy Leaders (PALL) program
- Workshops on workforce planning, financial management, conflict resolution, performance management and wellbeing.
- Programs for aspiring leaders
- The VPA Annual Conference provides an outstanding two day program of renowned speakers with many opportunities to share ideas and best practice with colleagues.

School Tours

VPA Study Awards available annually

International Study Trip Programs