



Technology Education New Zealand
National Council

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TENZ Draft Goals 2010-12

Rationale

Technology Education New Zealand (TENZ) is a professional network which actively promotes and supports Technology Education throughout New Zealand.

Its aims are to:

- foster the development of Technology in the New Zealand Curriculum
- develop and maintain national and international links between those working in Technology Education and with the wider technological community
- support professional, curriculum, and resource development in Technology Education
- encourage and support research in Technology Education
- organise a national biennial Technology Education conference.

Goals

TENZ will

1. promote technology education in the wider education community including :
 - a. Schools Y1-13
 - b. Careers /Tertiary
 - c. Economic community
 - d. Parent Community
2. increase its effectiveness
3. advocated for change at a political level
4. support promote and celebrate research in the field of technology education.

| Goal TENZ will.... | Strategies By..... | Indicators - How will we know it is achieved? | Who and by when |
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| <p>1: promote technology education in the wider education community including :</p> <p>a. Schools Y1-13</p> <p>b. Parent Community</p> <p>c. Careers/Tertiary</p> <p>d. Economic community</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> o Promote and educate senior management in schools about technology education by attending Principal's conferences and facilitating contact with Principals' Associations, (Area and Intermediate and Secondary schools) and subject Associations o Supporting regional Chairs to analyse membership o Developing a free Students TENZ Membership for students o Analysis of TENZ Website o Possible development of open ended question and answer forum | <p>Attendance at Principals' Conference Attendance at PPTA forum</p> <p>Regional Chair present at our face to face meeting their achievements</p> <p>Draft Student membership guidelines identified</p> <p>Consultation within TENZ Council Membership action formalised</p> | <p>Initial contact through Wendy and delegation after that.</p> <p>Paul: Waikato/BOP</p> <p>Paul and Warrick</p> <p>Trish</p> <p>Trish and Paul</p> |
| <p>2: Increase the effectiveness of TENZ</p> | <p>2011</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> o Construct a programme for regions to deliver offering clear and concise information on the alignment of achievement and assessment standards o Identify and profile teachers who are using technology as an authentic vehicle for numeracy and literacy at all levels o Develop Web-based email flyer and articles for t News to advertise TENZ benefits and PD in regions o TENZ Banner , and business cards TENZ Badges o Review t News | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> o Increased membership o Profiled teachers on the TENZ Website and t News o Flyer and t News articles o Banner, badges and business cards (Vista Print) o Updated t News | <p>Gary and Wendy</p> <p>All access teachers and Glynn</p> <p>Sue and Glynn</p> <p>Paul</p> <p>Glynn, Sue and Tricia</p> |

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| 3: Advocated for change at a political level | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ reactivate TENZ Trust Board to include powerful political allies. ○ Invite MOE (and other agencies) personnel to liaise at meetings in Wgtn ○ Increase dialogue with agencies such as: ITO (Industry Training Organisations), Ministry of Education Universities (Engineering, Colleges of Education, Technology faculties) Polytechnics NZQA Trade Academies ○ Stronger links with national and international technology education associations ○ responding to political statement and documents ○ responding to media articles when necessary ○ attendance at political launches | <p>Appointment</p> <p>Attendance Delegate to council members Higher profile, attendance at decision/policy meetings, presentations at conferences</p> <p>Joint publications, attendance at each other events in T-news eg ITEA dates</p> <p>Evidence in publications/media</p> <p>Evidence in publications/media</p> <p>Invitations from Press secretaries</p> | <p>Wendy ASAP</p> <p>Agenda TENZ Council Location and expertise specific</p> <p>TENZ Council who?</p> <p>Chair (people need to inform) Chair (people need to inform)</p> <p>Regions</p> |
| 4: Support, promote and celebrate research in technology education | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Develop a list of publications by New Zealand researchers with links to PDF files ○ Develop "Council Executive Summary" of recent relevant publications . review ○ provide articles in T-news about researcher members presenting research overseas | <p>List of publications on TENZ Site</p> <p>Personal reviews on TENZ with "What does this mean for teachers..." on the end</p> | <p>Gary</p> <p>All Council members to do one each year Sue NZIFST What's in it for teachers.</p> |