



Electoral education inquiry moves to Victoria

The Committee continues its inquiry into electoral education with a full day public hearing in Melbourne on Thursday 27 August. The Committee will hear from individuals and organisations including, students and teachers from University High, who are hosting the venue.

The Deputy Chair of the Committee, The Hon. Alan Griffin MP, commented that it is important that the Committee identifies opportunities to better coordinate programs and services to support teachers and students in the area of electoral education.

“Electoral education provides students with the skills and knowledge to cast an informed and formal vote. It is concerning to think students leave school without this basic, yet critical understanding”, Mr Griffin said.

Public hearing details:

Date: 27 August 2015

Time: 9.15am – 3 pm

Location: Gene Technology Access Centre,
The University High School,
77 Story St Parkville, Melbourne

The hearing will be broadcast live on the Parliament House [website](#).

Submissions to the committee for the inquiry remain open. Further public hearings will be scheduled and advertised in the near future at www.aph.gov.au/em

You can follow the inquiry on Instagram @Electoral_matters.

For information on the inquiry: contact the Secretariat on (02) 6277 2374, email em@aph.gov.au or visit the Committee website at <http://www.aph.gov.au/em>