

Why we exist

We believe that a fair, peaceful and sustainable world is possible and achievable—a world where it is recognised that:

- ✓ We are all one people together on this planet
- ✓ How we think and act has global impacts
- ✓ We all share a responsibility to improve our world
- ✓ We can make a difference if we work together
- ✓ Awareness of global issues is the key to making a difference

Global issues integral to social justice and human rights are:

- ✓ Meeting the basic needs and dignity of all
- ✓ Tolerance and respect between all peoples
- ✓ Peace and conflict resolution
- ✓ Environmental sustainability
- ✓ Fair trade
- ✓ Personal commitment to responsible living

We work with others who share our beliefs:

- ✓ Initiating projects and events to drive positive change
- ✓ Educating and empowering others to act
- ✓ Providing resources, information and office support to new groups and projects

You can help us to make a difference by becoming a member of the Centre or by making a financial donation.

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____

Email _____

Membership (per annum):

Select one of:

Concession \$10

Individual \$40

Family/household \$65

School under 300 students \$70

School over 300 students \$100

Small organisation (other than school) \$80

Organisation (other than school) \$150

Donation to library \$__

TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED \$__



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Tasmanian Centre for Global Learning

Empowering schools and the wider community to
take action for social justice, peace and a sustainable world future

Who we are

- ✓ A non-profit organisation established in 1985.
- ✓ An incorporated association run by members who share our vision.
- ✓ Independent of any political or religious group.
- ✓ Our Committee represents our members, including: Caritas Australia, United Nations Association of Australia (Tas), Australian Education Union, Oxfam Australia, Results Australia, Department of Education, teachers and returned overseas volunteers.
- ✓ Other members and supporters include: Anglicare Tasmania, Australian Volunteers International, World Vision, Women's International League for Peace & Freedom, Tasmanian Council of Churches, Tasmanian schools, teachers and individuals.
- ✓ We belong to: the Tasmanian Coalition for the Eradication of Poverty, the Hobart Peace Coalition and the Tasmanian Council of Social Service

What we do

Our primary focus is supporting Tasmanian teachers to implement key aspects of the state and national curricula, specifically those that relate to:

- ✓ **responsible citizenship**
- ✓ **global perspectives**
- ✓ **sustainability**
- ✓ **values**

We do this by providing:

Education Programs, including UNESCO's Decade of Education for Sustainable Development and the NCHRE Citizen of Humanity. Our current flagship program is ruMAD? (Are You Making A Difference?), a unique national education framework that helps students identify and act on issues important to them. Since 2005, over 10,000 Tasmanian students have participated in some aspect of ruMAD?

Websites: *A Fairer World* provides information and resources on current programs, events, global issues, taking action and "local heroes". *A Fairer World Youth* provides information specifically for young Tasmanians.

Networks: We are able to link schools, community groups and change-makers to raise awareness of local, national and global campaigns and events such as Human Rights Week, Make Poverty History and climate change action.

School Award for Human Rights Activities in Tasmania: Launched by the Centre in 2008, this award recognises school-based groups that have actively promoted human rights.

Curriculum materials & teaching resources: Our library of teaching resources has been built up over 24 years. We also work with others to develop curricula that supports education for a fairer world.

Training & mentoring: Our qualified, experienced staff work to inspire teachers in the classroom with training, ideas and resources.

News: Our Web Diary, e-news and Coming Events bulletins provide Tasmanians with a comprehensive update on social justice events.

Meeting space and office support for community groups and campaigners at International House in Battery Point.