



Thank you for your interest in becoming a member of the 26TEN Member Network. The 26TEN Network is all about working together to improve literacy and numeracy levels in Tasmania.

The 26TEN Network brings together business, community and government organisations to raise awareness and help Tasmanians improve their literacy skills. With nearly one in two Tasmanians having difficulty with everyday literacy and numeracy tasks, every contribution makes a difference.

As a member of 26TEN, you can develop a plan of action to promote 26TEN and to address your organisation's literacy needs and those of your clients. We have included a checklist to give you some ideas.

Please complete and return the application for membership and your action plan checklist so that you can join us in our campaign for improving adult literacy in Tasmania.

The 26TEN team is happy to answer any questions you have. Contact us on email@26ten.tas.gov.au or phone 61 65 55 15. For more information, visit our website on www.26ten.tas.gov.au.

Once again, thanks for your interest in joining us. We look forward to working with you.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Siobhan Gaskell', written in a cursive style.

Siobhan Gaskell
Convenor 26TEN Coalition

26TEN Network Application for Membership



Organisation Details

Name of organisation	Date	
Address		
Postal address		
Purpose of organisation		
Contact person	Name	
	Position	
	Phone	
	Email	
Contact person 2	Name	
	Position	
	Phone	
	Email	

<p>Organisation signatory to complete:</p> <p>I agree to the actions in our Action Plan (p.2).</p> <p>I agree to the conditions of membership.</p>	
Name	
Position	
Phone	
Email	
Signature	

Please tick actions your organisation will take over the next 12 months to support 26TEN's three goals. Choose actions most suitable for your organisation.

1. Promote adult literacy and numeracy by:

Displaying 26TEN posters and stocking 26TEN brochures

Holding a [Literacy Awareness Workshop](#) for staff / community

Providing an article for the 26TEN newsletter

Encouraging other organisations to join 26TEN

Promoting 26TEN at next industry / professional conference

Liking and sharing 26TEN's [Facebook posts](#)

Adding the 26TEN logo to email address blocks

Receiving and sharing 26TEN's News & Numbers newsletter with staff

Including 26TEN information in staff inductions

Other:

2. Support literacy skills by:

Training staff in how to have a [26TEN Chat](#)

Supporting individuals (staff / clients) to improve their literacy and numeracy skills

Supporting staff to become volunteer literacy tutors

Having a staff member complete the [Tutor Adult Literacy Learners TasTAFE course](#)

Explore applying for a [26TEN grant](#)

Other:

3. Communicate clearly by:

Using 26TEN's [Communicate Clearly Guide](#) as a reference when creating / editing documents

Asking customers / clients to provide feedback on your documents

Including plain English tips in your newsletter

Encouraging use of plain English at staff meetings

Including information about plain English in staff inductions

Hosting a 26TEN [Plain English Workshop](#)

Other: