



CONNECTING TEACHERS TO THE WORLD OF MATERIALS, MINERALS AND MINING

The Schools Affiliate Scheme has been running since 1999 and aims to:

- Provide support and resources which enrich the teaching of the materials, minerals and mining-related topics in the 11-19 curriculum.
- Provide teachers with the knowledge and understanding necessary to teach these areas of the curriculum with confidence and enthusiasm.
- Provide links to members, organisations and universities who can provide additional support.

These aims are fulfilled by providing members with the following:

SUPPORT MATERIALS

Members will receive a new resource each year of membership. These are designed to link in with the curriculum and help you bring the subject matter to life.

RESOURCE BOX

Members have access to a box containing a range of samples and artefacts, along with presentations, worksheets and handouts which will enhance the teaching of the materials aspects of the curriculum. Members may borrow a box for a maximum of one week.

NEWSLETTER

Members receive three copies of a Scheme-specific newsletter three times a year. The publication is designed to keep members up to date with relevant information about courses for students and teachers, resources, competitions, resource box and visit availability and technical articles.

CONFERENCES FOR TEACHERS

The Institute runs conferences specifically for teachers on relevant areas of the curriculum. These whole day events are designed to boost your knowledge and understanding of a range of topics and give you ideas for classroom activities. These events are free for any teacher from a member school to attend.

MEMBERS-ONLY WEBSITE

Members are issued with a PIN to access the member's area of the SAS website which contains back issues of newsletters and resources, presentations, ideas for activities, conference proceedings, a list of speakers and a discussion forum.

INSTITUTE PUBLICATIONS

Every month members receive our journal Materials World, which features articles on research at the forefront of technology. Members also have on-line access to other Institute magazines and journals.

MATERIALS INFORMATION SERVICE

Members have access to our Materials Information service which provides comprehensive technical advice relating to materials, minerals and mining.

LOCAL SOCIETIES

The Institute has around 60 local societies around the UK. Members are invited to attend their open lecture programme where you can meet members from local industry and expand your knowledge.

SCHOOL VISIT

Members have the optional extra of a visit to school to give up to two presentations to pupils and teachers. A limited number of visits are available and an extra charge is payable for this resource.



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APPLICATION FORM

MEMBERSHIP OF THE SCHEME OFFERS GREAT VALUE FOR MONEY AT ONLY £30 PER YEAR!

The Schools Affiliate Scheme has an annual membership fee of £30. Membership is valid for a full twelve months from the date of application.

The optional extra of a school visit will incur an additional charge of up to £200. Three options are available:

1. One session of up to an hour and a half for £150.
2. Two sessions of up to an hour and a half each for £200.
3. You may wish to share the visit day with a neighbouring school(s) in order to share the cost. In this case you will be responsible for making the arrangements with the other school and recruiting this school to the Scheme if they are not members already.

For more information about the Schools Affiliate Scheme please contact Dr Diane Aston by emailing diane.aston@iom3.org.

Please return your completed form with payment to:

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SCHOOL DETAILS

SCHOOL _____

ADDRESS _____

POSTCODE _____

EMAIL _____

TEL _____

FAX _____

CONTACT TITLE FIRST NAME _____

SURNAME _____

DEPARTMENT _____

POSITION _____

PAYMENT METHOD

PURCHASE ORDER against which payment request should be issued

CHEQUE made payable to The Institute of Materials, Minerals and Mining

CREDIT CARD visa m/card Switch/maestro

CARD NO. _____

EXPIRY _____ SECURITY CODE _____

SIGNED _____ DATE _____

PLEASE TELL US HOW YOU FOUND OUT ABOUT THE SCHEME

DECLARATION

We would like to join the Institute of Materials, Minerals and Mining Schools Affiliate Scheme.

SIGNED _____ DATE _____