

# The Australian Women's Register

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**Entry type:** Organisation

**Entry ID:** AWE0506

## Temporary Teachers' Club

(1955 - 1960)

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**Born** 1 October, 1955, Melbourne Victoria Australia

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**Died** 31 December, 1960

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**Occupation** Social action organisation

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### Summary

The Temporary Teachers' Club was formed in October 1955 in response to pressure from the increasing numbers of qualified married women teachers who felt that marriage should not be a bar to permanent employment in the Victorian state teaching service. As a section of the Victorian Teachers' Union, it maintained pressure on that organisation to negotiate with the Victorian Government to legislate for the removal of the marriage bar. It could claim qualified success when appropriate legislation was passed in October 1956.

### Published resources

#### Thesis

Of secondary concern? Women in the Victorian Secondary teachers Association 1953-1995, Francis, Rosemary, 2000

#### Resource

Trove, National Library of Australia, 2009

### Archival resources

#### State Library of Victoria

[Records, 1954-1960. \[manuscript\].](#)

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