

What are the Child Protection Requirements for ITF Volunteers when visiting NSW Government Schools as invited guest speakers and are under teacher supervision at all times?

According to the email below (sent to the Director of Inspiring the Future Australia), they do not need to hold a WWCC clearance or complete the Appendix 5 (2017) Declaration. However, when they report to a school office, they will need to present proof of identity (such as a Driver's license) for eCPC screening to confirm that they are not a person banned from being in a NSW school.

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Good afternoon

Please find attached the link to frequently asked questions. If you have any questions or wish to clarify please contact the Probity Unit.

<https://education.nsw.gov.au/human-resources/probity/working-with-children-check/faqs>

Please find the relevant section as discussed below:

Other visitors and child related workers

1. Which visitors to the school do not need to have a Working with Children Check (WWCC) clearance?

Parents and close relatives of students attending the school do not need to hold a WWCC clearance or complete a WWCC Declaration before visiting the school, except those who come to school to work as a volunteer or contractor. Local Members of Parliament, city council officials **or guests invited by the school on special occasions (speakers at the school assembly) do not need to hold a WWCC clearance or complete the Appendix 5 (2017), as long as the person's contact with children will be supervised at all times.**

Regards

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