


Has your church recently held a recruitment campaign or has someone approached you to consider teaching SRE, but you aren't sure? Sometimes, we just need to come and see what something is about before we jump in, right?

The Baptist Association SRE team provides an opportunity for you to come and see what SRE all is about first. Below is a simple stepped out guide as to how you can observe some SRE lessons first.

CHECK	STEPS TO TAKE
	START A CONVERSATION
<input type="checkbox"/>	Organise with the SRE Coordinator in your church or your pastor to go and observe as many SRE lessons as you would like within a three-week period. Ask your SRE contact person/pastor in your church to contact our team requesting an Observer Letter.
	WORKING WITH CHILDREN CHECK
<input type="checkbox"/>	We will need your current WWCC number, date of birth, and contact phone number Your pastor or coordinator emails us the information so we can verify your WWCC number.
	CHILD PROTECTION REQUIREMENTS
<input type="checkbox"/>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Evidence Creating Safe Spaces is completed or underway, with at least the online module completed. Workshop section must be completed before full SRE authorisation is granted. Click here to access the online purchase page. You will be required to complete our Screening Questionnaire that includes the mandatory DoE criminal declaration. Initial Pastor acknowledgement they agree you are ok to enter a school for this purpose. A full pastor endorsement form is required as part of the application process. This form can be completed for the purpose of Come & See Observer.
	OBSERVER LETTER OFFERED
<input type="checkbox"/>	Once the SRE team has verified everything, an Observer Letter is emailed to you and your coordinator or pastor, and you can present the letter when you go to school/s. They may also ask for photo ID as well. There is no need to give your WWCC number to the school. The letter and ID should be all they need.
	NEXT STEPS
<input type="checkbox"/>	Once the observation period has been completed, you can continue to work towards either helper status or full teacher status. Your coordinator and our office can assist with the next steps. We have separate info sheets available for helpers & teachers. These can be found on our website or email us to send you PDF copies.

Please chat to your SRE church coordinator or pastor or get in touch with our SRE office for further details.

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