

# CHEC Objects and Purposes

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## Part 1 Who We Are

CHEC is a Christian support network for home-educators in the ACT and surrounding regions. As our name implies, our particular focus stems from the fact that we are believers in Jesus Christ, who approach all areas of life from a worldview that is shaped by the Bible.

## Part 2 Purpose

Believing that Jesus Christ is Lord, we are committed to raising our children in the nurture and admonition of the Lord. We will meet together to encourage and support each other in our endeavours to train our children successfully. We will honour the Lord Jesus Christ and acknowledge that, with the inspiration of the Holy Spirit, He will be our strength and wisdom as we seek to raise our children for His glory.

## Part 3 Aims

CHEC aims to carry out its purpose by:

- (1) Providing the opportunity for home-educating families to meet each other and form friendships that will facilitate mutual encouragement;
- (2) Holding discussion meetings where parents can meet together and discuss issues related to home education from a Christian perspective;
- (3) Arranging excursions, where children can learn about their local area and specific topics of interest;
- (4) Arranging other educational and social activities (such as sports, language classes, Toastmasters, picnics etc.) to supplement the teaching provided at home and enable parents and children to meet and interact with each other.

The group relies on volunteers from its membership to arrange all activities and services. Both mothers and fathers are encouraged to be involved when and wherever they can, both in the administration of the group and by participating in and organising activities.