

**APPLICATION**

Full Name:	Postal Address:
Current/Last School:	Email or Tel. No.:
MOE Number:	

Reasons for Applying (*i.e. brief account of the circumstances giving rise to this application*):

Current Financial Situation (*i.e. brief summary of the current situation regarding debts, living expense needs, etc.*):

Other Assistance Sought/Available (*e.g. family, welfare benefit, income protection insurance*):

Nature of Assistance Sought (*i.e. how the Association might assist financially immediately*):

This application is made by me personally: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

This application is made on my behalf by: Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Branch: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

This application is countersigned by an elected PPTA official/Field Officer.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Office Held: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

POST TO: The General Secretary  
 PPTA Membership Assistance  
 P O Box 2119, Wellington  
 OR EMAIL TO: cmcnicol@ppta.org.nz  
 OR BY FAX TO: 04 382 8763

## MEMBERSHIP ASSISTANCE FUND

- Assistance may be provided to members or recent former members who have an immediate financial need through no fault of their own, for example arising from:
  - Sickness of a member or a member's family.
  - Financial difficulties as a result of circumstances largely beyond the control of the applicant.
- Members are defined as full financial members of at least 12 months standing. Only in exceptional circumstances applications from members with less than 12 months membership may be considered.
- Recent former members are defined as those who ceased to be full financial members as above within the last 12 months.
- The assistance may be in the form of a grant or a loan of up to \$3,000.
- If a loan is approved, it will normally be for 2 years with fortnightly repayments. Commencement of repayments may be deferred in approved circumstances.
- Any loan approved will be interest free.
- Applications may be made in person by the member or former member concerned to be counter-signed by an elected PPTA official (e.g. Branch/Regional Officer, Executive, or Te Huarahi member) or Field Officer.
- Applications may also be made by an elected PPTA official (as above) on behalf of the member or former member.
- Members or former members may apply for assistance once only during their period of membership.
- All applications will be treated with strict confidence.
- Each application will be considered on its merits.