TeachConnect: A network of teachers

TeachConnect is a large scale collaboration involving pre-service science and mathematics teacher from all over Queensland (9 universities) and developed in collaboration with the Queensland College of Teachers, with expertise from scores of experienced teachers.

What is TeachConnect?

Technology: a platform for all devices
Access TeachConnect on mobiles, tablets and laptops for access anywhere, anytime.

Engagement: pre-service and in-service
Strategy for embedding TeachConnect into university programs and gaining broad involvement from in-service teachers at all levels

A design challenge
Through design-based research TeachConnect addresses the challenge of: how can we design the best possible online support for beginning teachers?

How does it help teachers?

Mentors
Teacher mentors and subject experts have joined the platform and participated in online and in-person seminars. Teachers engage with mentors through messages, chat and circles.

Community knowledge
The larger the network, the more expertise. In TeachConnect knowledge is re-used, growing every year as teachers build up a knowledge-base around all aspects of the profession.

Specialised knowledge
External sites and multi-media bringing teachers into subject-specific discussions

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