ORIENTATON CHECKLIST

Supply days

Get organised	
	Set iup a TRACER account to register your interest for supply/relief work.
	Read the TRACER welcome pack (PDF, 586KB) to assist you through the application process.
	Complete mandatory training including Mandatory All-Staff Training program, Student Protection and Curriculum Activity Risk Assessment. To access these online programs conatact the Learning Place on 1800 680 445 for a logon ID and password.
	Print out certificates of completion for the mandatory training programs and take them with you when working at a school.
	Review the schools websites where you have listed with TRACER to do supply/relief work.
	Notify and introduce yourself to schools in your area that you are available for supply/relief work, especially those who do not use TRACER to allocate relief staff.
	If on contract, ask about opportunities for further pre-commencement visits to familiarise yourself with the school environment, meet staff and potentially be involved in school planning processes. Having your 'first day' before your first day is a huge advantage.
Supply day – phone call	
	Determine the nature of your teaching duties. For example, year level/s, class size/s, timetable, subjects and work programs.
Supply day – at the school	
	If not already in the schools Supply/Relief folder, request a copy of the school map so that you can orientate yourself with the physical layout of the school.
	Locate the staff room and introduce yourself to staff members.
	If possible, access your classroom/s prior to commencement to set up the teaching space as appropriate. Check with one of the leadership team for details.
	Ask about any rostered playground duties or other responsibilities you have for the time your are working at the school
	Ask about end of lesson procedures (secondary e.g. locking doors, storing of equipment).



