

## **Partner Teacher Program**

# 1. Program Overview

The Partner Teacher Program allows qualified graduates to deliver Mind Body Education (MBE) courses **on-campus in their own locality**. Each Partner Teacher creates and manages their own local campus, which is recognised as part of MBE, while operating as an **independent contractor**.

Partner Teachers focus primarily on **teaching**, while MBE provides all **marketing**, **administration**, **enrolments**, **and payment management**.

# 2. Role and Responsibilities of Partner Teachers

- **Venue**: Partner Teachers are responsible for finding, booking, and paying for their teaching venue.
- **Teaching**: Deliver the course content and support students throughout their learning journey.
- **Student Needs**: Ensure students are cared for in relation to their learning and classroom experience.
- **Printing**: Print student course materials for each class (reimbursed by MBE upon invoice).
- Local Promotion: Circulate MBE-provided flyers in the local area to attract students.
- **Scheduling**: Provide venue locations and course dates at least **3 months in advance** so MBE can market effectively.
- Technology:
  - Maintain a Zoom account (self-funded) for team meetings.
  - Use the MBE-provided email address for student and organisational communication.
  - Have access to a computer for email and administration tasks.

# 3. What Mind Body Education Provides

- Marketing: All advertising and student enrolment marketing.
- **Administration**: Full management of enrolments, including issuing invoices, receipts, and payment plans.
- Materials: All program materials in printed form, suitable for on-campus delivery.
- Ongoing Support:
  - Weekly team meetings (via Zoom) for training, support, and peer connection.
  - o Initial teacher training via Zoom to build skills and confidence.

## Campus Security:

- o No other campus will be established within a **1.5-hour drive** of your campus.
- Ongoing marketing ensures waiting lists for future intakes, supporting longterm growth.

### 4. Contractual Commitments

- **Duration**: Partner Teachers must commit to teaching the full duration of the course once commenced.
- **Early Exit**: If a teacher leaves before course completion:
  - An early exit fee of \$500 per undelivered class with enrolled students applies.
  - o The Partner Teacher forfeits future payments from student fees.
  - Venue obligations cease immediately.

#### Conduct:

If three current students submit written complaints of unsuitable conduct,
MBE may end the contract without compensation or further payments.

#### Renewals:

- o Contracts are renewable annually.
- The Training and On-boarding Fee is a one-off payment (not required for future renewals).

### 5. Professional Requirements

- Must be a graduate of the course they intend to teach.
- Must hold professional insurance and IICT membership.
- Must have an ABN (Australian Business Number) If in Australia.
- Must pay the Training and On-boarding Fee of \$5,000 AUD + GST to join the program.

#### 6. Financial Structure

• **Revenue Share**: All enrolment fees are split **50/50** between MBE and the Partner Teacher.

# • Payments:

- Partner Teachers receive 50% of full enrolment fees (including GST) and 50% of instalments from payment plans.
- Payments are made weekly, once funds have cleared.
- o Printing costs are reimbursed within one week of invoicing MBE.
- Venue Costs: Paid directly by the Partner Teacher from their share of enrolments.

### 7. Enrolments and Class Sizes

• Minimum Numbers:

- o Partner Teachers may determine their own minimum numbers below 10.
- o Classes automatically commence when 10 or more students are enrolled.

### • Maximum Numbers:

- Each class is capped at 20 students to ensure quality delivery.
- Additional students may be placed on a waiting list or allocated to a new intake.

#### Student Guarantees:

- While MBE has a strong vested interest in filling classes, enrolment numbers cannot be guaranteed.
- MBE will continue advertising even once classes are full, ensuring future waiting lists.

# 8. Example of Potential Income

Average enrolment fees per course:

- Meditation Teacher Training (12 weeks) \$1,200 + GST
- **HICAT (6 months)** \$2,500 + GST
- Master Practitioner in Holistic Art Therapy (1 year) \$5,000 + GST
- Master Practitioner of Holistic Counselling (1.5 years) \$7,000 + GST (Fees are higher on payment plans.)

### Worked Example (HICAT):

- Run one class from January–June and a second from July–December.
- 15 students per class = 30 students per year.
- Student fee: \$2,500 + GST.
- Partner Teacher share: \$37,500 (50%).
- Venue cost (at \$300 per session × 40 weeks): \$12,000.
- Net income: approx. \$25,500 per year (min)for one class per week (≈ \$637 per class).
- Running two or three classes per week would double or triple this income.

# 9. Application and Availability

- Limited partnership agreements are available in each state.
- The program is **open now**, with Partner Teachers beginning classes in **Term 1, 2026**.
- Not all locations are available.

Apply here: https://form.jotform.com/252438223696059

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