

Memo #28

Date: February 9, 2017
To: Executive/Members
Re: **OAME Conference Opportunity**

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The Ontario Association for Mathematics Education (OAME) conference will be held on May 11-13, 2017 at St Lawrence College in Kingston, Ontario.

The Ministry of Education has provided limited funds to support OECTA classroom teachers to attend the 2016 conference. The Association will provide a subsidy for **one classroom teacher per bargaining unit to attend**.

Funding will be provided as follows:

- Release time: The release time allocated per unit will be based on the distance to the conference. The number of days will be sent in a separate email.
- Registration: \$330.00.
- Travel: Includes mileage, taxis, etc. The travel subsidy allocated per delegate is based on the distance between the **unit office and the conference location**. The maximum amount allocated to your delegates will be sent in a separate email.
- Meals: Maximum \$200.00.
- Hotel: Three nights, centrally assigned and based on shared accommodation.

Provincial funded delegate accommodation from bargaining units in the same board is on a **SHARED** basis for delegates of the same gender (maximum two per room).

**We ask that you please supply us with your delegate's name by February 17, 2017.
Conference workshops are filling up and hotel room availability is limited.**

Interested teachers are to use the Application to Attend a Conference/Workshop/Seminar Form. For those interested, this opportunity will be filled on a first-received basis. However, those that do not receive provincial funding, please know that they may qualify for up to \$500 through Elementary PD funding.

**If you have any concerns, please contact the Unit office at 705-733-9625 or 1 800 558 4815
Thank you for sharing this information with OECTA members.**