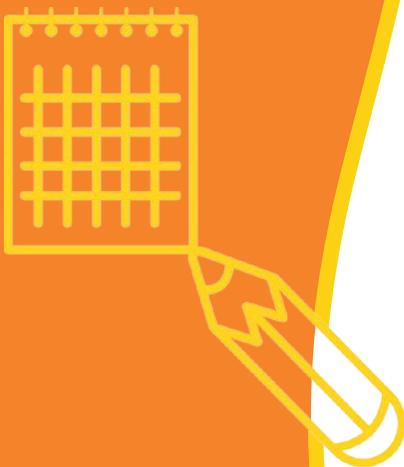


# Professional Learning Calendar

## Semester 1 2017

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### From Stalemate to Collaborate

28<sup>th</sup> February - St. Kilda

Understand the causes of conflict and your own conflict management style. Learn simple strategies to: Address conflict in your relationships and in your workplace; Turn a conflict into an opportunity to improve a relationship or identify an innovative solution; Manage emotions, practice assertiveness and work towards win-win outcomes.

### Creating Quality Individual Learning Plans

6<sup>th</sup> March - Mornington

Understand Learning Support Plans for funded students with additional needs, covering topics related to Educational Standards, inclusion, and the mechanics of developing the plans for students who require accommodations and modifications to the curriculum.

### Maximising Learning Using Coding and Makerspaces

6<sup>th</sup> March - Bundoora

Participate in a practical and interactive day of coding connected to purposeful learning experiences across different levels of the Victorian Curriculum to meet student needs at different levels of learning. Take coding and robotics to another level using Makerspaces.

### Addressing Difficult Behaviour in ASD, ADHD & Developmental Delays

9<sup>th</sup> March – Ballarat

Experience a recent overview of a multi-tiered approach for addressing and decreasing difficult behavior in the context of specific groups of students such as ASD, ADHD and other developmental delays using evidence-based practices.

### ADHD: Positive and Practical Solutions

10<sup>th</sup> March - Werribee

Experience a variety of adaptive and differentiated strategies supporting learners with ADHD to remain engaged with the curriculum, and to demonstrate their knowledge and skills.

### Transforming Behaviour Masterclass

Primary: 16<sup>th</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup> March  
Secondary: 23<sup>rd</sup> & 24<sup>th</sup> March  
Doncaster

Develop a greater understanding of behaviour and brain development. Learn evidence-driven and practical ways to respond to students with anxiety, self-harm behaviours, depression, ODD, trauma, social-conflict, diverse needs, and more. Combine a best-practice educational and psychological approach to your practice to support all learners to thrive.

### Inspiring Aspiring Leaders (3 Part Series)

25<sup>th</sup> March, 24<sup>th</sup> June & 16<sup>th</sup> September  
Werribee

A three-part series that allows you to explore and discover the core elements of leadership, learning and life success to transform your career through action based values. Implement change gradually and confidently, with maximum support and impact. This series is 100% recommended by previous participants who have transformed their leadership.

### Challenging Behaviours in Students with ASD, ADHD & LD

5<sup>th</sup> May - Werribee

As educators, we are challenged to understand the functional and communicative purpose of behaviours for students with ASD, ADHD & LD, and to teach more socially appropriate alternatives. This workshop will address how to do this within our schools.

### Students with Intellectual Disability: What We Need to Know and Do

18<sup>th</sup> May – St Kilda

Discover what an Intellectual Disability is, the paradigm of inclusion and how the Individual Learning Plan (ILP) can be the tool to demonstrate a standards-based curriculum. The activation of the ILP will also be discussed within the context of differentiation using a multi-element curriculum tool.

### Practical Solutions to Cyber Issues

24<sup>th</sup> May - St. Kilda

Discover effective strategies to implement when faced with challenging online circumstances. Understand the risk-taking behaviours of students at different developmental stages and how to minimise them. Learn how to effectively approach parental complaints and improve relationships.

### The Mindfulness Curriculum

25<sup>th</sup> May - Ballarat  
8<sup>th</sup> June - Bundoora

Utilise the powerful benefits of mindfulness by incorporating it into the curriculum and your teaching practice in primary, secondary and specialist classrooms. Learn how to empower students to attain sustainable strategies that will support them to learn self-regulation skills that they can use throughout their life. Develop a mindfulness toolkit and discover how to minimise behavioural challenges.

### Emotional & Psychological First Aid

30<sup>th</sup> May - Werribee

Explore the signs and symptoms of emotional and psychological distress and the knowledge and skills to respond in an empathic and supportive way.

### ASD Masterclass (Parts 1 & 2)

15<sup>th</sup> June – Doncaster

These half-day masterclasses can be taken individually, or booked together at a reduced rate.

#### Morning Session:

#### Executive Skills of Students with ASD

This Masterclass is suitable for classroom teachers from mainstream and specialist schools, co-ordinators in schools and learning support staff who are responsible for students in receipt of state funding.

#### Afternoon Session: Why Special Interests of Students with ASD are So Important

This half-day Masterclass addresses the topic on special interests, and the ethical debate around the management of them. Discover what inspires special interests, the necessity of them, when they become problematic, how to utilise them, and teaching “time and place”.

### The Art of Feedback: Raising Standards. Motivating Learners.

20<sup>th</sup> June - Doncaster

Explore practical research-based strategies to improve teacher feedback and multimodal approaches to support diverse learners in a range of learning contexts. Understand the true ‘Art’ of feedback that creates the impact needed to motivate all learners to succeed.

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# Professional Learning Services



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## In-house Workshops

We provide quality professional learning opportunities that are directly related to school needs. We facilitate these in schools or at our Education Studios if schools prefer a change of venue. Workshops are hands-on, engaging, practical and relevant.

## Consultancy

Our Consultancy services allow schools to successfully develop their culture. Having an external specialist working with educators and schools allows greater opportunities for new insights, expertise and awareness of possibilities that may not have even been considered when faced with challenges, future planning and meeting essential educational needs.

## Presentations

Sometimes all your school might need is an inspirational presentation that will recharge your staff to achieve greatness. It could be to motivate them to reflect on their practices, their wellbeing and/or their leadership.

## Professional Coaching

We have expertise in Professional Coaching that allows individuals and small teams to reflect, rethink, recharge, act and achieve their professional and personal goals. It motivates and inspires educators to discover their value, their skills and their potential. Apart from their educational needs, we also have additional wellbeing skills to offer through EFT (Emotional Freedom Techniques) and other wellbeing strategies that achieve life-changing results.

## Ready...Set...Learn – Innovation Meet

On the 7<sup>th</sup> December 2017, we are hosting the professional learning event of the year for Graduate, Preservice, Returning and Casual Relief Teachers. During this Innovation Meet, our new Edgrad Academy will be officially launched. Find out more on our website or Facebook.

### *Behaviourorium*



Discover practical strategies to support you to work more effectively with challenging behaviours. Uncover simple ways you can foster connection and learning to increase positive behaviours in the classroom and engage all students to thrive.



### *Empowerment Zone*

Step up and empower yourself as a teacher. Learn how to create a learning culture that fosters successful personalised learning. Discover effective assessment strategies, planning techniques and digital tools to drive progressive learning.



### *MakerPit*

Experience a combined innovative maker-space and hands-on learning sandpit to improve learning from the onset. Grow your classroom and young minds with limitless engaging possibilities that shape deeper learning across the curriculum.

## Our Services are expanding

For the past seven years we have provided professional learning services in different ways. Now we are boosting this even more. From now on you will only be able to register for our services directly with us so we can ensure quality service and support. This will also allow us to provide you with additional assistance with your professional learning needs. In 2017, our new website will allow you to access a wealth of resources and different modes of professional learning including webinars, courses and professional readings that are just-in-time for you. We look forward to sharing more with you soon. Join us on Facebook to find out when different services are available. We hope you continue to experience the difference we make in education and in the lives of young people.

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