

LANGUAGE LEADERSHIP SCHOOLS NETWORK 2020

COURSE OVERVIEW

The Language Leadership Schools Network (LLSN) is for language leaders who have previously been trained in the Language Leaderships Schools Series or Language Leadership Schools Network.

The course will further enhance participants' knowledge of oral language and the foundations of literacy instruction, Kindergarten to Year 2, and intervention approaches for students with language difficulties across the primary school years. It will also continue supporting participants to function as Language Leaders in their schools enabling them to build the capacity of other staff. The LLSN provides opportunities for networking and peer learning. Participants attending the course must work within either the North East Metro or Wheatbelt Education District.



COURSE STRUCTURE AND CONTENT

The course consists of:

- 4 Connection Days - full days of professional learning (minimum attendance at 3); &
- 3 additional professional learning opportunities for Key Leaders or other staff at their school, based on the school's identified needs.

CONNECTION DAYS

The Connection Days are comprehensive professional learning and networking days. These include updates on research and intervention program development as well as new content in relation to school age children with speech and language difficulties, oral language instruction, the oral foundations of literacy, child development and research. NEMLDC classroom and video observations will be included across the series and guest speakers, including current Key Leaders will be invited to speak.

ADDITIONAL PROFESSIONAL LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES

Enrolment in the LLSN entitles participants (or other staff members at their schools) access to 3 additional professional learning sessions across the year. Participants can select sessions from the NEMLDC PD Calendar, or in consultation with their school's Outreach Support Officer.

CONNECTION DAY DATES & TIMES

Term	Week	Date (2020)	Day
1	5	Friday 6 th March	Connection Day 1
2	6	Friday 5 th June	Connection Day 2
3	5	Friday 21 st August	Connection Day 3
4	5	Friday 13 th November	Connection Day 4

COST AND REGISTRATIONS

\$500

Participants will receive a professional learning file, with professional readings, program handouts and a comprehensive resource USB. Schools can register for the series by accessing the NE Mtr LDC PLIS calendar at the following link: <https://plis.det.wa.edu.au/?EventID=30163>

