

## Bump It Up strategy- Improving literacy and numeracy Tamworth Operational Directorate

A series of professional learning events has been developed to support schools in the implementation of reading and numeracy professional learning for the Bump It Up strategy. Participants can enrol in any or all of the events using the links provided to MyPL@edu.

Access to each session will be via Adobe Connect technology using:  
[https://connect.schools.nsw.edu.au/tamworth\\_curricteam/](https://connect.schools.nsw.edu.au/tamworth_curricteam/)

### Event 1

#### Improving literacy and numeracy- fractions, decimals, percentages, measurement.

This course is an introduction to focus areas identified in state wide NAPLAN data analysis. Key concepts within each of the areas will be addressed and activities and discussions will focus on strategies to improve pedagogy and student outcomes.

WHEN: Tuesday 15 November - 8:00 AM - 9:00 AM

HOW: Adobe connect technology

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### Event 2

#### Improving literacy and numeracy: using K-10 continuums aligned to curriculum.

This course examines the teaching of literacy and numeracy in the context of the NSW K-10 syllabuses for the Australian curriculum. Teachers will explore broad understanding of learning as a continuum, and the differing literacy requirements of syllabuses.

WHEN: Friday 18 November 8:00 AM - 9:00 AM

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### Event 3

#### Improving literacy and numeracy: consistent teacher judgement.

Participants will examine assessment best practices, refining teachers' skills in achieving consistent judgements for assessment including continuum placement.

WHEN: Monday 21 November 8:00 AM - 9:00 AM

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### Event 4

#### Improving literacy and numeracy- inferential comprehension.

This course provides opportunity for teachers to enhance their understanding of the explicit teaching of reading for meaning with an emphasis on how inferential comprehension is constructed and found in texts.

WHEN: Tuesday 22 November 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM

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### Event 5

#### **Improving literacy and numeracy: a whole school approach to teaching numeracy.**

This course introduces the Numeracy Skills Framework, exploring strategies and demonstrating numeracy teaching opportunities across the curriculum.

WHEN: Wednesday 23 November 8:00 AM - 9:00 AM

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### Event 6

#### **Improving literacy and numeracy: differentiation-a shared understanding.**

This course will introduce current research and a range of strategies to effectively differentiate instruction in reading and numeracy.

WHEN: Wednesday 23 November 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM

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### Event 7

#### **Improving literacy and numeracy: working mathematically-time to think.**

Participants will gain a deeper understanding of what working mathematically means within the context of the mathematics classroom and how strategies can be integrated to improve student outcomes in numeracy.

WHEN: Thursday 24 November 8:00 AM - 9:00 AM

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### Session 8

#### **Improving literacy and numeracy: quality teaching.**

This course will focus on quality teaching practices linking the NSW Quality Teaching Framework to the evidence described in the Australian Professional Standards for Teachers.

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### Event 9

#### **Improving literacy and numeracy: an introduction to effective observation and feedback models.**

Participants will be introduced to a variety of evidence-based observation and feedback models with a focus on how they can enhance collaborative practice and teaching pedagogy.

WHEN: Friday 25 November 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM

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### Event 10

#### **Improving literacy and numeracy: literacy in mathematics.**

This course provides an opportunity for teachers to enhance their understanding of the explicit teaching of literacy for Maths to strategically target student needs.

WHEN: Tuesday 29 November 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM

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### Event 11

#### **Improving literacy and numeracy: exceeding in reading.**

This course will introduce successful strategies to shape high performance reading behaviour at the word, phrase, sentence and text level.

WHEN: Thursday 1 December 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM

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