Growing Up Greatness

Creating schools and classrooms that meet the diverse learning needs of all students.



Educating the Gifted and Talented 2019 - 3 day course

Various dates in Terms 1, 2 and 3. Perth venue TBC.

This course is appropriate for primary and secondary teachers, coordinators and school leaders who want a comprehensive understanding of gifted and talented education. This course includes all aspects of the entry-level Gifted and Talented Professional Learning Modules (developed by GERRIC with DEEWR) as well as up-to-date research, strategies and time for practical planning. A separate one-day specialist course is available for staff who have completed this three-day course and for staff who have an expert-level understanding of gifted and talented education.

Kylie Bice is an experienced **Education Consultant** specialising in gifted education, differentiation, thinking skills, and educating diverse student groups. Kylie was previously the Senior Inclusive and Gifted Education Consultant at the Association of Independent Schools of WA, and has many years of experience working with gifted and talented students in government and non-government schools in Western Australia. Kylie is an engaging presenter who has delivered professional learning to a range of audiences, schools, national and international gifted education conferences.



Cost: \$495 per person OR \$2025 for a group of 5. Morning tea and lunch provided.

Growing Up Greatness has a deliberate aim to identify and build intentional, transparent and researchbased quality teaching in every classroom. Context-specific, strategic, whole-school review & planning to include and create opportunities for students of all learning needs and abilities in every classroom and context. Services can be customised to suit the needs and context of your school, organisation, classrooms, students, strategic goals and educational philosophy. For more information about **Growing Up Greatness**, please go to <u>www.growingupgreatness.com</u>.

Please contact Kylie Bice at <u>admin@growingupgreatness.com</u> or 0432 179 629 if you have questions about this event or to negotiate a price for groups larger than 10.



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What to expect over the 3 days

This is a comprehensive course covering all aspects of educating gifted and talented students, including:

DAY ONE – TERM ONE

- What do we mean by gifted and talented and what are the characteristics of these students?
- How do we identify gifted and talented students?
- How do we track the growth of these students to ensure we are making an impact on their learning journey?

DAY TWO – TERM TWO

- Social and emotional characteristics and needs of gifted and talented students.
- Underachievement and strategies to identify and manage this.

DAY THREE – TERM THREE

- Designing challenging learning experiences for gifted and talented students, including questioning, differentiation, high order thinking, and assessment (pre, formative and off-level)
- Designing program options for gifted and talented students, including grouping, acceleration options, and compacting, mentoring and alternative options.

BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND! REGISTER QUICKLY TO ATTEND THIS PL OPPORTUNITY. THERE WILL BE LIMITED SPACES AVAILABLE FOR THIS COURSE.

"It was very valuable to hear about the difficulties gifted and talented children can experience and that schools need to support students in ways beyond their academic learning. The opportunities to discuss our experiences with colleagues and ask questions through the professional learning provided a very collaborative learning experience and Kylie's knowledge and experience in the area shone through. Thanks Kylie, you provided an informative, genuine and relaxed learning experience. " - Tanya Kadak, Hale School

