AISWA

2026 Professional Learning Calendar

Delivering programs and services enabling excellence in education.

Welcome to the 2026 AISWA Professional Learning Calendar

Chris Massey
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

It is a pleasure to share the 2026 AISWA Professional Learning Calendar, created to inspire professional growth, collaboration, and connection for all those involved in the Western Australian Independent school community.

This calendar is shaped by AISWA's five core pillars: Curriculum and School Improvement, Leadership, Governance and Business Operations, School and Student Support, and Technology and Learning Innovation, reflecting our commitment to delivering professional learning that is practical, relevant, and responsive to member needs across the state.

Throughout the year, you will find expanded opportunities to connect and collaborate through new conferences, events, and targeted programs that strengthen professional communities and support excellence in Independent schools.

Thank you for your ongoing partnership. We look forward to another year of learning and leading together to create a brighter future for all children in Western Australia.

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Acknowledgement of Country

AISWA respectfully acknowledges the traditional custodians of the land on which we operate, the Wadjak people of the Noongar nation. We pay our respects to Aboriginal Elders past, present, and emerging, as the Traditional Owners of the lands across Australia and acknowledge their continued connection to the land, waters, and community.

We recognise that a strong and mutually beneficial relationship with Traditional Owners is essential to our success and to the benefit of our community. In all our actions, we commit to fostering cultural awareness and working collaboratively towards a shared future of reconciliation, respect, and prosperity.

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Shaping the Future of Learning Together

As a trusted learning provider, AISWA's priority is to ensure Member Schools remain at the forefront of educational innovation, leadership, development, sound governance and continuous whole-school improvement.

You can engage with AISWA Professional Learning through three flexible modes, designed to meet the diverse needs of individuals and schools, accommodating different locations, group sizes, and schedules.

You Come to Us

Attend conferences and courses in Perth at AISWA's Professional Learning Suites in Osborne Park, or at select host schools and venues such as Optus Stadium, The University Club of Western Australia, Perth Convention and Exhibition Centre, and The Boulevard Centre. In-person learning provides valuable opportunities to collaborate, network, and build meaningful connections with peers across the education sector in a dynamic, hands-on environment.

We Come to You

Beyond our public events and online offerings, AISWA provides tailored in-school consultancy services across a wide range of topics. These are responsive to the unique contexts and priorities of each Member school. Our consultants work alongside leaders and educators to co-design professional learning programs that support meaningful and sustainable outcomes. To explore consultancy options for your school, please email **plrequests@ais.wa.edu.au**.

Flexible Online Learning

Access online professional learning from the convenience of your school or home, at a time that suits your busy schedule. AISWA offers a growing range of live and on-demand learning opportunities, including webinars, network meetings, and self-paced modules.

AISWA Support Pillars

AISWA's professional learning is shaped by five core pillars, supporting schools across curriculum, leadership, governance, support, and technology. Together, they provide a comprehensive framework to build capacity, enhance practice, and meet the evolving needs of educators and school communities.

Curriculum and School Improvement

P-12 Curriculum, Assessment and Reporting

Curriculum Leadership

Literacy, EAL/D and Numeracy

Early Childhood

School Improvement

High Impact Pedagogies

Vocational Education and Training

Governance and Business Operations

Governance

Finance

School Registration

Industrial Relations

Legal

Policy

AISWA Partners

GOVERNANCE AND BUSINESS OPERATIONS

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WELLBEING PROGRAM

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Leadership and Development

Early Career Teachers

Aspiring Leaders

Middle Leaders

Senior and Executive Leaders

Growing Teacher Practice

Workforce Support

School and Student Support

Wellbeing

Psychology

Child Safety

Future Footprints

Inclusive Education

First Nations Leadership and Advocacy

Western Australian Collegiate Schools (WACS)

Curriculum and Re-engagement in Education Schools (CARE)

Technology and Learning Innovation

AI in Education

Microsoft Licensing

Microsoft Training

Data Security

Copilot for Schools

Adobe Suite

Technology Hardware

Systems Innovation

On Demand Learning

BADGED COURSES - for more information visit: ais.wa.edu.au/aiswa-digital-badges

AISWA's on demand recognises and supports flexibility of access to professional learning outside the constraints of set time and place. Courses have been designed or selected by AISWA professionals and span a multitude of topics, designed to appeal to a wide range of school staff and governing members.

Curriculum and School Improvement

Animal Ethics for Schools
1 hr

Beginning to code with micro:bit and MakeCode
2 hrs

Checking for Understanding
1 hr

Cognitive Load in the Classroom
2 hrs

Cognitive Load Theory - What Every Teacher Should Know!
2 hrs

Effective Questioning
2 hrs

Feedback That Works
2 hrs

Finding Form in Formative Assessment
2 hrs

From Good to Great Assessment
1 hr

Fundamentals of Assessment
2 hrs

Improving Practice Through High Impact Teaching
8 hrs

Introduction to Differentiation
45 mins

Introduction to Feedback
45 mins

Introduction to Questioning
45 mins

On-entry Assessment Program
2 hrs

Purposeful Pedagogies - Towards Global Competency
3 hrs

Retrieval Practice in Action
2.5 hrs

STEM Module 1
1 hr

STEM Module 2
2 hrs

Strategies for Oral Communication
2 hrs

Strategies for Viewing
2 hrs

Tools and Tips for Assessing Student Performance
45 mins

Using the EALD Writing Progress Map
1 hr

Governance and Business Operations

Governance Essentials
2 hrs

Mastering Business in Schools
2 hrs

Note-taking for Schools
45 mins

Video Editing Rodeo
20 hrs

School and Student Support

Child Abuse Reporting including Mandatory Reporting
2 hrs

Responding to and Reporting Online Critical Incidents
45 mins

Supporting Inclusion and Digital Wellbeing
45 mins

Video Editing Rodeo

20 hrs — Over eight action-packed modules, you'll wrangle essential skills, learn the ropes of our editing tools, and discover tips and tricks to make your videos shine.

Child Abuse Reporting including Mandatory Reporting

2 hrs — Learn the essentials of child abuse identification and reporting, covering mandatory reporting for staff, governing body members, and volunteers.

Leadership and Development

Introduction to Mentoring
45 mins

Teaching in an Independent School
1.5 hrs

National Quality Standards (NQS) for Principals and Leaders
1 hr

Technology and Learning Innovation

Unlocking AI: Generative Artificial Intelligence for Educators
1 hr

ACE Level 1: Creativity for All with Adobe
3 hrs

ACE Level 2: Design Your Creative Class with Adobe
3hrs

Featured Conferences

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2026 AISWA Aboriginal Community Schools Conference

Join us in Broome for three days of engaging programs bringing together Aboriginal Independent Community Schools from across Western Australia to connect, collaborate, and network. This exciting event is a valuable opportunity to celebrate and recognise our shared achievements, strengthen relationships, and foster future partnerships.

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2026 AISWA Leaders Conference

We look forward to hosting senior leaders at the 2026 AISWA Leaders Conference at Optus Stadium, featuring inspiring keynote speakers and opportunities for collaboration, all set against the stunning Swan River backdrop on a memorable afternoon and evening.

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2026 AISWA National First Nations Education Australian Conference

Attend AISWA's inaugural First Nations Education Conference at Optus Stadium. Enjoy two days of keynote speakers, cultural experiences and fine dining. Ideal for educators working with First Nations students, this event promises inspiration, learning and celebration. Don't miss out on this unique opportunity.

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2026 AISWA Wellbeing and Respectful Relationships Conference

Join us as we explore wellbeing, consent, and respectful relationships. Hear from inspiring keynote speakers as they share practical strategies and valuable resources designed to help foster positive, school-wide approaches to wellbeing, respectful interactions, and a supportive learning environment.

Professional Networks and Meetings

■ Curriculum & School Improvement   ■ Governance & Business Operations   ■ Leadership & Development
■ School & Student Support   ■ Technology & Learning Innovation

Professional networks and meetings offer dynamic opportunities throughout the year for educators to connect, collaborate, and share best practice within a supportive community.

■ **CaRE Schools Meeting**
Friday, 13 March
Friday, 29 May
Friday, 28 August
Friday, 20 November

■ **Chair Connect Sundowner**
Tuesday, 10 February
Tuesday, 13 October

■ **Curriculum Reference Group**
Wednesday, 18 March
Wednesday, 3 June
Wednesday, 2 September
Wednesday, 4 November

■ **Early Career Teachers Network**
Tuesday, 17 March
Tuesday, 2 June
Tuesday, 25 August
Tuesday, 3 November

■ **Future Footprints Coordinators**
Wednesday, 18 February
Wednesday, 6 May
Wednesday, 5 August
Wednesday, 28 October

■ **Highly Accomplished and Lead Teachers Network**
Wednesday, 16 September

■ **Middle Leaders Network**
Wednesday, 20 May
Wednesday, 19 August
Wednesday, 11 November

■ **Principal and Chair Connect Sundowner**
Wednesday, 22 April
Monday, 3 August

■ **School Based Psychologists**
Tuesday, 12 May
Wednesday, 28 October

■ **VET and Careers Coordinators**
Friday, 27 March
Friday, 19 June
Friday, 11 September
Friday, 20 November

■ **WA Collegiate Schools Meeting**
Monday, 9 March
Monday, 25 May
Friday, 28 August
Friday, 20 November

■ **Wellbeing and Respectful Relationships Pilot Program Masterclass Series**
Tuesday, 10 March
Tuesday, 24 March
Friday, 15 May
Thursday, 11 June
Monday, 27 July
Tuesday, 25 August
Tuesday, 27 October
Tuesday, 17 November

■ **Wellbeing Network**
Wednesday, 25 March
Tuesday, 23 June
Tuesday, 15 September
Tuesday, 1 December

■ **New and Early Career Principals' Network**
Day 1: 27 March
Day 2: 12 June
Day 3: 18 September

Professional Learning

■ Curriculum & School Improvement ■ Governance & Business Operations ■ Leadership & Development
■ School & Student Support ■ Technology & Learning Innovation

TERM 1

■ **Buyer Connect Information Session**
20 January

WEEK 2

■ **National Certification of Highly Accomplished or Lead Teachers - Information Session**
10 February

■ **Business Managers Masterclass: Finance, Industrial and Legal**
11 February

WEEK 3

■ **Literacy Bites**
17 February

■ **Inclusive Education Symposium with Special Education State Funding Session**
19 February

■ **Awakening Possibilities: Exploring the Reggio Emilia Approach in Conversation with the EYLF**
Day 1: 20 February
Day 2: 10 August

WEEK 4

■ **Lead with Intention with Dr Amie Fabry**
Day 1: 23 February
Day 2: 24 February
Day 3: 11 May
Day 4: 31 August

■ **The Role of Technology in Amplifying Family and Child Participation in the Early Years of School**
Day 1: 23 February
Day 2: 15 June
Day 3: 19 October

■ **Microsoft Enrolment for Education Solutions Consortia Renewal Update**
24 February

■ **London and Barcelona Study Tour 2026 – Information Webinar**
24 February

■ **Reimagining Early Childhood Spaces: Enhancing Physical Environments with Lisa Burman**
25 February

■ **Gatekeeper Suicide Prevention Training**
Day 1: 26 February
Day 2: 27 February

WEEK 5

■ **From Data to Impact: Embedding of Data Informed Practice**
3 March

■ **Motivating Powerful Student Learning and Engagement with Dr Jared Cooney Horvath**
Day 1: 4 March
Day 2: 18 March
Day 3: 1 April

■ **Early Childhood Breakfast Network**
5 March

■ **JuiceIT 2026**
5 March

■ **English Foundation, English General and English Preliminary Network Day with CEWA**
6 March

WEEK 6

■ **Governance Specifics In An Independent School**
10 March

■ **Early Childhood Network - South**
10 March

■ **Early Childhood Network - North**
11 March

■ **Beyond Security: Unlocking the Value of Cloud Physical Security in Schools**
11 March

■ **Reconceptualising Languages Education**
Day 1: 11 March
Day 2: 7 May
Day 3: 13 August

■ **Designing Powerful Journeys of Inquiry with and for Learners with Kath Murdoch: K-2**
11 March

■ **Powering Up Our Pedagogy: Building a Repertoire to Support Children as Capable, Curious, Engaged Learners in K-2 with Kath Murdoch**
Day 1: 11 March
Day 2: 23 July
Day 3: 29 October

■ Curriculum & School Improvement   ■ Governance & Business Operations   ■ Leadership & Development
■ School & Student Support   ■ Technology & Learning Innovation

■ **Early Career Teachers Program - Semester 1 Intake**
Day 1: 12 March
Day 2: 13 March

WEEK 7

■ **Trauma Aware Education**
16 March

■ **Understanding and Responding to School Refusal**
17 March

■ **Early Career Teachers Network**
Day 1: 17 March
Day 2: 2 June
Day 3: 25 August
Day 4: 3 November

■ **Embodying Joy, Building Connection: Deep Nature Pedagogy in Practice with Educated by Nature**
17 March

■ **Education Assistant Day**
18 March

■ **Playful Pedagogies: How Outdoor Play-spaces Support Child-development, Wellbeing and Learning with Cath Fitzhardinge**
19 March

■ **Positive Partnerships and AISWA Sector-Led Professional Learning Program**
Day 1: 19 March
Day 2: 20 March

WEEK 8

■ **Middle Leaders Masterclass: Leading Curriculum and Pedagogy**
23 March

■ **Business Managers Masterclass: Australia Wide Tax and Fringe Benefits Tax**
24 March

■ **Registration Seminar**
24 March

■ **Microsoft Enrolment for Education Solutions Consortia Renewal Update**
24 March

■ **Wellbeing Network Series**
Day 1: 25 March
Day 2: 23 June
Day 3: 15 September
Day 4: 1 December

■ **People Leader Program with Dr Simon Breakspear**
Day 1: 25 March
Day 2: 29 April
Day 3: 27 May

■ **Counting on Curiosity: Exploring Maths Through Play with Sheila Griffin**
25 March

■ **National Certification of Highly Accomplished and Lead Teachers**
Day 1: 26 March
Day 2: 13 May
Day 3: 6 August
Day 4: 21 October

■ **Developing AI Literacy in Schools**
26 March

■ **Building Teacher Confidence in the WA Maths Curriculum**
26 March

■ **New and Early Career Principals' Network**
Day 1: 27 March
Day 2: 12 June
Day 3: 18 September

■ **High Impact Practices 2.0**
27 March

WEEK 9

■ **Youth Mental Health First Aid**
Day 1: 30 March
Day 2: 31 March

■ **2026 AISWA Aboriginal Community Schools Conference**
Day 1: 30 March
Day 2: 31 March
Day 3: 1 April

■ **Teaching Innovation Fellowship**
Day 1: 1 April
Day 2: 11 May
Day 3: 3 August
Day 4: 4 November

■ **Developing AI Literacy in Schools**
2 April

SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

■ **EL Questro Cultural Immersion Tour**
13 April - 17 April

- Curriculum & School Improvement
- Governance & Business Operations
- Leadership & Development
- School & Student Support
- Technology & Learning Innovation

TERM 2

- **Member Portal Launch Information Session: Administration Staff**
16 April

WEEK 1

- **Women in Educational Leadership Program with ACEL**
Day 1: 20 April
Day 2: 27 April
Day 3: 27 July
Day 4: 4 September

- **Member Portal Launch Information Session: All School Staff**
21 April

- **Speak Up: Brave Conversations That Build Connection**
21 April

- **Gatekeeper Suicide Prevention Training**
Day 1: 22 April
Day 2: 23 April

- **Member Portal Launch Information Session: Administration Staff**
23 April

- **Lead and Guide: Mentoring Foundations**
24 April

WEEK 2

- **Member Portal Launch Information Session: All School Staff**
28 April

- **Understanding Anxiety: Supporting Anxious Learners**
28 April

- **AI for Educators: From Efficiency to Innovation**
28 April

- **Planning and Assessment Using the Kindergarten Guidelines**
29 April

- **Business Managers Masterclass: Financial Governance with John Somerset**
29 April

- **AI for Educators: From Efficiency to Innovation**
30 April

- **Building Teacher Confidence in the WA Maths Curriculum**
30 April

- **Secondary Media Production and Analysis with CEWA**
1 May

WEEK 3

- **Early Career Teacher Southwest Cluster - Busselton**
4 May

- **Leading School Improvement Using the ACER School Improvement Tool**
Day 1: 4 May
Day 2: 5 May

- **Middle Leaders Pilot Project with AITSL**
6 May

- **Literacy Bites**
6 May

- **Cultural Responsiveness with Robyn Collard**
Day 1: 8 May
Day 2: 7 August

- **Secondary English Network Day with CEWA**
8 May

WEEK 4

- **Wellbeing in Leadership: Senior Leaders Breakfast**
12 May

- **Adobe Consortia Update**
14 May

- **Aspiring Leaders**
Day 1: 14 May
Day 2: 15 May

WEEK 5

- **2026 AISWA Leaders Conference**
18 May

- **Essential AICS Governance: Roles, Responsibilities and Impact**
19 May

- **Middle Leaders Network**
Day 1: 20 May
Day 2: 19 August
Day 3: 11 November

- **Early Career Teachers: Remote and Regional Schools**
21 May

- **Secondary Music Network Day with CEWA**
22 May

- **TALK Workshop: Enhancing Oral Language and Pre-Literacy Skills - Pre Kindy - Kindy**
22 May

Curriculum & School Improvement ■ **Governance & Business Operations** ■ **Leadership & Development** ■
School & Student Support ■ **Technology & Learning Innovation** ■

WEEK 6

Secondary Dance Network Day with CEWA
25 May

Flip the Lid: The Neuropsychology of Challenging Behaviour
25 May

Early Childhood Network - South
26 May

Leading AI Adoption
26 May

Communicating in a Crisis with Clarity: The Digital Age
27 May

Early Childhood Network - North
27 May

Early Childhood Breakfast Network
28 May

Leading AI Adoption
28 May

AICD Role of the Chair
29 May

Secondary Drama Network Day with CEWA
29 May

Secondary Visual Arts Network Day with CEWA
29 May

WEEK 7

Team Teach Training
2 June

Education Assistant Day
3 June

Inside South Coast Baptist: Building a Safer School Environment
3 June

Neurodiversity Affirming Education: Understanding and Supporting ADHD & Autistic Learners
4 June

WEEK 8

Lead & Guide: Coaching Foundations
8 June

Conflict and Bullying in Schools: Preventative and Restorative Approaches
9 June

Business Managers Masterclass: Australia Wide Taxation & Payroll
10 June

Governance Specifics In An Independent School
15 June

WEEK 9

Show Up and Lead: The Senior Leader Dilemma in Tension and Transition
16 June

Keeping Safe Child Protection Curriculum: Train the Trainer
Day 1: 17 June
Day 2: 18 June

Playful Pedagogies: Indoor Environments for Learning and Inquiry with Rebecca Duncan
18 June

AICD Governance Foundations for Not-For-Profit Directors of Independent Schools
Day 1: 18 June
Day 2: 19 June

WEEK 10

Deepening Literacy Opportunities Through Bookmaking and Story Tables with Lisa Burman
Day 1: 23 June
Day 2: 24 June

Introduction to NAPLAN Valuate
24 June

Bold Talk: Mastering Communication and Courageous Conversations for Leaders
25 June

Literature and English ATAR Network Day with CEWA
26 June

SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

Spaces that Shape Learning: Infrastructure Showcase 2026
7 July

Advancing Executive Administrators and Senior Assistants in WA Education
14 July

Advancing Executive Administrators and Senior Assistants in WA Education
15 July

■ Curriculum & School Improvement ■ Governance & Business Operations ■ Leadership & Development
■ School & Student Support ■ Technology & Learning Innovation

TERM 3

WEEK 1

■ **Aboriginal Independent Community Schools: Early Childhood Network**
Day 1: 20 July
Day 2: 21 July

■ **Youth Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander Mental Health First Aid**
Day 1: 21 July
Day 2: 22 July

WEEK 2

■ **Business Managers Masterclass: Funding for Students with Disability and Industrial and Legal Update**
29 July

■ **ICT Strategic Leadership Series**
30 July

■ **Building Teacher Confidence in the WA Maths Curriculum**
31 July

WEEK 3

■ **Literacy Bites**
4 August

■ **Cultivating the Culture: Embedding Nature in Pedagogy, Policy, and Practice with Educated by Nature**
4 August

■ **The Future of Campus Security: Private Interactive Experience**
5 August

■ **Deeper Dive into NAPLAN Valuate**
6 August

WEEK 4

■ **Unravelling the Third Teacher: Layers of Meaning in Learning Environments with Kristy Liljegren**
11 August

■ **Deeper Dive into NAPLAN Valuate**
13 August

■ **Early Career Teachers Program - Semester 2 Intake**
Day 1: 13 August
Day 2: 14 August

■ **Literacy Support Workers Network Day with CEWA**
14 August

WEEK 5

■ **From Data to Impact: Embedding of Data Informed Practice**
17 August

■ **Youth Mental Health First Aid**
Day 1: 18 August
Day 2: 19 August

■ **Wellbeing in Leadership: Senior Leaders Breakfast**
20 August

■ Curriculum & School Improvement   ■ Governance & Business Operations   ■ Leadership & Development
■ School & Student Support   ■ Technology & Learning Innovation

WEEK 6

■ **Business Managers Masterclass: Risk Ready for Boards, Principals and Executive Leaders**
24 August

■ **Early Childhood Network - South**
25 August

■ **Early Childhood Network - North**
26 August

■ **Early Childhood Breakfast Network**
27 August

■ **TALK Workshop: Enhancing Oral Language - PP-Year 2**
28 August

WEEK 7

■ **ICT Strategic Leadership Series**
1 September

■ **Education Assistant Day**
2 September

■ **Playful Pedagogies: Nature Play and Playgrounds with Nature Play WA**
3 September

■ **Speak Up: Brave Conversations That Build Connection**
3 September

WEEK 8

■ **2026 AISWA National First Nations Education Conference**
Day 1: 7 September
Day 2: 8 September

■ **2026 AISWA Wellbeing and Respectful Relationships Conference**
9 September

■ **Seeing the World Through Play: Understanding Schemas in Early Childhood**
9 September

■ **English HoLAs Network Day with CEWA**
11 September

WEEK 9

■ **Team Teach Training**
14 September

■ **Developing AI Literacy in Schools**
15 September

■ **Business Managers Masterclass: Beyond the Ledger, Accounting Standards and Financial Reporting update for NFP's**
16 September

■ **Developing AI Literacy in Schools**
17 September

■ **HIPs 2.0**
17 September

WEEK 10

■ **Managing the Cycle of Escalating Behaviour: School-Based Strategies**
21 September

SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

■ **Learning in London and Barcelona – Study Tour for Principals and Senior Leaders**
29 September – 8 October 2026

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■ Curriculum & School Improvement ■ Governance & Business Operations ■ Leadership & Development
■ School & Student Support ■ Technology & Learning Innovation

TERM 4

WEEK 1

■ **Funding Unpacked: What Business Managers Need to Know**
13 October

■ **Business Managers Masterclass: Risk Ready, Practical Insights and Strategies**
14 October

■ **Inclusive Education Symposium**
15 October

■ **Highly Accomplished and Lead Teacher Network**
16 October

WEEK 2

■ **Gatekeeper Suicide Prevention Training**
Day 1: 19 October
Day 2: 20 October

■ **AI for Educators: From Efficiency to Innovation**
20 October

■ **Seeing the World Through Play: Understanding Schemas in Early Childhood with Lynnette Brock**
21 October

■ **AI for Educators: From Efficiency to Innovation**
22 October

■ **Secondary Media Production and Analysis with CEWA**
23 October

■ **Building Teacher Confidence in the WA Maths Curriculum**
23 October

WEEK 3

■ **AISWA Inspire: Leading School Improvement**
26 October

■ **Planning and Assessment Using the Kindergarten Guidelines**
26 October

■ **Literacy Bites**
27 October

■ **Migrating School Security to the Cloud: What You Need to Know**
28 October

■ **Leading School Improvement Using the ACER School Improvement Tool**
Day 1: 29 October
Day 2: 30 October

■ **Secondary English Planning Day with CEWA**
30 October

WEEK 4

■ **Business Managers Masterclass: AI Tools for Streamlining the Business Managers Day**
2 November

■ **Managing Critical Incidents: School-Based Incident Strategies**
3 November

■ **Playful Pedagogies: Playing with Transitions**
5 November

WEEK 5

■ **Honing Philosophy Statements and Quality Improvement Plans with Sam Wynne**
9 November

■ **2026 AISWA Wellbeing and Respectful Relationships Student Symposium**
10 November

■ **ICT Strategic Leadership Series**
12 November

■ **Bold Talk: Mastering Communication and Courageous Conversations for Leaders**
13 November

■ **Secondary Dance Network Day with CEWA**
13 November

WEEK 6

■ **Leading AI Adoption**
16 November

■ **Secondary Drama Network Day with CEWA**
16 November

■ **Leading AI Adoption**
18 November

■ **School Registration Seminar**
18 November

WEEK 7

■ **Secondary Music Network Day with CEWA**
23 November

■ **Secondary Visual Arts Network Day with CEWA**
27 November

Featured Events

Business Managers Masterclass Series

Business Managers Masterclass: Finance, Industrial and Legal
11 February

Business Managers Masterclass: Australia Wide Tax and Fringe Benefits Tax
24 March

Business Managers Masterclass: Financial Governance with John Somerset
29 April

Business Managers Masterclass: Australia Wide Taxation & Payroll
10 June

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7 July

Business Managers Masterclass: Funding for Students with Disability and Industrial and Legal Update
29 July

Business Managers Masterclass: Risk Ready
24 August

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16 September

Funding Unpacked: What Business Managers Need to Know
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14 October

Business Managers Masterclass: AI Tools for Streamlining the Business Managers Day
2 November

Featured Events

Middle Leaders Series

Designed for middle leaders, these programs strengthen your ability to lead high-quality teaching and learning. You will explore evidence-based pedagogy, collaborative professional practice, and curriculum design that is clear, well-sequenced, and focused on deep learning. Through practical tools, reflection, and networking with peers, middle leaders will build confidence to set high expectations, influence teaching culture, and support consistent progress for staff and students.

Middle Leaders Masterclass: Leading Curriculum and Pedagogy
23 March

Middle Leaders Pilot Project with AITSL
6 May

Middle Leaders Network
Day 1: 20 May
Day 2: 19 August
Day 3: 11 November

People Leader Program with Dr Simon Breakspear

Designed for school leaders at any stage, Dr Simon Breakspear's People Leader Program builds practical skills to lead teams with confidence. Through interactive online workshops, you will strengthen communication, foster psychological safety, and give feedback that drives improvement. With proven, actionable frameworks, this program supports leaders to build strong teams and a positive, supportive culture within their school.

Day 1: 25 March
Day 2: 29 April
Day 3: 27 May

Motivating Powerful Student Learning and Engagement with Dr Jared Cooney Horvath

Designed for educators seeking to strengthen classroom practice, this three-part webinar series explores evidence-based teaching through the lens of cognitive science. Led by Dr Jared Cooney Horvath, participants will examine how students move from surface to deep learning, with practical strategies for feedback, assessment, engagement, and metacognition. Educators will gain research-informed tools to support meaningful learning and stronger teacher–student relationships.

Day 1: 4 March
Day 2: 18 March
Day 3: 1 April

AISWA Inspire: Leading School Improvement

Designed for school leaders and educators, this AISWA Inspire event highlights how Independent schools are applying evidence-informed approaches to improve teaching, learning, and student outcomes. Through expert keynotes and practical school-based stories, participants will explore effective improvement frameworks, reflect on lessons learned, and consider how these strategies can be applied within their own school context.

26 October