

# Using Group Work To Improve Student Learning

## Course Brochure

### What's it about?

In this course, you will explore what great group work looks like and how it can benefit your students. You will find out how you can lead your students through a successful group work process, how to prepare students for group work tasks and how to overcome some common group work challenges. There are also tips and strategies for incorporating more group work in your classroom and ways for improving existing group work tasks.



### How long does the course go for?

This course will take you 2 hours to complete.

Enjoy it in one session or spread it out over a few weeks. You will have ongoing access.

### How does it work?

This course is on-demand and for private study. Learn at your own pace and at times that suit you.

### What are the course modules?

1. Course Introduction
2. Group Work Essentials
3. Getting The Most Out Of Group Work
4. Your Teaching
5. Reflection

### What are the curriculum links?

**Primary and Secondary:** Group work tasks can be used across all areas of the Australian Curriculum.

**General capabilities:** Personal and Social Capability - Under the [General Capabilities](#) of the Australian Curriculum we find Personal and Social Capability. This is divided into four segments: two of these - Social Awareness and Social Management - refer to our relationships with others.

## Is it accredited for PD hours?

This course is mapped to the Australian Professional Standards for Teachers.  
It is accredited for professional development hours at the following levels:

### **Proficient Teacher – all states and territories except NSW (accreditation for ACT pending)**

3.3 Select and use relevant teaching strategies to develop knowledge, skills, problem solving and critical and creative thinking.

4.1 Establish and implement inclusive and positive interactions to engage and support all students in classroom activities.