

Teacher Qualifications and Professional Learning

PROFESSIONAL LEARNING AND TEACHER STANDARDS



The King's School continued to focus on delivering quality professional learning to its teaching community and drive their ongoing attention to the AITSL Professional Standards in 2019. Many of our teachers and teaching executive actively pursue professional learning opportunities available throughout the NSW and the world. We also have many teachers that contribute to the many focussed professional learning communities throughout the School, whether these be in departments, across departments or as a whole school community across three campuses.

Across the School in 2019, 11 teachers were Provisionally/Conditionally accredited, of whom, four achieved Proficient Teacher Accreditation during the course of the year. The Professional Practice and Accreditation Leader and the relevant Head of Department (Senior School) supported teachers undergoing the Proficient Teacher process. All Proficient Teacher Applicants in this instance were senior school teachers.

The King's School North Parramatta Teacher Accreditation	
Level of Accreditation	Number of Teachers
Conditional	3
Proficient	182
Provisional	4
Highly Accomplished Teacher (voluntary accreditation)	0
Lead Teacher (voluntary accreditation)	0
Total Number of Teachers	189

The King's Institute (the professional learning authority within The King's School), continued as a NESAs Registered Provider, delivering the following courses in 2019 for the full school and all staff professional learning days we hosted. These five sessions included:

- Dr Jared Cooney Horvath - The Learning Trajectory
- Dr Natasha Lazareski - Building Resilience Through Psychological Flexibility
- Phil Barker - Rethinking Masculine Character
- National Boys' Education Conference
- Cool, Calm and Connected eLearning

The King’s Institute also facilitated our LeadCOMM seminar series. LeadCOMM is a professional learning program designed to develop leadership excellence and the capabilities for teaching and non-teaching leaders who have the responsibility of leading and managing staff at The King’s School. LeadCOMM culminated in an annual conference was held facilitated by Mark Oliver from Mark Two Consulting on Authentic Leadership.

In addition, the following compliance training was completed for 2019:

- All teaching staff completed CPR and PFA (Inclusive of Anaphylaxis and Asthma)
- Nine staff completed Remote Wilderness Training
- Three Staff completed Forklift Training
- Staff with responsibilities as outlined in the Emergency Management Plan received bi-annual Warden training
- 43 staff completed Swim Teacher Rescue Training

Dr Dean Dudley
Director of The King’s Institute

Some specific examples of Professional Learning for 2019

In 2019, professional learning for teaching staff in the Preparatory and Secondary schools occurred in a number of ways, as represented below:

Course	No. of teachers attended
2019 ABSA Taking the Reins Conference	1
2019 CLTANSW Conference	1
2019 EdCOMM Conference	2
2019 Education Future Forum	1
2019 IBSC Annual Conference	6
2019 MANSW Conference	5
2019 MANSW HSC Feedback - Maths Extension 1 & 2 & 2 Unit Maths	1
2019 STANSW K-12 Chemistry STEM Conference	1
AATE National Conference	2
Abbotsleigh Teacher Librarians Conference	1
ABSA Duty of Care - Book 1	4
ABSA Leaders Conference	1
ACE Collecting Quality Assessment Data	1
ACEL Building your Leadership Capacity	1
ACEL Collaborative Professionalism	1
ACEL Rigor & Differentiation in the classroom	3
ACEL Visible Learning for Literacy	1
ACHPERNSW Stage 6 Conference 2019	1

Course	No. of teachers attended
ACT Training for Depression and Anxiety Disorders	1
Adobe – Inject Creativity into the Curriculum	1
Adobe Premier Pro Course	1
Advocating for your gifted and 2e Child	1
AGVision – RAS Education	2
AHISA DoS Conference 2019	2
AISNSW NCCD Network Meeting	5
AISNSW - HoDs Day	2
AISNSW - Leading from the Middle	16
AISNSW 3D Printing for Secondary Technologies Teachers	2
AISNSW Data Network Team Meeting	4
AISNSW Economics Conference 2019 - Growing Future Focused Learners in a Changing Economic Landscape	1
AISNSW Education Research Symposium 2019	1
AISNSW Educational Leaders Conference	1
AISNSW English - Professional Learning Day	18
AISNSW English Conference 2019	3
AISNSW Experienced Teacher Supervisor Course	4
AISNSW Extension 1 English - Worlds of Upheaval	3
AISNSW Heads of Sport Conference 2019	1
AISNSW History Conference 2019	4
AISNSW Introduction to Arduino for Technology	1
AISNSW Language Conference	1
AISNSW Languages – Professional Learning Day	10
AISNSW Planning and Programming for the NSW PDHPE K-10 Syllabus (7-10 focus)	1
AISNSW Python Programming for Absolute Beginners	2
AISNSW Reimagining Learning - Schools Investing in a Confident Future	1
AISNSW Science Conference 2019	1
AISNSW Senior Employment Relations Presentation	2
AISNSW Stage 6 Languages Extension Workshop	4
AISNSW Student Wellbeing Committee	1
AISNSW T.S Eliot: A Critical Study	2
AISNSW Teacher Industry Placement	1
AISNSW Teacher Librarian Network	1
AISNSW Teaching EAL/D Students 7-10: Part A	1
AISNSW Teaching EAL/D Students 7-10: Part B	1
AISNSW Texts and Human Experiences - Year 12 Common Module	2
AISNSW Thinking Matters - Philosophical Inquiry in the Secondary Classroom	2
AISNSW What is Discursive Writing?	1
An evening with Prof. Martin Seligman	2
Anglican Schools Australia Conference	1

Course	No. of teachers attended
Archbishop's Day	4
AustColled VET in Schools Forum 2019	3
Autodesk Fusion 360 CAD Course	3
Barnabas Schools Ministry Conference	1
Becoming Accredited at Experienced Teacher through the standards - based Pathway	6
Blick in Die Zukunft German Teachers Conference	2
Boarding Wellbeing Conference	5
Business Services - VET Training	3
Creative Connections - Drama NSW State Conference	4
CrookED Science - Preparing for the 2019 HSC Investigating Science Exam	1
DEUS Ex Photos - Photomedia Conference 2019	1
Dyslexia and Orton-Gillingham Conference	3
Dyslexia Dyscalculia – Learning Links	3
EdCOMM Exposed: The effect of Pornography and Sexualised Media on Students	2
Engagement: Winning Over Your Maths Class	1
Essential for Living - Patrick McGreevey	2
ETA - HSC Exams: Implications for Teaching	3
ETA Annual Conference	2
ETA Extension 2 Webinar Series	4
Everyday Peacemaking for Schools	2
FAPSA Philosophy In Schools	1
Future Present - VADEA Conference 2019	3
Future Problem Solving Coach Workshop	1
GATSTA Network	1
Geography Teachers Association of NSW and ACT - 2019 Annual Conference	2
Gianfranco Conti Guide to Programming	1
Growth Coaching International - Introduction to Leadership Coaching	4
Heads of Science Network Group	1
History Teacher's Association - 2019 State Conference	2
HoDs Hub Gianfranco Conti Programming Day	1
HTANSW Early Career History Teacher Day	2
IBSC Teachers New to Boys School Conference	5
IEU Work Hoarse Voice Care	1
Institute of Technology Education - Conference 2019	4
Intase World EduLead: Reinventing Education	1
IPSHA Language Teacher's Umbrella Group	2
iwbNet - Leading a Digital School	1
Lawsense School Law	1
MANSW Topics in HSC Mathematics Standard Long course	4
Mental Health First Aid Australia - Youth Mental Health First Aid	2

Course	No. of teachers attended
Moore College Life in Ministry Conference	1
Moore College Reading the Gospel of Mark	1
MTA Introducing Lego Education	1
MTA Music for Special Education Teachers	1
National Art School Painting Fundamentals	1
NESA - HSC Industrial Tech - Practical Marking Day	2
NESA - HSC Performance Marking 101	2
Orton Gillingham MSL - Dyslexia Southern Sydney	3
Philosophy in Schools - Philosophy in the Classroom	4
Philosophy in Schools Advanced Practice Course	1
Qualtrics X4	2
Riverside Parramatta Suzuki Method of Acting	1
SLANSW Conference 2019	2
SLANSW Today's Learners - Tomorrow's Leaders	3
SMBC Conference	1
South Western Sydney School Library Network Conference	1
Spark Labs Cultiv8 Demo Day	1
St Peters and Scotch College Networking Day	2
STANSW Meet the Markers	1
State Library NSW - Creating Creative Writers	1
Step by Step Interventions - Managing Challenging Behaviour	4
Sturt Winter School Explore Rib Basketry with Jillian Culey	1
Sturt Winter School Spoon Carving	1
Sydney University Mentoring Skills for Leaders Course	1
Teaching Sprints - Foundation of Teaching Sprints	5
The Australian Women's Leadership Symposium	1
The NSW Drama Arts Unit Frantic Assembly	1
The SMH Schools Summit	6
Timetable Solutions - Daily Organiser	3
Timetable Solutions - Student Options	4
Timetable Solutions - Timetable Development	3
TPD Digital Technologies	1
TPD Innovate Year 9 Food Technology	2
TTA - Mentoring and Development - Interpersonal skills for life and work	1
TTA Modern History HSC – Core – Power and Authority in the Modern World 1919 - 1946	1
Unconscious Potential Looking after Self, Wellbeing and Resilience	19
UNE Grass Conference	2
University of Newcastle - Grammar and Punctuation	1
University of Pennsylvania - Foundations of Positive Psychology	1
University of Sydney Successful Learning Conference	1
UNSW Maths Teachers Professional Developments	1

Course	No. of teachers attended
UNSW Mini Certificate of Gifted Education	5
What boys need to hear from us: How we talk to boys and what they really need to hear? - Andrew Reiner	1
Youthworks House Conference	3

- The Preparatory School staff attended the following professional learning opportunities throughout the year:

Course	No. of teachers attended
Advanced Strategies for Teaching Problem Solving in Mathematics Year 5 & 6	1
AISNSW - Becoming Accredited at Experienced Teacher through the standards - based Pathway	3
AISNSW Designing Effective Units on Narrative Writing	1
AISNSW Languages - A Vital resource for Australia	1
AISNSW Leading from the Middle	1
AISNSW Literacy & Numeracy Learning Progressions	1
AISNSW NCCD Term 4 Network Meeting: Review & Reflection	2
AISNSW Reading Critically, Deeply and for Enjoyment	1
AISNSW Senior Leaders	1
AISNSW Supporting Teachers Through Accreditation	1
AISNSW Viewing of Experienced Teacher Digital Portfolios 2020	1
AISNSW Working at The Pointy End	1
AISNSW Writing Across the Curriculum Year 5- 9	2
ALEA Strategies for Effective Literacies Teaching for Teacher Aides	1
Art Gallery of NSW - Art Lab - Professional Learning for Primary Teachers	1
Australian College of Educators - Innovative Teaching with Eddie Woo	2
Breakspear Learning - Foundations of Teaching Sprints	3
CLTANSW Annual Conference	1
Dynamic Learning Group Behaviour Management Seminar	1
Early Life Foundation - Play Matters - The Importance of Play	2
Essential Writing for K to 6	1
IB Global Conference	2
IBAP Making PYP Happen Implementing Agency	2
IBSC The Self Motivated Boy: Developing Future Ready Leadership in the Classroom	1
IPSHA Debating Workshop - Adjudication	1
IPSHA Deputies Conference	4
IPSHA How to Teach Debating	1
IPSHA Innovative Learning & ICT	1

Course	No. of teachers attended
Multilit Reading Tutor	4
Next Generation - Mental Health & Well Being of Young People	3
NSW PYP Network Workshop - Making PYP Happen	1
NWEA - Using MAP Assessment	4
OG Yoshimoto - MSL Training	4
PETAA The Explicit Teaching of Writing	7
Ski and Snowboard Australia - Supporting Participation in Snowsports and Developing Champions	1
Syba Academy - Guided Inquiry & Design: Creating Curious Inquirers	4
Teaching & Engaging the iGen - Research into Practise	1
The Effect of Pornography & Sexualised media on Students	2
The Writing Book - Developing Effective Writing Strategies	3
Thrive Conference: Christian Positive Psychology in Practice	1
Timetabler - Student Options, Development and Daily Organiser	1
Western Sydney Airport Minecraft Competition	1