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Professional Development Training Options

PLD provides an Australian, evidence-based approach to Structured Synthetic Phonics (SSP) for primary school educators. Aligned with the Science of Reading and supported by current research, PLD's SSP approach extends from Junior Primary to Upper Primary, facilitating a whole school approach. PLD's training events are suitable for all educators including teachers, assistant teachers, school leaders and literacy specialists.

PLD offers 4 types of training: online seminars, online courses, in-person seminars and school-based presentations. Each medium covers similar implementation content, but the medium of delivery differs. Choose whichever option will best meets the needs of the school.

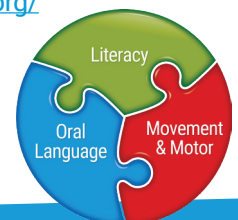|	Option 1	Option 2	Option 3	Option 4
	Online Seminars hosted on Zoom (page 1)	**Online Courses** (page 2)	**In-Person Seminars** (page 2 & 3)	**School-Based Presentations** (page 4)
Features	Online training from the comfort of your office or home	Ability to undertake course at the time and place of your choosing	In-person training	In-person training tailored to the needs of the school.
Interactivity	Interaction during the seminar plus time for questions at the conclusion	Not interactive. Support available through Live Chat, email or bookings through the website.	Interaction during the seminar plus time for questions at the conclusion	Interaction during the seminar plus time for questions at the conclusion
Duration	6 hours (e.g. 8am-2pm WST)	1-4 hours	6 hours (e.g. 9am-3pm WST)	Flexible, full day, half day or staff meeting sessions.
Location	Worldwide	Worldwide	Adelaide, SA, plus multiple locations in WA, QLD & NSW.	Many areas services within Australia.
Price (inc. GST)	$199 Early Bird discount available	$49 - $119 (90 days access)	From $219 Early Bird discount available	From $450

Training Option 1 — Online Seminars

Early Years	Foundation	Year 1 & 2	Year 3, 4, 5 & 6
23 Oct, 2023	24 Oct, 2023	25 Oct, 2023	26 Oct, 2023
19 Feb, 2024	20 Feb, 2024	21 Feb, 2024	22 Feb, 2024
7 May, 2024	8 May, 2024	9 May, 2024	10 May, 2024
29 Jul, 2024	30 Jul, 2024	31 Jul, 2024	1 Aug, 2024
21 Oct, 2024	22 Oct, 2024	23 Oct, 2024	24 Oct, 2024

Training Option 2 — Online Courses

Early Years — Online Course — Pre-Literacy in the Early Years

Foundation — Online Course — Learning to Read, Spell and Write in Foundation

Year 1 & 2 — Online Course — Synthetic Phonics within the Junior Primary

Year 3, 4, 5 & 6 — Online Course — Synthetic Phonics and Beyond

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Training Option 3 — Seminars

Implementing SSP in the Early Years Using PLD

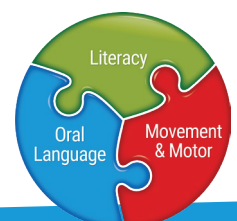| Term	WA Seminars	QLD Seminars	Term	WA Seminars	QLD Seminars
Term 4, 2023	6 Nov, Perth		Term 2, 2024	27 May, Perth 5 Jun, Bunbury	22 May, Brisbane
Summer Holidays	16 Jan, Perth		Term 3, 2024	19 Aug, Perth	14 Aug, Brisbane
Term 1, 2024	5 Mar, Perth 13 Mar, Bunbury	1 Mar, Brisbane	Term 4, 2024	4 Nov, Perth	

Implementing SSP in Foundation Using PLD

Term	WA Seminars	QLD Seminars	NSW Seminars	SA Seminars
Term 4, 2023	7 Nov, Perth	5 Oct, Townsville 17 Oct, Roma		
Summer Holidays	17 Jan, Perth			
Term 1, 2024	6 Mar, Perth 13 Mar, Bunbury	5 Feb, Sunshine Coast 16 Feb, Townsville 19 Feb, Toowoomba 28 Feb, Brisbane 4 Mar, Gold Coast 11 Mar, Rockhampton	19 Mar, Parramatta	25 Mar, Adelaide
Term 2, 2024	23 Apr, Kalgoorlie 30 Apr Geraldton 28 May, Perth 21 May, Port Hedland 5 Jun, Bunbury 11 Jun, Esperance	19 Apr, Cairns 30 Apr, Sunshine Coast 13 May, Toowoomba 20 May, Brisbane 27 May, Gold Coast 11 Jun, Mackay	8 May, Newcastle	20 May, Adelaide
Term 3, 2024	6 Aug, Karratha 13 Aug, Kalgoorlie 20 Aug, Perth 27 Aug, Geraldton 3 Sep, Esperance	12 Jul, Bundaberg 25 Jul, Sunshine Coast 5 Aug, Toowoomba 12 Aug, Brisbane 19 Aug, Gold Coast 27 Aug, Mt Isa	29 Jul, Parramatta	5 Aug, Adelaide
Term 4, 2024	5 Nov, Perth	3 Oct, Townsville 18 Oct, Roma	8 Oct, Parramatta	

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Online Seminars: https://pld-literacy.org/seminars

Online Courses: https://courses.pld-literacy.org

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Training Option 3 — Seminars

Implementing SSP in Year 1 & 2 Using PLD

Term	WA Seminars	QLD Seminars	NSW Seminars	SA Seminars
Term 4, 2023	8 Nov, Perth	5 Oct, Townsville 17 Oct, Roma		
Summer Holidays	18 Jan, Perth			
Term 1, 2024	28 Feb, Bunbury 7 Mar, Perth	5 Feb, Sunshine Coast 16 Feb, Townsville 19 Feb, Toowoomba 28 Feb, Brisbane 4 Mar, Gold Coast 11 Mar, Rockhampton	19 Mar, Parramatta	25 Mar, Adelaide
Term 2, 2024	23 Apr, Kalgoorlie 30 Apr, Geraldton 15 May, Bunbury 21 May, Port Hedland 29 May, Perth 11 Jun, Esperance	19 Apr, Cairns 30 Apr, Sunshine Coast 13 May, Toowoomba 20 May, Brisbane 27 May, Gold Coast 11 Jun, Mackay	8 May, Newcastle	20 May, Adelaide
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Term 4, 2024	6 Nov, Perth	3 Oct, Townsville 18 Oct, Roma	8 Oct, Parramatta	

Implementing SSP in Year 3, 4, 5 & 6 Using PLD

Term	WA Seminars	QLD Seminars	NSW Seminars	SA Seminars
Term 4, 2023	9 Nov, Perth	6 Oct, Townsville 17 Oct, Roma		
Summer Holidays	19 Jan, Perth			
Term 1, 2024	8 Mar, Perth	5 Feb, Sunshine Coast 16 Feb, Townsville 19 Feb, Toowoomba 29 Feb, Brisbane 5 Mar, Gold Coast 11 Mar, Rockhampton	19 Mar, Parramatta	26 Mar, Adelaide
Term 2, 2024	23 Apr, Kalgoorlie 30 Apr, Geraldton 21 May, Port Hedland 30 May, Perth 11 Jun, Esperance	19 Apr, Cairns 30 Apr, Sunshine Coast 13 May, Toowoomba 21 May, Brisbane 28 May, Gold Coast 11 Jun, Mackay	8 May, Newcastle	21 May, Adelaide
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Term 4, 2024	7 Nov, Perth	4 Oct, Townsville 18 Oct, Roma	8 Oct, Parramatta	

Training Option 4   School-Based Presentations

School-based presentations facilitate tailored training to your whole-school staff on your premises or online. The content for each session aims to address the specific needs of the booking school. Options available include:

- Full day, half day or staff meeting bookings.
- Coaching sessions (face-to-face, Teams or Zoom) following the completion of the online courses.

In order to register a booking, complete either the online booking form or the downloadable paper-based forms. The costs for each type of booking is contained within the booking forms.

The PLD Presenters

PLD's team consists of a range of literacy consultants who are trained and experienced in delivering school-based seminars and workshop coaching sessions.

The presenters can 'launch' PLD's implementation in the school by providing a broad school presentation (covering the junior primary to Year 6 in one day), but it is typically more time and cost-efficient if schools complete at least 2 hours of the online courses prior to the school presentation. Presenters can then focus on school-specific coaching once the teachers have covered the basics of PLD's implementation.

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