



BOOST

TEACHER AIDE SUMMIT

Friday 15th June 2018 - 9:00am - 2:30pm
Contemporary Learning Hub - Sunshine Coast



The Contemporary Learning Hub is proud to announce our first annual Boost Teacher Aide Summit. This Summit is designed to be a high quality, engaging and practical professional development opportunity for teacher aides working across P-12 learning contexts. The Summit features a mixture of hands-on workshops and presentations aimed to support teacher aides to develop the skills and knowledge they need to maximise the effectiveness of the time they spend with the students they work with.

Our theme for the 2018 Summit is 'The Power of Words'. A key focus of the Summit and our Keynote sessions will be on how teacher aides can use effective language when working with students to promote growth mindsets, encourage positive behaviour and support students to develop positive dispositions to learning. Other sessions within the Summit focus on developing an understanding of effective strategies that teacher aides can use to support students in their literacy development.

Summit Highlights

- The Power of Words Keynote Session with Allison Bye, our resident Growth Mindsets guru. Allison will unpack the difference between fixed and growth mindsets and will model the language teacher aides can use with students to give effective feedback and support students to have growth mindsets.
- Highly practical sessions where Heads of Curriculum and Learning Support Teachers will work with participants to share and model effective strategies and language they can use to improve literacy outcomes for students.
- Sessions designed to boost the skills and knowledge of participants in their use of digital technologies to support teachers and learners. Sessions cover topics such as OneDrive, Office 365, OneNote, Class Notebooks and using iPads in learning.
- The Making Words Count presentation with Behaviour Specialist and Coach Felicity Day. Felicity will identify common mistakes we often make when giving students instructions. She will model effective strategies we can use to increase on task behaviour and support students to make positive choices in and beyond the classroom.

*Boost your skills, knowledge
and productivity*

*Increase the value of the time
you spend with students*

Event Details

Date: Friday 15th June 2018
Time: 9:00am - 2:30pm
Cost: \$180 ex GST

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session choices on the next page.*

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Program Overview - Friday 15th June 2018

Time	Session Information		
8:15am	Registration & Networking Join us from 8:15am in our Rainforest Retreat to register, grab a cup of coffee and network.		
9:00am	Welcome to the Boost Teacher Aide Summit Get ready for a great day of learning with augmented Teachers Aides from across Queensland. Find out some tips and tricks to make the most of your day with us and learn how you can explore, play and win throughout the day.		
9:10am	The Power of Words Keynote Address In this session our resident Growth Mindsets guru Allison Bye will unpack the difference between fixed and growth mindsets and will model the language teacher aides can use with students to give effective feedback and support students to have growth mindsets.		
10:00pm – 10:30am	Top Technology Hacks for Teacher Aides Our Hub Manager and resident technology geek Kristine Kopelke will share with you her top technology hacks for Teacher aides. Discover the wonders of OneDrive, learn how to save time when making documents and resources and discover tech that can support the learners you work with.		
10:30am	High Tech Tea Party Enjoy a delicious morning tea overlooking our forest as you network with other Teacher Aides. We'll also have a variety of digital technologies on show for you to explore and discover.		
11:00pm - 11:50am Breakout Session 1	Raise a Reader Working with struggling readers can be challenging. In this workshop, you will explore strategies and techniques to move these students forward and help them to experience success. Marcia Forbes, a STLaN at Meridan, will lead this session.	Make your role easier with OneDrive Come along to this session where you'll be shown step-by-step how to use OneDrive to easily create, save, share and access any document from any device. Every EQ staff member now has access to these great new tools and we'll show you how you can make the most of them to make your life as a Teacher Aide easier.	Mastering Maths Confused about how to help students add 2 digit numbers or learn their multiplication facts? In this session, get your game face on as we explore the strategies and activities to help students with the new ways to calculate and work with numbers and master maths. Julie Elder, HOC Meridan State College, will lead you in this session.
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1:00pm	Lunch by the Forest Enjoy a picturesque lunch on our Rainforest Retreat deck. Network with other Teacher Aides and enter our Summit competitions to win some cool tools you can use to help you not only survive but thrive each school day.		
1:30pm	Making Words Count This session with Behaviour Specialist and Coach Felicity Day will identify common mistakes we often make when giving students instructions. She will model effective strategies we can use to increase on task behaviour and support students to make positive choices in and beyond the classroom. Felicity will also model and share strategies for the de-escalation of student behaviour.		
2:15pm – 2:30pm	Summit Conclusion & Prize Draws After a great day together we'll be concluding by revisiting some of the key messages from the day and also drawing the winners of the competitions we have held throughout the day. We'll then let you out in time so you can avoid the end of school day traffic and head home refreshed to reflect on your awesome day of learning with our team.		

