

HSC Strategy School Implementation Pack Term 1 2023

The HSC Strategy provides researchinformed professional learning programs for Stage 6 teachers.

Its purpose is to support teachers to improve student achievement collectively, regardless of a student's postcode or school's socio-economic status and to increase the number of students who achieve in top bands in the HSC.

The HSC Strategy School Implementation Pack provides practical ideas to support school implementation of HSC Strategy practices.

A community of expert and practising HSC teachers, curriculum experts, lead educators and academic partners have contributed to the content in this pack.



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Purpose

The purpose of the HSC Strategy School Implementation Pack is to:

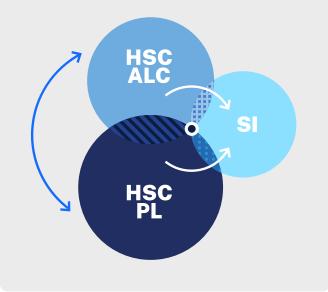
- support schools and Stage 6 teachers with practical workshops in between HSC Strategy professional learning offerings
- provide resources to support schools implementing HSC Strategy practices.

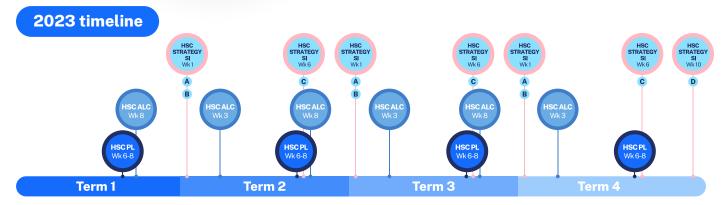


Plan

Each term the HSC Strategy will release a new School Implementation Pack that is responsive to the evaluation of the HSC Strategy programs and previous packs. Each term's pack will include appropriate elements and support of the current HSC Strategy programs:

- HSC Professional Learning
- HSC Action Learning Collectives
- HSC Strategy School Implementation.







HSC Professional Learning days 7 hours during school



HSC Action Learning Collectives workshops 1.75 hours after school



HSC Strategy School Implementation workshops 1.75-3.5 hours during and after school

- A Preparation workshop | 1.75 hours
- B School implementation workshop | 3.5 hours
- © Evidence analysis for action workshop | 1.5 hours
- Sharing research for dialogue | 2 hours



Workshop



Powerful combinations of high leverage strategies

Objectives

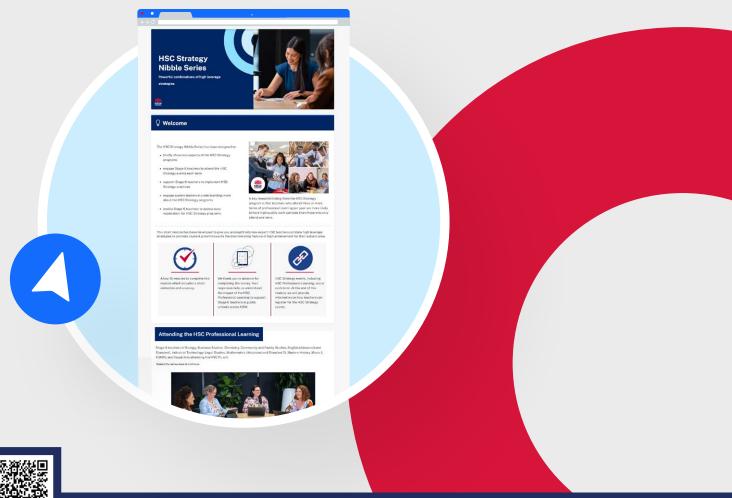
- To demonstrate how expert HSC teachers combine high leverage strategies to promote student growth towards the discriminating feature of high achievement for their subject area.
- To build a high trust and appropriately professionally challenging learning environment for Stage 6 teachers to collaborate using HSC Strategy practices.

Resources

The resources for this introductory workshop are part of the HSC Strategy Nibbles Series. The Nibbles are designed to engage teachers and school leaders in HSC Strategy practices.



Powerful combinations of high leverage strategies Nibble





Workshop



Powerful combinations of high leverage strategies

Workshop preparation

Workshop leaders are advised to:

- pre-read the materials for the workshop
- plan workshop groupings to include Stage 6 teachers experienced in HSC Professional Learning or HSC Action Learning Collectives as leaders within each workshop group
- meet with Stage 6 teachers who attend HSC Strategy events to discuss their workshop role
- adjust the workshop agenda to meet the needs of Stage 6 teachers attending.

Time	Content	Purpose	Activity
5 mins	Introduction	Explain the workshop objectives and agenda.	
25 mins	Powerful combinations of high leverage strategies Nibble	 Begin to build: understanding of powerful combinations of high leverage strategies specific to each subject knowledge in Stage 6 pedagogy as explained by the practising expert Stage 6 teachers in the HSC Strategy team. 	Teachers work through the relevant subject resource individually or in pairs.
45 mins	Discussion	Reflect on the Powerful combinations of high leverage strategies resource and discuss how you could apply the identified combination in your classroom and/or subject.	Group leaders lead a discussion with their group on how to apply a subject specific combination of high leverage strategies in their school. Group gives feedback to facilitating workshop leader.
15 mins	Wrap up	To conclude and decide next steps in the use of powerful combinations of high leverage strategies in your school.	Workshop leaders facilitate wrap up and record next steps.



Pack wrap up



School leaders have told us how they want to engage HSC Strategy practices with colleagues in school:



"Sharing and applying knowledge and skills gained from the PL with the school to build the capacity of all HSC teachers."



"Implement a school-wide opportunity for all Stage 6 teachers to complete HSC Professional Learning as a part of our school PL program."

"I appreciate the HSC Strategy webinar to unpack some of the resources for implementation across the school and will explore these more closely with my Teaching and Learning team to determine how to best implement at this stage."

Registration links



HSC Action Learning Collectives



HSC Professional Learning



HSC Strategy School Implementation

Have your say!

Your feedback helps us plan the next pack. Use the QR code or link below to provide feedback.





