



Welcome to your flexible professional experience placement with the NSW Department of Education

Our classroom environments are providing flexible learning opportunities for all of our students. There is a mix of online/remote teaching, face-to-face teaching and alternative learning opportunities across schools this year.

To help prepare you for your placement we are offering some professional learning opportunities:

Date	Professional Learning	Access
Complete asap	Mandatory pre-requisites	<p>Before you enter our schools, including our online classrooms, you must complete your mandatory pre-requisites including the Working with Children declaration and Induction:</p> <p>Mandatory pre-requisites for pre-service teachers</p> <p>Induction for pre-service teachers</p> <p>NB: Demonstration of the EpiPen is not required while your placement is online only.</p>
Prior to placement	Online learning platforms	<p>Check with your supervising teacher which platform they are using then access the appropriate self-paced professional learning:</p> <p>Microsoft Teams</p> <p>Google Classroom</p>
Prior to placement	Webinars	<p>Build your skills in teaching online by enrolling in our webinars at:</p> <p>Technology 4 Learning</p>
Tuesday 7 September 3.30-4.30pm	Managing student's learning in an online learning environment.	<p>Presenter: Virginia Cluff Deputy Principal, Instructional Leader Aurora College Dunedoo Central School</p> <p>Please follow the link to register.</p> 
Tuesday 14 September 3.30-4.30pm	Managing challenging behaviours and engaging students in an online learning environment.	<p>Presenters: Darren Avery and Alex Laurence COVID Intensive Learning Support Program Taskforce</p> <p>Darren Avery - STEM Community Leader Alex Laurence - Learning Designer</p> <p>Please follow the link to register.</p> 
Term 4	Managing behaviour in the classroom	<p>Dates to be advised.</p> <p>More information to support professional experience can be found at Pre-service teacher resources</p>

The Department wants to ensure you have access to their portal prior to your placement. This will give you access to all of the resources our teachers have and other information. You will receive more details about this soon.