

CS Grow - Term 4 2021

CS Grow (Christian Studies – Grow) provides professional learning opportunities for Christian Studies teachers and leaders. Engagement in these sessions contributes towards Accreditation Currency (as per [Lutheran Education Australia's requirements](#)). Below are the **FOUR** online offerings for term 4 of 2021. Registrations are via [LESNW Events](#).

CS Grow: A biblical approach to planning a CS unit

Thursday 4th November from 9 am – 12 noon via MS Teams

We will experience an approach to the planning of Christian Studies which uses a 3-step model with a conceptual lens:

- Engaging with the CSCF
- Reading parts of 'A God who speaks and acts'
- Engaging in a biblical strategy to deepen your knowledge and understanding.

This learning will then be transferred to the planning of a CS unit for students, or the planning of a session to be facilitated with staff in your learning community. *Registrations will close at 1 pm on Monday 1st November. Information about workshop needs and protocols will be emailed to registered participants after this date.*

CS Grow: CSCF Christianity in the World 2 - Spirituality

Thursday 4th November from 1 pm – 3 pm via MS Teams

We will explore the concept of *Spirituality* and related concepts that may inform planning for students or staff. During the workshop, we will identify the big idea or unit question, clarify **what** the key idea is about, **why** it is important to know and understand, and **how** learning will unfold with students or staff. We will have opportunity to consider a Bible passage and related theological perspectives. *Registrations will close at 1 pm on Monday 1st November. Information about workshop needs and protocols will be emailed to registered participants after this date.*

CS Grow: Taking a conceptual approach to the implementation of the CSCF

Tuesday 16th November from 9 am – 12 noon via MS Teams

This 3-hour professional learning session will explore:

- what concepts are
- why a conceptual approach is beneficial for teaching and learning

We will identify concepts for each key idea and band level of the CSCF. This will assist teachers to develop and consider a conceptual approach to the teaching and learning of CS that can link with other learning areas in the Australian Curriculum. *Registrations close at 1 pm on Thursday 11th November. Information about workshop needs and protocols will be emailed to registered participants after this date.*

CS Grow: CSCF Christian Living 3 - Stewardship

Tuesday 16th November from 1 pm – 3 pm via MS Teams

We will explore the concept of *Stewardship* and related concepts that may inform planning for students or staff. During the workshop, we will identify the big idea or unit question, clarify **what** the key idea is about, **why** it is important to know and understand, and **how** learning will unfold with students or staff. We will have opportunity to consider a Bible passage and related theological perspectives. *Registrations will close at 1 pm on Thursday 11th November. Information about workshop needs and protocols will be emailed to registered participants after this date.*
