Geebung Special School 2025 ANNUAL IMPLEMENTATION PLAN







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School priority 1:

Augmentative and alternate communication is used to increase student voice and engagement in school life.

Monitoring Green – on track, Yellow – underway, Magenta – yet to commence. Shade cell at the end of each term after reflection based on progress. Term 1 Term 2 Term 3 Term 4

Strategies:

- Maintain a clear picture of the communication competencies of the school professional community.
- -Formulate a systemic approach to upskilling staff with the intention to move every staff member continuing to grow 1 step along the continuum of skills:
- 1. Novice to proficient
- 2. Proficient to Lead
- Engage SLPs for targeted PD following staff Self-Assessment

Long term measurable/desired outcomes:

- Students can: access their chosen method of communication and express their thoughts. (Social, Academic and practical context)
- Teachers can: recognise and implement the most appropriate form of AAC to support/enable student engagement
- <u>Teacher Aides can:</u> utilise directed forms of AAC to support student student engagement.
- School leaders can: Identify systemic actions that enhance the communication capabilities of all members of the GSS community. (targeted deployment of resourses based on evidence of success)

AIP measurable/desired outcomes:

Completions of regular *instructional* observations (Week 3,6,9) from leadership team looking for evidence of "A" standard of practice.

All focus students will lift 1 level within their target ROCC domain.

Increase capability and confidence as evidenced in staff data upon completion of the communication self-assessment. (Completed at the end of Semester 1 and 2)

Enhanced student engagement in learning

Actions:

- -Staff to complete a self-assessment check list that systematically identifies at a group and at an individual level what skills currently exist within the staff.
- -Concepts and skills common to many staff's improvement journey will be the focus of whole school staff meetings occurring weeks 1-4-7 of each term.
- -Fortnightly teacher aide meetings will focus on developing concepts associated with AAC.
- -Age specific and developmental skills will be focused on during sub-school meetings on weeks 2,5 and 8.
- Peer to Peer observation and feedback to occur twice a year (minimum) targeting communication practices.
- -Individual coaching and modelling of specific skills and techniques will be provided to staff through targeted intensive support by school based SLT
- DPs and HOD-C to collaborate with staff during class visits
- -Staff will complete the self-assessment tool at the end of semester one and two or as required.
- -Leadership team will undertake regular classroom visits seeking to identify indicators of student and staff progression around AAC competency.
- -Application of the Communication Professional development roadmap.

Responsible officer(s):

Strategic Leadership:

Principal

Operational Leadership:

Upper School DP - Johan Venter

Speech Language Pathologist

Resources:

- Dedicated staff meeting time
- 0.6 School purchased Speech Language Therapist.
- AITSL Teacher self-evaluation tool
- self- assessment tool (specifically designed by Geebung Special School)

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School priority 2: Monitoring Long term measurable/desired outcomes: AIP measurable/desired outcomes: Extend teachers knowledge and understanding of the Australian Curriculum (version 9) Checking for understanding during each phase through deliberate and targeted collaboration and co-design in planning, teaching and Students can: Students meaningfully engaged in the of the teaching and learning cycle through learning sequences and moderation processes. most appropriate learning experiences.(ROCC professional conversation and observations. Level, AAP,AC access point) Strategies: Teachers can: design, implement and refine SOS: Increase in student achievement in Simple, clear and accessible articulation of the expected curriculum that is familiar to all staff (CARF) experiences based on students next step in learning. literacy as reflected in reporting and associated Continue systems of collaboration during the planning, teaching, assessing, moderation and reporting phase. data sets. Refer to school data plan. Development of a curriculum reference group that is representitive of all sectors of the school. <u>Teacher Aides can:</u> support students to enage in individual learning with a clear understanding of how this specifically relates to the next steps in learning. School leaders can: Identify systemic actions that support the impelentation of the Australian Curriculum (v9) at Geebung Special School. (targeted deployment of resourses based on evidence of success) **Actions:** Responsible officer(s): **Resources:** Information associated with the curriculum of Geebung Special School is articulated at multiple levels. FTE and purchased time to allow dedicated Whole School - Staff meetings Strategic Leadership: release time for year level teaching teams Small Group - Year level teaching team meetings Principal and indvidual teachers. Individual - Curriculum drop-in meetings Membership to expert professional groups Operational Leadership: which demonstrate industry best practice. Multiple opportunities are created to allow year level groups to work together Fortnightly NCT teaching team release time **HOD-C-Narelle Crisp** Year level teaching team meetings every third week Twice termly learning data conversations release time Early Year DP-Lenore Fox HPT meeting systems (structure – whole school, sector (lower/upper), year level teaching teams)

Approvals

This plan was developed in consultation with the school community and meets school needs and systemic requirements.

Individual release time for teachers to observe or be observed by peers seeking specific improvement.

Principal

P&C/School Council

School Supervisor

Teaching and Learning Reference Group

