

School Wide Positive Behaviour Support (SWPBS) Newsletter Term 2, 2021



Hello everyone,

I hope you have survived a challenging and interesting Term 2.

Thanks to all who do such amazing work in the space of SWPBS.

On my travels throughout this term, I have been inspired by the enthusiasm and passion people have in implementation of SWPBS.

As the number of schools begin to grow, I see a great opportunity to share our story and all the exciting learning that is happening.

Next term we will be to providing you with Two Professional Development opportunities.

The purpose of these two Professional Development opportunity is to offer external support around Data collection and tools used to assist with this function.

The other will be a collective Professional Development Day incorporating practises and assessment tools to assist with implementation of SWPBS.

What Is Data-Based Decision Making?

Data are an integral part of SWPBS implementation, woven throughout every practice and system across every tier. School teams who use data to make decisions about student challenges are more effective and efficient than teams who do not include data in their process. In SWPBS, the data used most frequently fall into three categories: implementation fidelity, student outcomes, and screening.

The first workshop will be Simon – Data collection tools for social behaviours.

- Warrnambool St Joseph's Parish Centre 1.00pm -3.00pm 11th of August
- Mildura Mildura CEB Office 1.00pm 3.00pm 28th of July
- Ballarat Glowrey Room 1.00pm- 3.00pm 4th of August
- Horsham Horsham Office 1.00pm- 3.00pm 23rd of August

If you are attending, please RSVP at my email address aruddell@dobcel.catholic.edu.au.

The second will be a Professional Development Day, a gathering of SWPBS Leaders and teams.

SWPBS Professional Development Day

Focus:

- Sharing Session / Show case of practical examples
- Implementation of SWPBS in our Diocese
- TFI collection of Data
- Analysing Data
- Planning for 2021

Please see below a Flyer and register your attendance here: https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/160909748389

Finally, nearing the end of term 3, schools start planning for their annual action plan. If you are wanting or after some information around SWPBS you can access <u>The HIVE</u> or give me a call to unpack what the commitment would look like in your school's context.

Allocation and times have been made for term 3. However, if you need questions answered or conversations around where to next in SWPBS please do not hesitate to give the me a call.

Have a great break.

Anne Ruddell





Education Services

School Wide Positive Behaviour Support (SWPBS) Professional Learning

Rationale

The wellbeing and learning of students is positively impacted by the quality of positive relationships. Positive relationships with adults in the school and with students at all levels increases engagement and motivation. (Hattie, 2009) Relationships may be enhanced using whole school strategies, frameworks and philosophies such as School Wide Positive Behaviour. Positive relationships foster connectedness and feelings of belonging. These relationships are characterised by constructive interactions that provide enthusiastic and genuine support.

Focus

- To build up and consolidate whole school practice towards managing school behaviours
- Developing a positive environment for behaviour to ensure that learning can occur.

Learning Intentions

- Continue to support schools in their SWPBS journey
- Extend and enhance the strategies and skills of teacher practice in relation to classroom and whole school practices in managing behaviour in a positive way
- Partner with schools in the area of behaviour management in conducting, analysing and determining impact, to make data informed decisions.

Content

- Sharing Session / Showcase of practical examples
- Implementation of SWPBS in our Diocese
- TFI collection of Data
- Analysing Data
- Planning an Action Plan for 2021

Participants / Target Audience

· Recharge in the space of SWPBS

Prerequisites NIL

For further information, please contact Anne Ruddell



Dates:

21 September

Venue:

Ballarat

Cost: \$130

Presenters:

Anne Ruddell & CEB Staff

Organiser:

Anne Ruddell

Max attendees:

Registrations Close:

7 September