

New Zealand Health Education Association



Literacy and Numeracy in Health Education workshop update

All workshop details and final reminder:

Kia ora koutou katoa,

This mail out is our final reminder about the upcoming literacy and numeracy in health education workshops starting after the school holidays. The registration link for those still wishing to attend is at the bottom of this newsletter.

Key points:

- NZHEA will run 14 workshops in term 2 between weeks 1 and 7 in various locations across New Zealand from 9am-3pm.
- A more in-depth explanation is provided below, however the focus of the workshops is on disciplinary literacy (i.e. literacy that is already in our resourcing), and the numeracy focus is based on statistics and using health data.
- NZHEA will also provide updates on curriculum and Relationships and Sexuality Education as we understand it at the time of each workshop.
- The workshop is suitable for ALL secondary school teachers year 9 year 13, as well as intermediate teachers.
- Workshops are free to attend, and morning tea will also be provided.
- Teachers will be responsible for organising their own relief and lunch.
- Our preference is attendees are registered at least 2 weeks BEFORE each workshop starts for catering purposes, however we are happy to accept late registration also.

Dates and venues:

Workshops in order of date:

- 1. Mystery Creek Events Centre Hamilton: Tuesday 29th April.
- 2. North Harbour Stadium Albany Auckland: Thursday 1st May.
- 3. Due Drop Events Centre Manukau Auckland: Friday 2nd May.
- 4. Hundertwasser Arts Centre Whangārei: Monday 5th May.

- 5. The Arts Village Rotorua: Monday 12th May.
- 6. Mercury Baypark Mount Maunganui: Tuesday 13th May.
- 7. East Pier Hotel Napier: Tuesday 20th May.
- 8. Yarrow Stadium New Plymouth: Thursday 22nd May.
- 9. Palmy Venues Palmerston North: Tuesday 27th May.
- 10. Tākina Convention and Exhibition Centre Wellington: Thursday 29th May.
- 11. Pūtangitangi Greenmeadows Centre Nelson: Tuesday 3rd June.
- 12. Tūranga Library Christchurch: Thursday 5th June.
- 13. Dunstan High School Alexandra: Tuesday 10th June
- 14. Edgar Centre Dunedin: Thursday 12th June.

Details of workshop:

An overview of the NZHEA resource **Supporting literacy and developing critical multiliteracies in Health Education: Years 9-13** and an exploration of disciplinary literacy and critical multiliteracies in Health Education. Note that this resource will be available in April.

- 1. Working through a sample of Health Education activities in a way that gives focus to the literacy aspects of these.
- 2. Developing a new version of a context specific literacy activity that requires preparation of lists of words or ideas, a framework or model, Q&A, scenarios, etc. and sharing these to create an item bank of literacy activities that can be accessed by all workshop participants.
- 3. An overview of the ways data can be used in Health Education (without having to know much about statistics).
- 4. Exploring the use of the Tūturu Discussing the data resource based on CenususAtSchool data.

Prior to the workshop it is recommended that teachers download a digital copy of:

Effective Literacy Strategies in Years 9–13 – A Guide for Teachers (Ministry of Education, 2004) https://newzealandcurriculum.tahurangi.education.govt.nz/effective-literacy-strategies-in-years-9-to-13/5637203829.p (there will be print copies of this in schools if you ask around)

Discussing the data: Health Attitudes to Being Online and Alcohol Use (Tūturu, 2024 - three booklets) <u>https://tuturu.org.nz/toolkit/health-attitudes-resource</u> Purchase a copy of:

The Writing Book: A Practical Guide for Teachers by Sheena Cameron & Louise Dempsey (2013) (note there may be copies of this around school that can be borrowed or there are multiple online book sellers who stock this title).





Registration link:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScepnLax9hGS0G1udpt59O2gb0IHDP1kjTekJ1f84fHr wzE2w/viewform?usp=sharing

Confirmation and details specific to each venue will be emailed to those who have registered approximately 1 week before the workshop.

Any questions please email: kaiarahi@healtheducation.org.nz

Ngā mihi nui

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