

Taking the Lead E-newsletter

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Welcome to Taking the Lead, the one-stop shop for information and advice on developing core language, literacy and numeracy (LLN) skills. This site provides information to help RTOs and employers, including online PD for trainers and assessors, case studies showing how employers and employees benefit from training that supports and develops LLN skills, LLN tips giving comprehensive advice on how to improve LLN; a searchable resource directory of LLN resources, and the latest news and events on LLN training services and funding opportunities.

Latest News

ENDORSED National Foundation Skills Strategy for Adults

Ministers have endorsed the NFSS for Adults held on 25 November 2011.

IBSA Foundation Skills Training Package Scoping Report

IBSA has released the Draft Scoping Report for the development of the Foundation Skills Training Package

2012 Service Skills Australia National Conference

You are invited to attend Service Skills Australia National Conference...

Australian Core Skills Framework—Free PD Workshops

Professional development workshop on the ACSF will be available from November 2011 to June 2013.

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Events 2011

2011 NSW Adult Literacy and Numeracy Council Conference
9 December, Sydney

Events 2012

Australia

2011-12 Australian Core Skills Framework—Free National PD Workshops various dates

2012 ACTA International TESOL Conference

3-5 July, Cairns

2012 ALEA National Conference
6-9 July Sydney

2012 National VET Conference
20-21 September, Gold Coast

International

2012 Hawaii International Conference on Education
5-8 January, Honolulu

2012 Florida Literacy Conference
9-11 May, St Petersburg

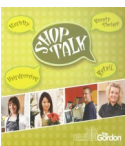
2012 Paris International Conference on Education Economy and Society
23-28 July, Paris

Taking the Lead is seeking your contribution

If you have LLN resources, products, or know of an upcoming event or LLN Latest News that you would like included on *Taking the Lead* website and in the next e-newsletter, please contact [Taking the Lead](#)

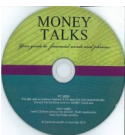
Australian LLN Reports and Resources

NEW reports and resources are regularly sourced to the directory.



Shop Talk 2010

This e-learning multimedia resource focuses on enhancing and developing the language and literacy skills underpinning common units of competency for beauty, floristry, hairdressing and retail training packages.



Money Talks 2010

This is a guide to financial words and phrases' at an entry level for Malaysian, Hindi, Mandarin and Vietnamese from NESB students and new workers.



Indigenous economic development strategy 2011-2018

This strategy sets out a long-term agenda for Indigenous economic participation. There are 5 priority areas including **skills development and jobs** that will provide access to improving Language Literacy and Numeracy Program, expanding the WELL Program and providing training to support the return to work of single and teenage parents.



OnTrack 2011

A resource to help Indigenous mentors meet the literacy and numeracy learning needs of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people.