

TOPIC: IMPROVING SCHOOLS THROUGH PARTNERSHIPS

DESCRIPTION

There is a significant focus on these partnerships in education across Australia and many schools struggle to develop the processes to develop broad and deep community relationships. Even though research points to positive outcomes from an academic and well being perspective for students, schools needs assistance to produce positive outcomes in this area.

AREAS OF FOCUS

STRATEGIC INTENT

How the leadership of the school approaches partnerships with community stakeholders to access resources that will enhance intellectual and wellbeing outcomes for students and staff.

IDENTIFIED NEED

Are partnerships are established based on an identified need?

BENEFITS

How does each partner benefit from the partnership? Is use being made of effective communication between partners and are measurement and review processes in place?

SUSTAINABILITY

Is there a solid foundation to maintain these partnerships and is there the correct amount of support to ensure longevity?

OPTIONS

Improving Schools Australia can facilitate discussions, research and processes that can help the school to identify solutions for building and maintaining School – Community partnerships

Improving Schools Australia offers support in this topic through:

- Review processes to capture and report on your school's current school – community partnerships
- Leadership team workshops; Individual and group mentoring
- Cross faculty or faculty specific sessions
- Junior, middle or senior school specific

FEE

Fees are determined based on preparation, travel, pre and post support involvement and resource provision. Detailed costs would be included in a Proposal specifically designed for your school.