



LETTRS®

Frequently Asked Questions

Q. How do I sign-up?

A. You can register for upcoming LETRS training by visiting DSF's professional learning calendar at <https://dsf.net.au/our-services/workshops-and-events>.

If there are no training sessions open for enrolment, please email lettrs@dsf.net.au to have your name placed on our expression of interest list.

Q. How much does it cost?

A. The cost of the combined face-to-face and online training varies depending on whether you are a current member of a SPELD organisation.

Currently, the cost of accessing the course is as follows:

Member price	Non-Member price
\$945 per year for 4 units and 4 face-to-face sessions.	\$985 for 4 units and 4 face-to-face sessions.

The cost for the online training and associated materials alone is approximately \$560 AUD per four units, dependent on the exchange rate.

Q. Is there a discount for group bookings?

A. Yes. DSF does offer a discount for group enrolments for the combined face-to-face and online training course. Organisations can choose to enrol staff at the individual price or purchase group bookings of 10 or more staff. Please contact DSF for pricing.

Q. How long will it take to complete the course?

A. This course is designed to take two years to complete. It consists of eight units; four to be completed in the first year and four to be completed in the second year. There is approximately 48 hours of online learning, reading and activities per year, with an additional four face-to-face sessions per year included in the combined training course.

Q. Is there a time limit on how long I can access the course?

A. You will have access to the Unit 1-4 online content for 12 months following your initial enrolment in the course; and access to the Unit 5-8 online content for the subsequent 12 months.

Q. Are there any assignments or assessment tasks?

A. This course has been designed to be an interactive learning experience with frequent opportunities to test your knowledge and understanding through a series of quizzes and classroom-based practice. All information needed to successfully pass each quiz is contained within the course itself and the accompanying reading materials. Participants will have two attempts to successfully complete each end of unit quiz. You must achieve a score of 80% or higher on the end-of-unit quizzes to successfully complete the LETRS course.

Q. Do I get a certificate when I have completed the course?

A. Yes. You will receive a certificate of completion upon successfully passing the final quiz in each unit.

Q. Who should complete the course?

A. This course has been designed to equip teachers, speech pathologists, specialist tutors and education support staff with the knowledge required to effectively teach students to read, spell and write.

Q. Does this course meet any of the Professional Standards for Teachers?

A. This course meets the following professional standards for teachers: 1.1.2, 1.2.2, 1.3.2, 1.5.2, 2.1.2, 2.5.2, 5.1.2 and 6.2.2

Q. Is this course recognised as prior learning for any university degrees or diplomas?

A. Discussions are currently taking place regarding this matter and we are optimistic about the outcome

Q. What if I have more questions?

A. For additional information, or to speak to a DSF staff member about this course, please contact:

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