

PLCs at Work™ Institutes

‘New Insights for Improving Schools’

Sydney: Tuesday 8 March 2011

**Adelaide: Thursday 10 and
Friday 11 March 2011**

**Perth: Monday 14 and
Tuesday 15 March 2011**

**Melbourne: Thursday 17 and
Friday 18 March 2011**

featuring
Tim Brown



PLC International Trainer

Institute Overview

PLCs at Work™ – ‘New Insights for Improving Schools’

This two day institute will deepen your understanding of the following PLC components:

- Collaboration
- Interventions
- Common Assessments

In this two day PLC at Work Institute learn how to change the culture of your school to dramatically improve student results. Tim will share with participants how to change your school culture for school improvement through implementing key components of the PLC framework.

DAY ONE

Collaboration and Intervention

- Assess and increase your skills in facilitating and leading collaborative teams within your PLC.
- Learn how to move from congenial teams to collaborative communities of best practice.
- Use tools to promote collaboration and focus the work for results.
- Match products, structures and processes used by successful teams.
- Inspire trust and increase communication through effective interpersonal skills.
- Increase your confidence in leading difficult conversations and managing conflict.

- Gain practical ideas regarding how to identify students needing additional support, determine the appropriate intervention(s) for each child, monitor each student’s progress, and revise a student’s program as needed.
- Understand how to use flexible time to extend student learning and support students who have already mastered year-level curriculum

DAY TWO

Assessment

- Learn the common formative assessment process from beginning to end.
- Understand how to collect meaningful instructional data that informs interventions and enrichment planning.
- Focus on the keys to accurate design and effective use of assessments.
- Gain supportive tools, such as planning templates and protocols.
- Leave with a framework for working interdependently to create high-quality assessments.

PLEASE NOTE:

The Sydney 1 Day Institute is a PLC overview day that will explore in depth how we can ensure a:

- Focus on Learning
- Focus on Collaboration
- Focus on Results

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About Tim Brown



Tim Brown has been a principal at the primary, middle years and secondary school levels and has implemented the Professional Learning Communities at Work™ model in his district. Tim’s school became a flagship of success and has been recognised as one of Missouri’s Most Improved Schools. The school also received recognition as an Exemplary Practices School.

With over 20 years of experience in administration at both the primary and secondary levels, Tim excels at creating a positive school climate based on collaboration among educators.

The schools Tim has worked with all reported increases in student achievement. In 2005, he was selected to represent his state as the National Distinguished Primary Principal. Now a full-time Solution Tree associate, Tim has been active in numerous professional committees and task forces and received several awards and honours for his leadership.

Institutes At A Glance

SYDNEY – 1 DAY INSTITUTE

Date: Tuesday 8 March 2011
 Cost: Individual - \$330 (inc. GST)
 Team Price - \$300 per person (inc GST)
 (A Team is 5 or more people from the same organisation registering together)
 Venue: Sydney TBA

ADELAIDE – 2 DAY INSTITUTE

Date: Thursday 10 and Friday 11 March 2011
 Cost: Individual - \$660 (inc. GST)
 Team Price - \$600 per person (inc GST)
 (A Team is 5 or more people from the same organisation registering together)
 Venue: Adelaide TBA

PERTH – 2 DAY INSTITUTE

Date: Monday 14 and Tuesday 15 March 2011
 Cost: Individual - \$660 (inc. GST)
 Team Price - \$600 per person (inc GST)
 (A Team is 5 or more people from the same organisation registering together)
 Venue: Perth TBA

MELBOURNE – 2 DAY INSTITUTE

Date: Thursday 17 and Friday 18 March 2011
 Cost: Individual - \$660 (inc. GST)
 Team Price - \$600 per person (inc GST)
 (A Team is 5 or more people from the same organisation registering together)
 Venue: Melbourne TBA

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