

languages education symposium

SEMINAR for FAMILIES

For those interested in improved languages education for Victorian secondary students.

GUEST SPEAKERS

Simone Smala: University of Qld

Maria Gindidis: Monash University

WHEN

April 18, 2013, 7.30 – 9.30 pm

WHERE

Hawthorn Secondary College
Auditorium
cnr Tooronga Rd & Burgess St,
Hawthorn

OUTCOMES

An opportunity for parents to learn more about changes to languages education in Australian schools and to ask questions and connect with educators and fellow community members interested in school language learning.

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IS LANGUAGE LEARNING IMPORTANT FOR YOUR FAMILY?

New directions in languages education provide exciting opportunities for learners starting their secondary education journey in Victoria.

Integration of language learning with subject knowledge opens doors for students to expand cognitive skills and participate in global trends towards multilingual education and communication. Content and language integrated learning (CLIL) is a key strategy of the Victorian government's vision for language education.

Dr. Simone Smala is a lecturer in language, literacies and sociology of education. Simone focuses her research on Content and Language Integrated Learning in Queensland schools.

Ms Maria Gindidis' experience is across varied sectors of education, including learning technologies, disability, gifted programs and curriculum change consultation in Australian schools.



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information about education in
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