

LSV Workshop Plan

Swimming and Water Safety Education

Date	Workshop	Audience	Delivery	Details
Term 1 (28th Jan – 1st April)				
9 th March	AFAR – New VWSC Dashboards	Swim schools and schools	Blended (face-to-face and online)	Launch of LSV's new individual VWSC, including how to use, importance of VWSC and targets for 2021.
Term 2 (19th April – 25th June)				
11 th May	AFAR – Accredited Training	Swim schools and schools	Blended (face-to-face and online)	Hear about the great benefits of LSV's 'Renew in June' initiative for Swim Teacher Qualifications, GSPO requirements for Swim Teachers, and what in-service training is on offer
19 th May	Access and Inclusion Think Tank	Swim schools and schools	Blended (face-to-face and online)	This event will connect schools with aquatic education specialists to discuss the opportunities and challenges associated with teaching swimming and water safety to students with a disability. It will also provide opportunities for teachers to share ideas and inspiration with other professionals.
17 th June (TBC)	Swimming and Water Safety in the Victorian Curriculum and New VWSC Competencies	Swim schools and schools	Blended (face-to-face and online)	Share the updates in the revised VWSC, including how, why and what to assess. Explore how swimming and water safety fits in the Victorian Curriculum.
Term 3 (12th July – 17th September)				
10 th August	AFAR – NEW Online Water Safety Program	Swim schools and schools	Blended (face-to-face and online)	Share the new VWSC online program. Explain what is required/expected of swim schools with this new online component, and how to communicate achievement of VWSC with schools.
18 th August (TBC)	Online VWSC Component Hands-on Workshop	Schools	In-person at a school	Teaching school teachers how to use the new online VWSC component, ready for them to implement in Term 4.
9 th September (TBC)	Tech Time - Metro	Schools	In-person at a metro school	Hands-one workshop for school teachers to learn how students can visit different tech zones to learn about water safety and dry swimming skills using technology.

10 th September (TBC)	Tech Time - Regional	Schools	In-person at a regional school	Hands-one workshop for school teachers to learn how students can visit different tech zones to learn about water safety and dry swimming skills using technology.
23 rd September (school holidays -TBC)	Bush Nippers (including Partnership options)	Swim schools	Blended (face-to-face and online)	Presented during school holidays. Swim teachers learn all about the Bush Nipper program and how they too can implement Bush Nippers programs through partnership opportunities.
Term 4 (4th October – 17th December)				
12 th October (TBC)	Swimming and Water Safety in A-D Curriculum (with new A-D resources)	Swim schools and schools	Blended (face-to-face and online)	Following the release of new A-D resources with VCAA, schools and swim schools will learn all about how swimming and water safety fits in the A-D Victorian Curriculum.
27 th October (TBC)	Survival Swimming – Metro (with portable pools)	Schools	In-person at a metro school (with portable pool)	Practical session for teachers to learn how to deliver 10 lesson + 5 lesson + open water scenarios with portable pools.
28 th October (TBC)	Survival Swimming – Regional (with portable pools)	Schools	In-person at a regional school (with portable pool)	Practical session for teachers to learn how to deliver 10 lesson + 5 lesson + open water scenarios with portable pools.
29 th October	Aquatic Industry Summit	Swim schools	Blended (face-to-face and online)	An LSV Summit. We will present between one and three sessions to share key messages, new resources and relevant information for swim schools at this time.
9 th November	AFAR – Water Safety Week	Swim schools and schools	Blended (face-to-face and online)	Schools and swim schools will learn how to develop an engaging and informative Water Safety Week setup in 2021. Include a setup of resources, inflatable ducks, technology etc.

For more information about upcoming workshops, and to access past workshop recordings and Swimming and Water Safety Education resources, visit www.lsv.com.au/toolkit

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