# Exciting opportunity for pre-accredited educators

The Adult Literacy and Numeracy Practitioners Program (ALNPP) is a professional development program for pre-accredited educators keen to improve their knowledge and skills in adult literacy and numeracy practice. The program implements an important part of the [ACFE Board’s Strategy 2020 – 2025.](https://www.education.vic.gov.au/Documents/about/research/acfepublications/ACFE_Board_Strategy_2020-25.pdf)

The ALNPP was developed by Adult Learning Australia (ALA) and Adult and Community Education Victoria (ACEVic). Nineteen highly skilled and experienced literacy and numeracy practitioners have been recently trained to deliver the ALNPP to their peers in Learn Local providers across the state. The nineteen separately run programs will be run at different dates and times and will all finish by November 2020.

# What is the Adult Literacy and Numeracy Practitioners Program?

This is an exciting opportunity for a select group of Learn Local practitioners to invest in their learning. The ALNPP takes around 20 hours to complete and comprises a series of linked modules that include:

What people are saying about the ALNPP

*The adult learning theory has been a bit challenging …but it’s good to learn something new and to realise I probably already use some of the ideas even though I haven’t put a name to them.”*

*“I have begun to see how numeracy can share the stage in an interesting and effective way.”*

“*It is great to read others’ comments and realise that many of us are asking ourselves the same questions.”*

*“I love the concept of teachers being the ‘support act’ and whilst we may start on the stage, we need to ‘get off the stage’ at some point so the learners can perform.”*

* Putting adult learning theory into practice
* Unpacking adult literacy and numeracy theory
* Using the Pre-accredited Quality Framework
* Using the Australian Core Skills Framework
* Trauma-informed practice and addressing learning difficulties
* Maximising your impact for adults with low literacy and numeracy.

# Flexible delivery

# The nineteen separately run programs will each be delivered either 100% online or through a blend of face to face and online learning, however the content will be the same. To participate, practitioners will need access to a computer and the internet to access the learning management system and resources provided.

# As the ALNPP will be delivered entirely online by some providers, interested applicants should not be deterred by their location. You are welcome to apply to take part in any one of the nineteen programs that suits your needs.

# How to participate

Advertisements will begin to appear for the programs in the next few weeks and you should apply directly to these providers. We also encourage you to contact a listed Learn Local (see over the page) by 24th July 2020 to express your interest in participating.

We want to ensure that at least one pre-accredited teacher from each Learn Local provider is offered the opportunity to be involved. If you are unable to secure a place directly, please contact the Department’s Senior Project Officer, Jane Mancini Jane.Mancini@education.vic.gov.au

Should you have any more general queries about the program, please contact your Regional office.

# Learn Local providers delivering the ALNPP

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