

Learning Community Strategy 2024-2029 - Phase 1

Phase 1 of our engagement is complete!

Phase 1 - Community consultation for the evaluation of current Learning Community Strategy 2018-2023 closed in March.

A first round of consultations evaluating the current Learning Community Strategy sought to understand the community's support for the themes that would guide learning in Wyndham City into the future.

It found that through its Learning Community Strategy Wyndham City is effective in promoting lifelong and life-wide learning, fostering partnerships, and providing a roadmap for an equitable, inclusive, and innovative learning community.

It also found that the next strategy should align with other Council plans, engage with the First Nations Community, focus on language, literacy, numeracy, and digital literacy, and respond to changes that will shape the future in the fastest growing local government area in Australia .

You can read more about our first phase of engagement via the engagement report here or below.

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The Learning Community Strategy 2018-2023 clearly identifies Wyndham City Council as a significant stakeholder in driving a knowledge-based local economy and community that values lifelong learning for all residents. The Strategy identifies five key roles for Council in improving learning outcomes in Wyndham. These roles are advocacy, facilitation, exploration, initiation and delivery.

Council takes an advocacy and influencing role to ensure Wyndham secures the necessary resources to enable equitable access to learning for all residents. It plays a key role in facilitating partnerships, collaborations and relationships that are critical to delivering lifelong learning opportunities to the people of Wyndham.

Council supports service development through use of existing data and analytics and through leading and/or participating in research and development. It initiates new and innovative responses to identified existing and emerging needs and directly delivers learning related services.

The strategy includes 18 Key Actions* which are organised according to 4 themes:



CELEBRATING

Living and learning

Actions 1-2



ADVOCATING

For equity and quality in service provision

Action 3



FACILITATING

Partnerships and collaboration across sectors

Actions 4-11



INNOVATING

Learning and fostering new entrepreneurial spirit

Actions 12-18

CELEBRATING

- Action 1: Learning Festival
- Action 2: Transformative Education Showcase

ADVOCATING

Action 3: Strong Advocacy to Ensure Learning for All

FACILITATING

- Action 4: Education Roundtable
- Action 5: Constructive relationships with Principals
- Action 6: Best Practice in Transition
- Action 7: Inclusion and Equity in Learning for All
- Action 8: Strengthen Literacy and Numeracy Network
- Action 9: Aboriginal Culture driving new ways to Learn
- Action 10: Developing Leaders in Local Communities
- Action 11: Alumni as Leadership Mentors

INNOVATING

- Action 12: Engaging, Participating and Leading Globally
- Action 13: Wyn Talks
- Action 14: Enabling Innovation & Entrepreneurship in Business
- Action 15: Future Space
- Action 16: Community "Hackathons"
- Action 17: Creative Learning Program
- Action 18: Civics Learning and Social Cohesion

^{*}You can read more detail about the Key Actions from page 26 in the <u>Learning Community</u> <u>Strategy 2018-2023.</u>



Wyndham City Council recognises Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples as the first Peoples of Australia. We acknowledge the Bunurong and Wadawurrung Peoples as Traditional Owners of the lands on which Wyndham City operates. The Wadawurrung and Bunurong Peoples have and always will belong to the Werribee Yalook (river), creeks, stars, hills and red clay of this Country. We pay respect to their Ancestors and Elders who always have, and always will, care for Country and community today and for future generations.