

# Powerful Unit Writing with Habits of Mind and Backward Design

Presented By James Anderson

*Experience working with Habits of Mind and / or Understanding by Design an advantage.*

*Completion of "Habits of Mind: Practical Classroom Strategies" recommended*

<b>VENUE</b> Training Choice Melbourne, Melbourne 	<b>DATE</b> 19th & 20th Nov 2013 	<b>COST</b> \$475 (+GST) 	<b>TIME</b> 09:00 AM- 04:00 PM 	<b>CATERING</b> Morning tea and lunch will be provided for all attendees 
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## Course Outline

When was the last time you were able to spend two whole days designing and writing a unit of work? This workshop allows you to combine your curriculum goals with Habits of Mind and the Backward Design Process to create a powerful unit of work that will improve student learning outcomes.

Over two highly practical and focused days James Anderson will coach and guide you through the creation of your unit of work that will improve your student's Habits of Mind. You choose the topic of the unit so it fits with your school's curriculum and can immediately be put it to use in your classroom. You will go beyond the posters and language of the Habits of Mind, and learn how to integrate and sustain the Habits of Mind in your classroom through deliberately and deeply infusing the development of the Habits of Mind into your curriculum writing process.

This workshop is conducted in strictly small groups to allow effective coaching and maximum learning to take place. This course is suitable for all teachers.

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## James Anderson

James is an internationally recognised expert on Habits of Mind and an Affiliate director of Art Costa and Bena Kallick's Institute for Habits of Mind with over 10 years experience leading professional learning with Habits of Mind. He is committed to ensuring you achieve the learning goals of this workshop and that you create a powerful, practical and useful unit of work for use in your classroom. To further support you in meeting these goals, James offers a follow up coaching session (via skype) to fine tune any elements of your unit of work, or to reflect on the unit after you've trailed it. This follow up coaching is available in the 4 months following the workshop.

## ENROL NOW

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Please note, by submitting this enrolment form you are confirming that you have been given financial approval by your school to attend this course  
**CANCELLATION:** Cancellation advice should be given in writing 7 days prior to the course date

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**PD Hours: 14 hours**

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