

Almost 50 % of the adult population in Australia have literacy (Reading & Writing) issues, some people missed out at school, through no fault of their own.

Many of these people struggle with day to day activities such as:

- using public transport
- filling in Centrelink forms
- food shopping
- reading instructions on medication
- writing a job application
- many basic life skills

Lack of Literacy prevents people from getting jobs, increases poverty, stigma and isolation.

Many have to get a friend to help, or feel embarrassed about their literacy and may hide it by 'forgetting their glasses' or 'having bad handwriting'.

Many have tried to learn to read, but have failed and given up. Many who want to take the first step towards improving their reading are frightened that people will judge them.

We have a qualified and experienced teacher and a small friendly group of students in a caring and supportive environment. Our course is designed to make everyone feel comfortable and welcome. This course is open to all who want to learn to read or improve their reading and writing skills.

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Reading and Writing

Improve your reading, writing, maths and very basic computer skills in a friendly welcoming atmosphere.

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Topics taught include reading stories, newspaper and magazine articles; basic grammar; vocabulary; spelling and writing, filling in forms, map reading as well as basic maths and computing skills, all essential life skills for those people who have always struggled with these issues.

ACFE tuition fees for government funded programs have been set in accordance with ministerial fees and directions. Student amenity fees and materials fee are charged per course and may vary between courses. Proof of permanent residency / approved concession card is required to be eligible for ACFE subsidised rates.



DATE & TIME Tuesday 1pm – 4pm (10 weeks)

STARTS 24 April – 26 June 2018

**COST FREE for Concession \$50 Full Fee
\$ 90 Non-Resident**

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