

Curriculum Resources Writer – Secondary or Primary

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- Are you ready to write engaging curriculum resources for teachers?
- Do you want to be part of a team that makes a difference in the education sector?
- Are you interested in seeing better outcomes for First Nations people?

ABOUT AUSTRALIANS TOGETHER EDUCATION

We work together respectfully, by listening and learning, to collaboratively create educational resources for all Australians, to increase awareness and understanding of our shared history, its ongoing impact, and help pave the way for meaningful actions.

We focus on teachers. They impact the learning and perspectives of the next generation. Our resources are created by applying the Australians Together Learning Framework and are developed alongside First Nations educators to ensure they're authentic and transformative. We provide:

- a vast array of educational resources to expand teacher knowledge, build confidence and help shift teaching practice
- inspirational resources that encourage, support and guide schools towards whole-of-school change
- an extensive suite of curriculum resources, activities and tools which equip teachers to bring First Nations perspectives to the classroom.

THE ROLE

As a **Curriculum Resources Writer**, you'll work under the direction of the Product Specialist – Curriculum Resources to contribute to the expanding suite of Australians Together curriculum resources. You'll be responsible for writing and refining curriculum resources and materials that are aligned with the Australians Together guidelines and that teachers will want to use.

You'll write curriculum resources that meet AITSL Teaching Standards 1.4 and 2.4 and that assist teachers to deliver the Australian Curriculum's Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Histories and Cultures cross-curriculum priority. You'll be writing for the year levels and learning areas you're most familiar with. In primary years these often have a cross- or inter-disciplinary teaching and learning approach.

To ensure the accuracy and relevance of the resources, the role includes consultation with First Nations cultural experts.

YOU ARE:

- **culturally savvy:** you understand the importance of cultural intelligence and intercultural understanding and the place it has within the education sector
- **a writer at heart:** you can organise ideas, structure a piece of curriculum and your sentences make sense!; you're a stickler for spelling and grammar and have an excellent eye for detail
- **a curriculum expert:** you know what engages students and meets the needs of teachers; you're familiar with the Australian Curriculum and AITSL Standards
- **a lover of research:** you love fact finding and assessing sources for quality and relevance

- **detail-oriented:** you have an excellent eye for detail; you can plan, juggle and organise your goals and tasks to ensure everything runs smoothly
- **proactive with a can-do attitude:** you're enthusiastic and motivated with a can-do approach; you thrive in a team environment and can work independently when needed; with your great time-management skills, you can plan effectively to get things done
- **a fast learner:** you instinctively adapt to change and challenges while keeping your cool.

WORK EXPERIENCE AND SKILLS

Essential:

- Passion for working with First Nations or other non-dominant cultural contexts
- A tertiary qualification in education
- Classroom experience in the last four years
- Evidence of experience producing high-quality, effective teaching and learning resources
- Excellence in managing time and meeting deadlines
- Excellence in written and verbal communication skills
- Proficiency in computer skills, especially MS Word
- Ability to work autonomously or as part of a team

Desirable:

- Experience working with First Nations or other non-dominant cultural contexts
- Knowledge and experience of inquiry-based learning

We're committed to providing a culturally safe workplace. We encourage First Nations people and people from diverse cultures, abilities and identities to apply. Applicants are required to have suitable work-from-home office arrangements.

TO APPLY

Contact careers@australianstogether.org.au if you'd like a detailed job description, or email us your CV and cover letter if you think you're the right fit.