

# ABORIGINAL EDUCATION DAY

Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> JUNE 2019



Aboriginal Education Day at Taronga Zoo has been developed to engage Indigenous and non-Indigenous teaching staff with Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander culture, heritage and traditional practices. Teachers will build confidence in their ability to embed Indigenous Australian culture, history and pedagogy in their teaching and learning programs and classroom practices.

## PARTICIPANTS WILL:

- Be introduced to the 8 ways of Aboriginal learning pedagogy and discover how the model can be used to engage all students.
- Develop their knowledge and confidence to embed authentic Indigenous cultural themes into their teaching and learning programs including Acknowledgement of Country, bush tucker knowledge and practice and Indigenous language.
- Collaborate and build networks with stakeholders, including Department Education Advisors, who can provide Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander cultural advice and support to improve classroom practice.
- Engage in a hands-on cultural connection session based on traditional Aboriginal activities.
- Discover how to use Taronga Zoo as an Aboriginal education resource.

## COURSE DETAILS:

Date: 06 JUNE, 2019

Time: 08:40 am – 03:00 pm

### Location:

Taronga Institute of Science & Learning  
Bradleys Head Road, Mosman NSW 2088

Cost: \$95 (materials and morning tea & lunch)

Register: Online through MyPL@Edu

Course ID: RG03282

Session Selection: Taronga Zoo  
Education Centre Mosman

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Completing this course will contribute 5.5 hours of NESA Registered PD addressing 1.4.2, 2.4.2, 7.4.2 from the Australian Professional Standards for Teachers towards maintaining Proficient Teacher Accreditation in NSW.

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