**Professional Development** *Early Childhood Education* 



Wellbeing & Development Through Creativity

Nature as Teacher



Fostering Holistic Practice Through The Arts



Creatively Cultivating Belonging, Being & Becoming

Exploring Identity: A Valuable Teaching & Learning Resource



## Early Childhood Education PDs

### Nature as Teacher

#### Skills:

#### Knowledge:

- Enhance learning in and from natural environments.
- Draw on nature and arts to foster connection and contribution to the world.
- Understand specific strategies for responding creatively to nature.
- Stay up to date with naturebased learning trends.

#### Fostering Holistic Practice Through The Arts

#### Skills:

- Use visual art techniques to explore pedagogy.
- Implement reflective practise to respond holistically to learners.
- Knowledge:
- Expand connections between wellbeing, learning and visual arts practice.
- Explore the communicative nature of visual art.

#### Creatively Cultivating Belonging, Being & Becoming

#### Skills:

- Create environments of belonging, being and becoming through visual art.
- Utilise art-making to explore and celebrate individuality and diversity, communities, groups and individuals.

#### Knowledge:

- Gain insight into communal arts practice and creating connections through art.
- Understand strategies for fostering creative selfexpression and visual communication skills.

#### Exploring Identity: A Valuable Teaching & Learning Resource

#### Skills:

- Develop awareness of identityspecific strengths and attributes through visual art.
- Foster celebration of identity through shared stories and experiences.
- **Knowledge:**
- Explore and reflect on the role of educator identity in early childhood education.
- Understand the value of identity as a teaching and
- identity as a teaching and learning resource.

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For more information about our PDs or to make a booking, email Heidi Franklin at: contact.thelamppoststudio@gmail.com or visit thelamppoststudio.com/PD



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Why Choose The Lamp Post Studio?

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- We hold space respectfully and appreciate individuality.
- We understand the importance of both independence and collaboration in learning environments.
- We embed the values and goals of the Early Years Learning Framework into our PDs for early childhood professionals.
- Our Early Childhood Education PDs are suitable for <u>all</u> early learning settings including; primary schools, kindergartens, preschools, daycares, playgroups and community groups.
- You can book into our PDs as an individual or arrange a PD specifically for a team or group.



### **Professional Development**



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The Lamp Post Studio is based in Bendigo, Victoria and Online. Our PDs can be booked online through our website or via e-mail.

Please contact us if you would like to arrange a PD exclusively for your group, staff or team. For exclusive PDs we can either organise a venue or facilitate at your venue, given it is suitable.

We are passionate about collaboration and responsive practice and tailor our PDs to the specific interests and priorities of the group.

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# About Us

# At The Lamp Post Studio, we weave creativity and wellbeing practices into our PD experiences.

Located in Bendigo, Victoria, The Lamp Post Studio provides meaningful opportunities for professional development and team-building in an encouraging, respectful environment.

Embracing a multidisciplinary approach, we offer engaging content specific to wellbeing, development, and caring proffessions.

### **Our Values**

