



# VCE Literature

Whether you are already teaching Literature, or will be in the future, the Mini-Method is a great way to refresh your perspective and learn more about how to teach the course. Run from July to October, this course prepares you for teaching Units 1, 2, 3 and 4 in 2020. From the first session, which focuses on the differences between VCE Literature and VCE English, through to the final session, the Mini-Method seeks to demystify the Literature course. The presenters, experienced VCE Literature teachers and assessors, will focus on developing your knowledge and skills across the Units. For each Area of Study, the presenters share their expertise in what students enjoy or find difficult, how you can best support their learning, and some useful activities and resources for building analysis and interpretation skills. All sessions are recorded for online listening and for access to notes.

**Presenters:** Christine Lambrianidis, Point Cook Senior; Jan May, Firbank Grammar; Heather Maunder, Caitlin Penrose, Montmorency Secondary College; Margaret Saltau; Briony Schroor, Nossal High School

**Venue:** AEU Building, 126 Trenerry Crescent, Abbotsford

## Overview of the program

Session focus	Date/time
<b>Overview and academic skills</b> (Caitlin Penrose and Margaret Saltau) How does Literature differ from English?	Thursday 16 July 5pm-7pm (register from 4.30pm)
<b>Unit 1: Approaches to literature</b> (Jan May) Area of Study 1 and Area of Study 2	Friday 7 August 9.30am-1.30pm (register from 9am)
<b>Unit 2: Context and connections</b> (Heather Maunder) Area of Study 1	Thursday 13 August 5pm-7pm (register from 4.30pm)
<b>Unit 2: Context and connections</b> (Heather Maunder) Area of Study 2	Thursday 27 August 5pm-7pm (register from 4.30pm)
<b>Unit 3: Form and transformation</b> (Caitlin Penrose) Area of Study 1 and Area of Study 2	Monday 31 August 1.30pm-5.30pm (register from 1pm)
<b>Unit 4: Interpreting texts</b> (Briony Schroor) Area of Study 1	Thursday 15 October 5pm-7pm (register from 4.30pm)
<b>Unit 4: Interpreting texts</b> (Christine Lambrianidis) Area of Study 2	Thursday 29 October 5pm-7pm (register from 4.30pm)



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## 2020 Mini-Method

**Full program:** This includes registration for **ALL** sessions (Overview and Units 1-4 sessions). All prices are GST inclusive.

- Individual VATE member \$795
- Organisational VATE member \$815
- Concession VATE member \$635

**Half program:** This includes registration for the Overview and **EITHER** Units 1-2 sessions **OR** Units 3-4 sessions. All prices are GST inclusive.

- Individual VATE member \$460
- Organisational VATE member \$480
- Concession VATE member \$355

Attending this event in full contributes 17.00 hours towards your **VIT professional development hours**. This event will address the following [AITSL standards](#): 2.1, 2.2, 2.3, 3.2, 3.3, 3.4, 3.6, 5.1, 5.3, 6.2, 6.3

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