



Advanced organiser
SWELL Lead Teacher Network
Friday 13 February
Worser Bay Boating Club

Topic – *Getting ready for the 2009 swell learning carnival*

Vocabulary

Planning teacher research, learning poutama, success criteria, assessment tasks, learning carnival, teacher's party, moderation of success criteria, measuring effect sizes, tracking levels of engagement, data recording and analysis tool, blog notes, carnival presentations

Learning Intentions WALT

- ◆ *Introduce new lead teachers to the swell learning community*
- ◆ *Establish expectations for swell learning carnival*
- ◆ *Preparing lead teacher research plans*
- ◆ *Developing success criteria and assessment tasks for lead teacher research projects*
- ◆ *Preparing teacher research blog notes*

Success Criteria WILF

1. *Lead teachers and principals to be aware of the timeline for 2009 swell activities*
2. *Lead teachers and principals to understand the purpose of the swell learning carnival and what will happen during the day*
3. *Lead teachers will have prepared a project plan for term one using the swell teacher research planning template*
4. *Lead teachers will have developed success criteria for their research focus and will have developed assessment tasks to measure student achievement in relation to the criteria*
5. *Lead teachers will have entered any data collected already into the swell data analysis spreadsheet*
6. *Lead teachers will have begun to write up their projects using the swell blog notes template*
7. *Lead teachers will have developed a plan for their presentation at the swell learning carnival*



Brooklyn Primary School
Island Bay School
Houghton Valley School

St Francis de Sales School
St Annes School
Newtown School

St Bernards School
Berhampore School
South Wellington Intermediate

Ridgway School
Owhiro Bay School



Timetable

8:30am	Tea / coffee + muffins
8.50 am	<p>Welcome Advance Organiser Introduction</p>
9:00am	<p>Reflection on progress Why collaborate, progress made to date (moral purpose, structure, tools, etc) expectations for 2009 (data, carnival, getting teachers researching)</p>
9:20am	<p>Swell learning carnival & teacher's party Timeline for the carnival - focusing on shared purpose, developmental needs for swell, literacy and numeracy trends, research presentations, research planning, research data analysis, research blogging, school discussions, whole group reflections Teacher's party update</p>
10:30am	Morning tea
11:00am	<p>An approach to introducing teachers to action research? St Anne's school have already begun to introduce teachers to the action research process. Hear about the approach they have been using.</p>
11.20am	<p>Term one project planning Focus area - Research questions - Method</p>
12:30pm	Lunch (provided)
1:30pm	<p>Term one project planning (cont') Success criteria - Assessment tasks - Data entry - Blog notes</p>
2:30pm	<p>Learning carnival presentation planning Presentation requirements, sharing what each school will be presenting</p>
3:00pm	Finish