

Review of P–10 Australian Curriculum: Languages — Auslan and the Framework for Aboriginal Languages and Torres Strait Islander Languages

Purpose

To inform schools that proposed revisions to the following P–10 Australian Curriculum Languages — Phase 4 **are now available** for public consultation until 7 November 2023 at www.australiancurriculum.edu.au/consultation/languages.

- Auslan First-Language learners (P–10 and Years 7–10)
- Auslan Second-Language learners (P–10 and Years 7–10)
- Framework for Aboriginal Languages and Torres Strait Islander Languages First-Language learners (P–10)
- Framework for Aboriginal Languages and Torres Strait Islander Languages Second-Language learners (P–10)
- Framework for Aboriginal Languages and Torres Strait Islander Languages Revival Languages (P–10).

Background

The Australian Curriculum, Assessment and Reporting Authority (ACARA) is leading the review of the P–10 Australian Curriculum: Languages to ensure they continue to meet the needs of students now and into the future. ACARA provides extensive information about the review on its website at www.australiancurriculum.edu.au/consultation/languages, including terms of reference, research findings, a process paper, factsheets and FAQs.

The following P–10 Australian Curriculum Languages have already been reviewed, endorsed and published on the ACARA website:

- Phase 1 — Chinese, French, Italian and Japanese
- Phase 2 — German, Indonesian, Korean, Modern Greek and Spanish.

Languages in Phase 3 — Arabic, Hindi, Turkish and Vietnamese — are awaiting endorsement and publication on the ACARA website.

Information

The consultation will enable stakeholders to review proposed changes to Auslan and the Framework for Aboriginal Languages and Torres Strait Islander Languages listed in the 'Purpose' section of this memo. They will be able to provide feedback on the proposed changes via an online survey at www.australiancurriculum.edu.au/consultation/languages-surveys.

Finding out more

For more information, please email australiancurriculum@qcaa.qld.edu.au or phone (07) 3120 6102.

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