

NEXUS IMPACT



2020-2023 SNAPSHOT

VISION

PREPARE AND ENGAGE HIGH PERFORMING CAREER CHANGE PROFESSIONALS TO TEACH IN PRIMARY, SECONDARY AND SPECIALIST SCHOOLS SO THAT EVERY STUDENT IN AUSTRALIA HAS EQUITABLE ACCESS TO QUALITY EDUCATION.

Nexus is an employment-based pathway to teaching with a focus on social justice, ongoing mentoring and professional support, strong community engagement and commitment to partnerships.

120
PARTICIPANTS

109¹ **35** Regional schools
34 Rural schools
40 Metro schools
PARTNER SCHOOLS IN NSW AND VICTORIA

IMPACT SO FAR

83%

of participants graduated or on track to graduate²

NEXUS PARTICIPANTS	2020	2021	2022	2023	TOTAL 2020-2023
Commenced Nexus (post-census)	32	23	29	36	120
Graduated or on track to graduate	28	17	22	33	100
	88%	74%	76%	89%	83%

94%

of graduates working as teachers after completing the Nexus program³

82%

of graduates teaching in schools with an ICSEA ≤ 1000 after completing the program⁴

¹ Based on current estimates. | ² % represents average % calculated based on students enrolled between 2020-2023. Total participants commenced in Nexus during that period are 120; total participants completed are 100. Graduated: 67; On track to graduate by end 2024: 33. | ³ % represents average % calculated based on students graduated between 2020-2022. | ⁴ % represents average % calculated based on students graduated between 2020-2022.

KEY DEMOGRAPHIC DATA

NEXUS PROGRAM PARTICIPANTS' QUALIFICATIONS & CAREERS

100%

of program participants have at least an undergraduate level qualification

60%

of program participants are career changers⁵

PROGRAM PARTICIPANTS COME FROM DIVERSE CAREERS OTHER THAN TEACHING

EXAMPLES OF STEM RELATED CAREERS

Applied Mathematics

Science, Agriculture, Pharmacy

Engineering (Software, Chemical, Civil)

EXAMPLES OF OTHER CAREERS

Health and Allied Health Services

Journalism

Marketing

OTHER KEY DEMOGRAPHIC DATA

GENDER BREAKDOWN⁶



57%
FEMALE

41%
MALE

2%
NON-BINARY

COMMITMENT TO SOCIAL JUSTICE⁷

62%

of program participants are engaged in service and volunteer work in low socio-economic communities

FUTURE IMPACT

NEXUS PROGRAM CONDUCTS RIGOROUS EVIDENCE-BASED RESEARCH AND EVALUATION



ENSURE EVERY STUDENT IN EVERY SCHOOL HAS ACCESS TO QUALIFIED AND EXPERIENCED TEACHERS



DIVERSIFY TEACHER WORKFORCE, THAT INCLUDES RECRUITING AND RETAINING MORE PEOPLE FROM INDIGENOUS AND CULTURALLY DIVERSE BACKGROUNDS



⁵ % represents average % calculated based on students who graduated or on track to graduate between 2020–2023.

⁶ % represents average % calculated based on students who graduated or on track to graduate between 2020–2023.

⁷ % represents average % calculated based on written statements of students who graduated or on track to graduate between 2020–2023.