

Critical & Creative Thinking

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“ Today we engage, communicate and share information with ease. Therefore, it is less about the information you can recall or memorise, but having the ability to be curious about the world, asking 'big questions' to guide deep thinking using sources that provide us with concepts, ideas and perspectives. Fostering learners to think deeply and critically will ensure they are empowered through knowledge, to have agency over the problems they face and ultimately create a world that will be sustainable and a thriving place for generations to come. ”

Future Learning Academy

Shaping Critical Thinkers is an online Professional Learning course for educators, designed to be self-paced while being connected to an online Professional Learning community and Future Capabilities Facilitator. Educators will build capability in designing, evidencing and assessing Critical and Creative Thinking by engaging with online learning and applying practical classroom strategies through the following;

Module 1: Thinking, Technology & Future Capable Learners

Module 2: Learners connect to the relevance and purpose of their learning

Module 3: Learners respond to a 'big question' using questioning and active inquiry

Module 4: Learners use reasoning to develop new ideas, perspectives and solutions

Module 5: Learners apply their learning to a real context

Module 6: Evaluating your Critical and Creative Thinking tasks

Underpinning each online learning module is opportunities for deeper understanding, collaboration and practical application of learning and teaching strategies through Milestone Tasks. To support the implementation of new learning, 2 X 1 hour webinars are delivered by a Future Capabilities Facilitator. Each educator has the opportunity to receive the *Shaping Critical Thinkers* micro-credential, by evidencing impact on student learning.

Professional Learning Hours: 12 - 15 hours

Course Length: 12 Weeks

