

**We acknowledge Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people  
as the traditional custodians of the land upon which we meet.**

**We pay our respects to the elders of the past, present and  
future and acknowledge their spiritual connection to country.**



# RESILIENCE PROJECT

Welcome to your  
Partnership Program

*Program 3 - Digital Presentations*

# The Victorian Royal Commission into Mental Health...

**“One in five adults will experience mental ill-health each year, and 75% of these people have their first case under the age of 25 years”**

- Mental ill-health costs Australia at least \$200B/ year
- Crisis intervention & treatment vs Prevention <1% (ie. 60c to \$100)
- Mental wellbeing is a critical contributor to improving school outcomes

**The Government reiterates its focus on prevention and early intervention, particularly for young people.**



Significant increase in children's use of daily gratitude strategies and their sense of gratitude.



Confidence and self esteem.



Knowledge and ability to express emotions.



Relationships at school and home.



More supportive classroom environments.



# Digital Presentations



**Hugh van Cuylenburg and Martin Heppell are the stars of your digital presentations for your whole school community.**

**Teacher presentations** – 4 x 10 minute Professional Development sessions including videos and activities.

**Student presentations** – Age-specific videos sharing storytelling, animations and GEM concepts

**Parent/carer presentations** – 4 x videos and program information (no login for parents)



## STAFF

As a staff cohort, you'll work through 5 mini-PD sessions together. We recommend doing a "mini-PD" across 5 staff meetings at the beginning of the year.

Each session has a video, followed by a short activity to support the key wellbeing strategy:

- Session 1: Introduction and Curriculum Overview
- Session 2: Gratitude
- Session 3: Empathy
- Session 4: Mindfulness
- Session 5: Emotional Literacy and Summary

You can also choose to complete the 5 mini-PD's in a longer session. You could do this during a professional development day at the beginning of the year





## STUDENTS

Age-specific videos sharing storytelling, animations and GEM concepts.

### Delivery

These clips have been designed and developed to be delivered by classroom teachers as the first 4 lessons of TRP curriculum.

Each of the four clips has been built alongside a series of activities for the the teachers to introduce the key principles of TRP.

Rewatching the clips throughout the year is a great way to revisit key concepts as you progress through the year.

All content is easily accessible through our online resource hub.

Gratitude  
Empathy  
Mindfulness  
Emotional Literacy

## PARENTS & CARERS

Accessed via a link which requires no log in, your parents and carers can easily enjoy learning about GEM from the comfort of their home.

### Delivery

This link can be embedded on your own school portal for your parents/carers to have easy access.

You could also choose to disseminate the Parent & Carer Hub (via newsletter etc) and we have created supporting communication to help.

This can be found on the resource hub.

## PARENT AND CARER HUB

Welcome! You've found your way to this Hub because your child's school is implementing The Resilience Project's wellbeing curriculum.

Watch the below videos to hear stories about resilience, and be introduced to how **Gratitude**, **Empathy** and **Mindfulness** can support your kids learning and development, and also support you.



# Presentation Delivery

## TERM 1 (Focus on setting up a successful program within the school)


- **Week 1 to 4** - Staff Presentation
  - Use professional development days and staff meetings
- **Week 5 to 8** - Student Presentations
  - 1 digital presentation lesson per week
  - Continue delivering a lesson per week from here

## TERM 2 (Embed the program in your school community)

- **Week 1 - 5** - Share Parent Hub using suggested communications from TRP

# Teaching & Learning Program





**Lesson 12**  
WILMA BEAN THE WORRY MANAGER

**Learning Objectives:**

- Recognise that we can control some of our worries.
- Learn to identify what is a worry.
- Learn to explain the difference between a worry and a problem and a worry list.
- Learn to identify adults who can help me with my worries.

**Worry Jar Instructions:**

- Draw a picture of a worry.
- Write a sentence about the worry.
- Write a sentence about how you can control the worry.

**Worry List Instructions:**

Write down all the things that worry you. Write down all the things that you can control. Write down all the things that you can't control.

**Activities:**

- Activity 1: Worry Jar
- Activity 2: Worry List
- Activity 3: Worry Jar and Worry List

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## Lesson Plans (Teaching Resource)

Teachers receive a comprehensive, year level specific teaching resource with detailed lesson plans for the year.

**Lesson 8**

**FRIENDS THAT I AM GRATEFUL FOR**

Trace the word **friends** and then complete the drawing.

# Friends

Draw a new friend that you have made this year:

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I am grateful for my friends because...


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**Lesson 9**


**HELP**

Draw one thing that makes you **happy** and one thing that makes you **sad**.

Something that makes me happy:

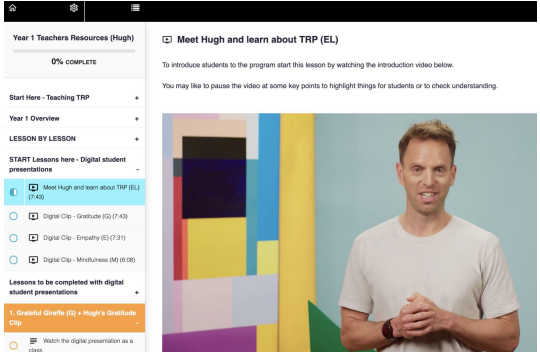


Something that makes me sad:



## Student Journals

Each student receives their own student journal to help them complete the curriculum. These journals link directly with the lesson plans.



**Year 1 Teachers Resources (Hugh)**

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**Meet Hugh and learn about TRP (EL)**

To introduce students to the program start this lesson by watching the introduction video below.

You may like to pause the video at some key points to highlight things for students or to check understanding

**START Lessons here - Digital student presentations**

- Meet Hugh and learn about TRP (EL) (7:43)
- Digital Clip - Gratitude (5) (7:43)
- Digital Clip - Empathy (5) (7:31)
- Digital Clip - Mindfulness (M) (6:00)

**Lessons to be completed with digital student presentations**

- Grateful Gratitude (G) - Hugh's Gratitude City
- Watch the digital presentation as a class

## Online Resource Hub (Teachable)

Teachers will be provided access to the TRP Resource Hub where they will find everything they need to effectively deliver the curriculum.

## GRATITUDE

*Paying attention to the things that we have right now, and not worrying about what we don't have. We practice this by noticing the positives that exist around us.*

## EMOTIONAL LITERACY

*Our ability to label our emotions as we experience them. Labelling our emotions helps us to manage our emotions (soften negative emotions and find positive emotions). We practice this by labelling our emotions as we experience different parts of our day.*



## EMPATHY

*Putting ourselves in the shoes of others to feel and see what they do. We practice this through being kind and compassionate towards other people.*

## MINDFULNESS

*Our ability to be calm and present at any given moment. We practice this through slowing down and concentrating on one thing at a time. This could be our breathing, completing a colouring sheet or noticing the noises we can hear.*

# Classroom lesson delivery

TRP curriculum is built to deliver 1-hour of wellbeing content per week over the course of an academic year. It is critical as a school to decide where TRP fits into the school syllabus.

## This means;

- Clearing space to allow time for teachers to deliver the program. **One hour per week is recommended.**
- Deciding **who** is going to deliver the TRP program? (secondary)
- Considering the makeup of your classes. Composite classes?
- Flexibility-adapt to your school's setting

- Year level specific lessons. Each year has its own unique set of lessons.
- **PRIMARY** Up to 30 lessons (1 hour duration)
- **SECONDARY** 50 lessons (20 min duration) plus two inquiry units (Group of up to 6 hour long lessons in each unit)
- **The first 4 lessons are aligned with the student presentations**
- Extra time
- GEM CHAT focus
- Integration prompts
- Differentiation prompts.



**If you have more time:**

- Make a class display 'In Year 1 we show an attitude of gratitude'. Students could publish their attitude of gratitude from their Student Journal.



**GEM Chat this week...**

- Ask students to be attitude of gratitude detectives this week and have students share what they see each day.

## Lesson 2

### DIFFERENT VIEWS

#### Learning Intentions:

##### We are learning to:

- We are learning about other people's views so we can show empathy.

##### Success Criteria:

- I can explain what gratitude means.
- I can recognise how someone else is feeling.
- I can understand that people have different feelings and views.

##### Integration Inspiration:

- This lesson integrates well with Reading, comparing and contrasting characters' points of view.
- You could further integrate this lesson with Writing by writing a persuasive text from each of the characters' views.

##### Resources:

- Internet access, speakers, projector.
- Video Resource List and/or Book 'Hey, Little Ant' written by Hannah Hoose and Phillip Hoose.
- Access to the TRP teacher resource hub.
- Student journals.

Phillip Hoose.

#### Activity 3: Different views discussion (10 mins)

- Draw a T-chart on the board and label one side 'Kid' and the other side 'Ant'. Write and/or draw student responses to the following discussion. Students can refer to this when completing their journal page.
- Ask: "What was the Kid's point of view? What were they thinking and feeling?" Give students the opportunity to turn and talk to a partner. Have some students share.
- Then ask, "What was the Ant's point of view? What was it thinking and feeling?" Give students the opportunity to turn and talk to a partner. Have some students share.
- Now ask students who they agree with. Have students stand up and move to one side of the floor if they agree with the Kid and the other side of the floor if they agree with the Ant. Ask some students to explain why.

#### Activity 4: Student journal activity (10 mins)

- Students complete the journal page. Teacher to model this.
- Students draw and/or write about the Kid's point of view on one pair of glasses and the Ant's point of view on the other pair of the glasses.
- Students also record their own point of view.

#### Activity 5: Reflection Questions (10 mins)

- Discuss the following questions:
- Why do you think it's important for us to understand other people's points of view?
- How does that help us show empathy?
- Do you think the kid will change their mind about standing on the ant? Why/Why not?



#### Outline:

#### Activity 1: What is empathy video? (10 mins)

- Say to students: "We're going to watch a video about what empathy means"
- Watch the **Video 101**. 'Sesame street: Mark Ruffalo: Empathy'
- From the video discuss what empathy means.
- Make a class anchor chart/poster with the definition of empathy (eg: It means understanding how someone else is feeling. Imagining how someone else is feeling. Putting yourself in someone else's shoes. Etc.)

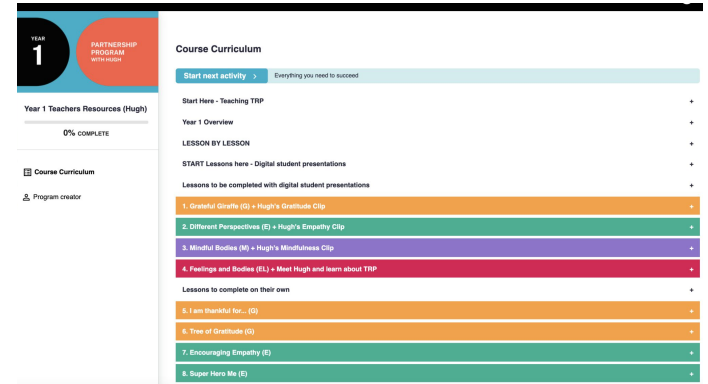
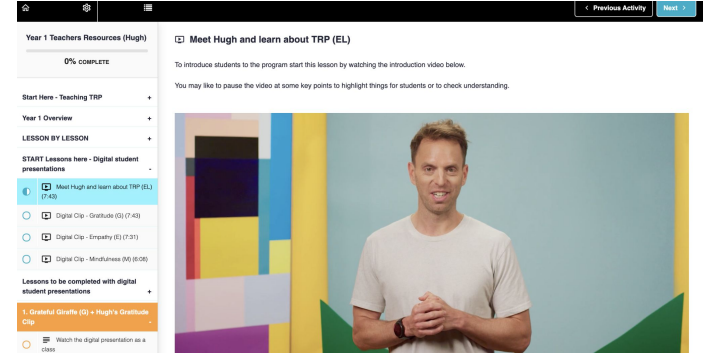
#### Activity 2: Watch or read 'Hey, Little Ant' (10 mins)

- Say to students: "We are going to read/watch a story about a kid and an ant now. I want you to think about how each character is feeling and what they are thinking"
- Watch **Video 102** or alternatively read the book, 'Hey, Little Ant' written by Hannah Hoose and



## The online resource hub includes...

- **All curriculum materials you need to teach the program:**
  - Lesson plans
  - Student journal pages
  - Resource sheets
  - Videos
  - Meditations
- **Support materials:**
  - Mapping documents
  - Teaching TRP guide
- **Staff Self Care**
- **Project +**
- **And much more!**



## T & L Program - Timeline



# Resilient Youth Survey



# Survey Overview

- An online, 62 question survey completed by all students in years 3 to 6.
- The survey takes 35 – 50 minutes and each student uses the same 6 digit log in code
- The results will provide a wellbeing profile of your school. Each year the students complete the survey, school wide changes can be seen.
- A resilience profile workshop will be delivered to your leadership team by a TRP staff member, ideally in term 2.
- We will be surveying in Term 1 2022 during the first 4 weeks of school

\*For more information on the survey, please [Click Here](#)



# Further Support



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**RESILIENCE  
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## CLASSROOM GEM CHAT

*Practice The Resilience Project's principles daily*



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The **ACTIVITIES** section houses easy-to-do ideas to bring wellbeing into day-to-day life.

By giving these exercises a go, you can check-in and support the mental health of everyone in your home: your self, housemates, family and pets alike!

These activities focus on the The Resilience Project's wellbeing principles: gratitude, empathy, mindfulness (GEM) and emotional literacy.

These wellbeing principles are simple and supported by research that shows practising them everyday will help you feel happier and more resilient. Like anything in life if you want to become better at something, you just need to practise!

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# Next Steps

- **Oct** - Complete Curriculum Order Form
- **November** - Receive Online Resource Hub from TRP. Send out Online Resource Hub details to all your staff
- **During Term 4** - Set aside a staff meeting to introduce TRP to your staff, including showing them how to use the Online Resource Hub. You should use these slides and add in your school specific detail!
- **During Term 4** - Professional Development - 'Leading TRP at your School'
- **Term 1, Weeks 1 - 4** - Deliver the staff professional development

***It is a great idea to use the checklist provided to you in your “Welcome Pack” to complete all the necessary components of a great program.***

## Program Set Up

- Have we allocated a **staff member to lead TRP** at my school? (Can be more than 1 person)
- Have I **ordered my school's curriculum?** (Student Journals & Teaching Resources)
- Have I **invited other relevant staff members to attend** the Professional Learning - "**Leading TRP at your School?**"
- Have I sent out the **TRP online Teaching Resource Hub** hosted on Teachable to the **teaching staff?**
- Have I sent home the suggested **letter to our parent and carer community** introducing them to TRP School Program?
- Have I **booked in "TRP in Action"** with my School Partnership manager?
- Have I **confirmed my Program Presentation dates** and put them in the school calendar?

## Resilient Youth Survey

- Have we set a date to **complete the survey** and sent details to teaching staff?
- Have I booked in a meeting so **TRP can support** us with our results from the **Resilient Youth Survey?**

## Program Implementation: Presentations

- Have I **informed my staff** how and when the **program presentations** will be delivered?
  - Staff.** Face to face, time and date.
  - Student.** In classrooms via the TRP Digital Resource Hub during the first 4 lessons delivered.
  - Parent/Carer.** Webinar combined with other schools. Time and date.
- Have we **promoted the Parent and Carer Webinar** to our parent and carer community, including the time, date and Zoom link?

## Program Implementation: Curriculum

- Have we confirmed **when** we are delivering the **Teaching and Learning** component of your program? Is it built into the timetable and mandated?
- Have we confirmed **who** is delivering the **Teaching and Learning** component of your program (lessons)?
- Have I checked **all staff** are **logged** into the **Teaching Resource Hub?**
- Have I read "**Teaching TRP - Everything you need to succeed!**"
- Reminder.** The first 4 lessons are accompanied by **Hugh's digital presentations.**
- Have you accessed the **TRP mapping documents** to help you plan?
- Have you checked that your teachers are aware of **GEM Chat** in the **Teaching Resource Hub?** This is a great tool for inviting daily GEM conversations with students.





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