



A 12 month initiative working with independent schools to review and renew whole-school wellbeing.

WHY

Compass: Navigating Whole-school Wellbeing will support your school to identify and implement evidence-based, whole-school, proactive wellbeing approaches that foster safe, supportive and respectful environments so that wellbeing outcomes are enhanced for your students now and in the future.



HOW

AISNSW consultants will walk alongside you over an extended period, using a collaborative action model, to help your school navigate and strengthen foundational elements of whole-school wellbeing based on your school's contextual needs.

The initiative includes:

- a customised consultancy model, where AISNSW specialist consultants support school-based teams as they:
 - review current practices, identify strengths and develop wellbeing goals
 - co-design an evidence-based, proactive whole-school approach to wellbeing
 - implement context specific initiatives and strategies
 - engage in ongoing evaluation and reflection to ensure sustainability
- professional learning (face-to-face and online) targeted at wellbeing leaders and school staff to engage the school community, including students and families, in whole-school wellbeing approaches
- opportunities to connect with other schools through networked learning communities so that learnings and best practice can be shared
- internationally respected academics as partners for the initiative and to collaborate with AISNSW consultants to provide expert input at network meetings
- an annual evaluation will provide objective and timely feedback about the implementation and impact of the project over time and will create a knowledge base to disseminate the learnings to the wider education sector.

Compass: Navigating Whole-school Wellbeing is an 12-month initiative using a co-contribution model through which schools contribute a fee to and commit to releasing staff throughout the duration of the initiative in addition to a dedicated team to lead the school in transformational change. AISNSW will provide consultancy support and access to a suite of resources, processes and professional learning within the Compass cohort. Regional schools will be provided with a travel subsidy to facilitate their attendance at Compass Network Events throughout the duration of the initiative.



**This project is partially funded by the Australian Government through the Choice and Affordability Fund. Only schools for who AISNSW is approved as their non-government representative body (NGRB) will be eligible to participate in Compass.*

For more information on **Compass:**

Navigating Whole-school Wellbeing, contact [AISNSW Wellbeing Consultants.](#)