Twenty-first century learning does not fit neatly into a curriculum solely organised by learning areas or subjects that reflect the disciplines. Responding to the challenges of the twenty-first century requires young people to be creative, innovative, enterprising and adaptable, with the motivation, confidence and skills to use critical and creative thinking purposefully. (The Australian Curriculum)

This professional learning program will explore various thinking skill frameworks that support critical, creative and reflective thinking. A particular focus will be upon developing students’ ability to pose questions and to establish challenging learning goals. The workshops will also explore the interrelated elements of the General Capabilities of the Australian Curriculum: Critical and Creative Thinking, Literacy and Numeracy.

The program will include:
- creative thinking
- critical thinking
- reflective thinking
- visible thinking routines

Presented by Janet Farrall, Senior Educational Consultant

The workshops assist teachers to demonstrate proficiency in the Australian Professional Standards for Teachers through an opportunity to: understand how students learn (1.2), differentiate teaching (1.5), establish challenging learning goals (3.1) and select and use resources (3.4).

Dates: 4 March, 5 May, 17 June, 12 August and 31 October

Time: 9am – 3.30pm

Venue: AISSA Meeting Room, 277 Unley Road, Malvern

Register at www.ais.sa.edu.au/events by 25 February. For registration queries, please contact Sandy Cross by email at crosss@ais.sa.edu.au

Registration for this five day workshop program will incur a fee of $375 (GST Inclusive) per participant. This fee is invoiced after the event and is payable even if you do not attend on the day as the AISSA will still incur costs. If notice of cancellation is received before the event RSVP cut-off date the fee will be waived.

Morning tea will be provided. Participants may like to take advantage of local cafes for lunch. Parking is available in nearby streets.