



**21<sup>st</sup> Century Learning Update**

The last few weeks have seen the year one staff and Leadership team meeting to discuss and finalise furniture orders for the classrooms. Exciting times ahead as the staff ensure classrooms are designed for flexibility, collaborative learning and social interactions, along with space for direct instruction and technology imbedded in the program.

The year one and two teachers will be attending the Future Learning Conference in Perth in early September. This conference will focus on designing spaces for optimal learning, teaching strategies that cater for different learning styles and the use of technology as learning tools.

Early next term, all staff will be attending an outstanding professional development session with Shona Bass, a consultant specialising in flexible learning spaces and skills for students to develop as life-long learners. These skills include problem solving, conflict resolution, resilience, creativity, collaboration and flexibility.

This week's link:

[http://www.curtin.edu.au/edusummit/local/docs/6\\_EDUsummit\\_2011\\_21st\\_century\\_learning.pdf](http://www.curtin.edu.au/edusummit/local/docs/6_EDUsummit_2011_21st_century_learning.pdf)

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