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Ignite program overview

When attending a day-long **Ignite** program, children participate in two workshops based on a theme. Each theme sits within a different focus area. For Ignite programs, schools can choose which focus area they would like each booking. **We are taking school bookings for 2026 now.**

Science and Investigations

Language and Literature

Mathematics and Inquiry

Critical and Creative Thinking

2026 themes (Click the link to view the Thematic Overview and Selection Criteria)



2023 themes (Click the link to view a sample program of each theme)



Ignite program overview (continued)

Program duration	This is a one-day program Students participate in two workshops over the course of the day.
Venue	At your school with just your students
Times	We follow your school timetable Parents drop students and collect students as per normal school day. Breaks will also be the same times as the rest of the school.
Teacher Nomination	This is a teacher nominated program Students must receive a nomination before they enrol.
Year levels	Students are grouped into lower years (1, 2, 3) and upper years (4, 5, 6)
Groups	Each group has between 10 to 22 students We run a lower years group and an upper years group on the same day. There is some flexibility with the minimum and maximum numbers.
G.A.T.E.WAYS Team	Two presenters (with their own materials and resources)
Program fee	Fee is usually paid by parents but can be subsidised by schools Please contact the Program Coordinator in your state for the current fee.

Ignite at your school

Host schools are required to provide two teaching spaces with tables and chairs for 22 students.

	Presenter 1	Presenter 2
AM	Lower Years (LY) 10–22 students	Upper Years (UY) 10–22 students
PM	Upper Years (UY) 10–22 students	Lower Years (LY) 10–22 students

G.A.T.E.WAYS will:

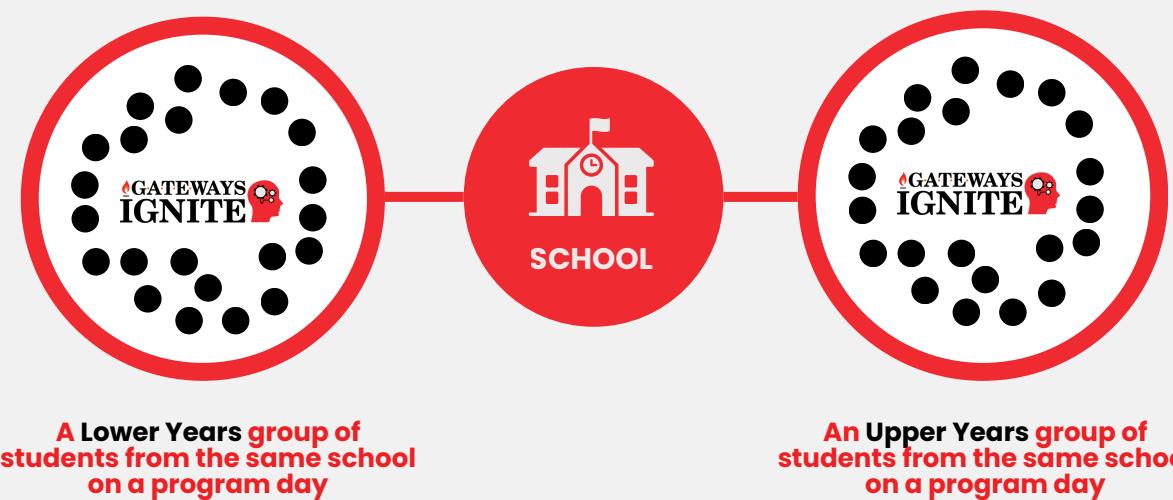
- provide two presenters who come with their own materials and resources;
- manage the student enrolment process;
- and provide schools with access to our portal so teachers can view students who have enrolled from their school.

Our aim is to impose as little as possible on the schools.

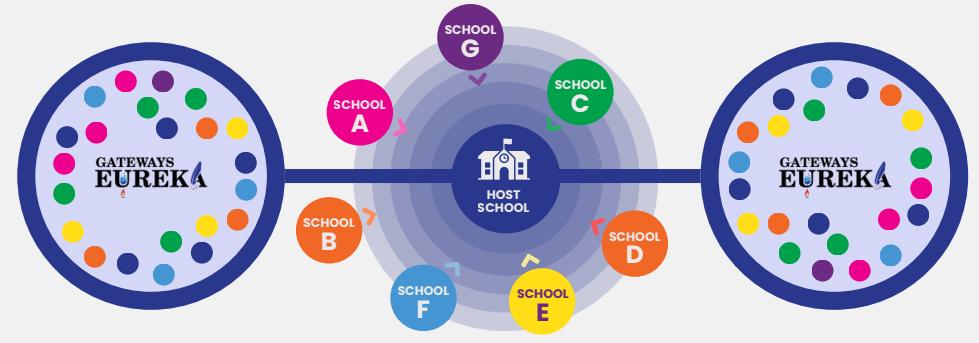
How Ignite programs work



Example:
School participating
in the Ignite program.



Comparing the Eureka and Ignite programs



First group of students from host and surrounding schools on program day

Second group of students from host and surrounding schools on program day



A Lower Years group of students from the same school on a program day

An Upper Years group of students from the same school on a program day

- At host school with like-minded peers from surrounding schools.
- We run to a set timetable.
- We provide a supervisor to oversee registration, pick up and break times.
- Provides an opportunity to raise the profile of your school's commitment to the educational needs of gifted and talented students.

- At your school with just your students.
- We run to your school's timetable.
- Very little disruption to the school, simply provide two rooms.



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