



In 1976, the first Kip McGrath Education Centre opened its doors and the founding principle was simple;



Any child can learn if taught properly



Kip McGrath Education Centres provide tutorial assistance in reading, spelling, comprehension, English and maths, to students who are having difficulty with their school work or just want to do better. This is done in a positive learning environment through the use of proven teaching methods and programs and is delivered by qualified and experienced teachers.

Our tutoring programs are designed to give students the motivation to succeed. Progress is at the students' own pace so they are never overwhelmed. Students try when they attend because achievement is there for them all. This achievement is not only rewarding but it is fun.

From the moment students walk into our centres there are clear messages given to them; 'this is a place where I can learn and this is a place where it is fun to learn.'

This brochure offers a comprehensive guide to our broad spectrum of programs that support students throughout their entire school career.

> To find your nearest Kip McGrath Education Centre, visit www.kipmcgrath.ae

Make an online enquiry and arrange a free educational assessment.

Kip Maths & English

Not every student thrives at school. Some experience difficulty in keeping up. Some encounter problems after changing schools, experiencing an emotional upset or long illness, which may cause behavioural or learning problems.

Our Kip Maths and English programs help kids overcome learning obstacles by giving them a much needed boost of confidence. We provide a caring environment that makes learning fun again.

All children are given a free initial assessment to identify areas where learning needs to be concentrated. An individual learning program is tailored for your child based on the assessment results.







English Tutoring

Strong skills in English are essential to success

Kip McGrath provides English tutoring for students who are having difficulty in reading, spelling, comprehension and writing. Development of good English language skills is essential for success at school, university and in adult life.

At all our centres, students are treated with respect and understanding. A positive learning environment makes achievement natural and fun.

An English tutoring program may consist of activities to develop:

- ✓ Spelling ✓ Vocabulary
- ✓ Grammar ✓ Writing skills

Kip McGrath also offers a specialised reading program for children aged 6 - 16 that includes:

An individually tailored reading program based on your child's needs

Varied learning activities including written exercises, computer based activities and tutor interaction

Regular and consistent homework to reinforce learning



Maths Tutoring

Confidence and self-esteem follow achievement

Our accelerated mathematics learning program targets students aged 6 - 16 in all maths grades and streams.

Whether your child needs:

Help with maths basics

Help with more advanced maths problems

Help understanding new concepts introduced in Years 8, 9 and 10

The Kip McGrath accelerated maths tutoring program is the answer for your child's maths difficulties. A thorough understanding of basic maths is required before students can progress, so it is important that the source of any difficulty is identified and addressed early.

Kip McGrath's fully trained and qualified teachers create a positive learning environment that makes achievement natural.

Kip Expert Courses

Learning comes easier for some kids. Sometimes, if they're not being properly challenged, they can encounter frustration and even boredom. This could potentially hold them back. Our Kip Expert courses are designed to challenge young minds in a supportive environment that gets the very best from them in a fun and stimulating way.

Kip Expert courses are only offered by selected Kip McGrath Education Centres. Contact your local centre to enquire about the specific courses that they offer.















Get ready for school

A gentle introduction to learning

The transition from pre-school to more formal training is a significant one for children.

It can affect their interest, motivation at school and their future school success. Kip McGrath's specialised Get Ready for School program is a gentle introduction to learning which aids the smooth transition from pre-school to 'big' school.

Our Get Ready for School program:

Ensures the initial school experience is a positive one

Introduces learning concepts

Develops school readiness skills

The full program consists of 20 lessons in 2 parts:

Lessons 1 - 10

Have a core focus on foundation numeracy

Lessons 11 - 20

Have a core focus on foundation literacy



Little Learners

Set your child on a path for lifelong academic achievement

Little Learners is an education program for children having trouble with the concepts introduced to them in their first year of school or who need extra support and confidence.

The Little Learners program will develop, improve and reinforce learning in:

| Basic reading including phonemic awareness |
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| Comprehension |
| Alphabet and counting |
| Addition and subtraction |
| Number recognition |

Our tutors create a learning atmosphere that is stimulating and fun. Children are guided and encouraged through a variety of activities by our experienced tutors. This develops a love of learning that stays throughout school life.



Kip Maths Expert

Maths can be more

The Kip Maths Expert program develops high level maths skills and independent learning skills for high school students.

Is your teenager the kind of student who:

Wants to be challenged in maths?

Finds maths boring because it's too easy and already knows the basics?

Develops school readiness skills

Is good at maths and wants to do even better?

Would much rather learn maths on the computer than from a boring old textbook?

With a broad syllabus, including over 50,000 set questions and fully worked solutions that focus on advanced maths topics for senior secondary students, Kip Maths Expert is the answer for the motivated maths student.

This program delivers comprehensive treatment of the secondary maths syllabus in every Australian state. It is used 'in centre' in combination with face to face teaching to provide a real solution for the student who wants to stretch their learning in maths.



Intelligence Development

Improve your overall academic performance

Develop intelligence, thinking and reasoning skills using Kip McGrath's fully computer-based Intelligence Development program.

The specially designed program includes tasks that focus on:

- ✓ Increasing verbal and non verbal reasoning
- ✓ Improving visual and auditory memory
- ✓ Problem solving
- ✓ Abstract thinking
- ✓ Evaluation
- ✓ Knowledge retention

Kip McGrath's Intelligence Development program is an excellent resource for exam prep, entrance or scholarship tryouts. The program continually monitors students' progress and increases or decreases the difficulty level according to results, so students remain challenged.



Study Skills

Learn to study smarter

Do you have a student in your family who is:

Spending hours studying yet not achieving the desired results?

Finding it hard to get motivated to study?

Overwhelmed by their classes and doesn't even know where to start?

Kip McGrath's Study Skills program is taught by qualified tutors and can help improve study effectiveness. Students who excel at school are not necessarily born smarter, they have learned to study smarter.

The Study Skills program targets students in transition - Year 9 through to tertiary enrolment.

Our 10 lesson Study Skills course will give students the tools to help with homework, study techniques in general and exam preparation.



Essay Writing

Better essays mean better marks

Many students need help writing essays.

Essay writing is an essential skill for secondary and tertiary students. No matter how well students know their subject, in order to achieve high marks they must be able to organise their ideas and communicate them effectively.

Kip McGrath's popular Essay Writing course covers all the essential essay writing skills from analysing the question to editing the final draft.

Our in depth and comprehensive Essay Writing course covers common areas of weakness in student essay writing including:

| Not answering the question |
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| Poor opening argument and essay structure |
| Editorial |
| Exam essay writing |
| Speech writing |

Taught by qualified English teachers, this Essay Writing course will give senior students the skills and confidence they need to approach the rigours of both assignments and exams.

