

ruMAD? PROGRAM



ruMAD?
are you Making A Difference?

ruMAD? assists schools to deliver on the educational goals at the heart of the Australian Curriculum, supporting equity and excellence in Tasmanian schools and supporting Tasmanian students to be:

- Successful learners,
- Confident and creative individuals,
- Active and informed citizens.

(National Declaration on Educational Goals for Young Australians)

- A flexible framework easily integrated into any school classroom.
- A unique Australian education program that engages students in social issues and will bring greater equity and respect to the school and community.
- An empowering, values-based, student-led journey of transformation focussing on inquiry, critical thinking, and decision-making.
- An opportunity for young people to gain the confidence, skills, knowledge, values and contacts that are essential for citizenship, for employment and for life.
- An 8-step process that guides students from the discovery of shared values to the development and completion of a project that creates real change.

"The ruMAD? Program provides a best practice framework for education in values and responsible citizenship, allowing significant connections to be made with the Tasmanian Curriculum Framework."

Tasmanian Department of Education

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What others say about ruMAD?

"I know that nothing's impossible and we can make a difference, and it doesn't matter who you are or how old or what school you go to or how smart you are, you can make a difference in people's lives."

Grade 7 student

"As the original developer and writer of the ruMAD? Program in 2001 I want to congratulate the Centre on the great success you have achieved delivering ruMAD? in Tasmanian schools, supporting teachers to improve student engagement and ultimately, learning outcomes. Your work has fulfilled my wildest dreams about the possibilities for the breadth and depth of attainment with the program."

Dr David Zyngier, Monash University

"The ruMAD? framework is an integral component of our school's focus on social responsibility, social justice and service learning, supporting in depth investigation, learning and commitment to a plan for action. It gives students the required support to take an issue or concept from initial stages of planning to an outcome providing them with not only the learning along the way but a definite sense of accomplishment. A Fairer World have been a fantastic support for us in making this possible, providing patient guidance for staff and support for student activities, not to mention an amazing wealth of knowledge and capacity to link us with relevant individuals and organisations for support."

Tasmanian High School Principal

School support for ruMAD?

- Curriculum materials
- Staff to mentor and train
- Professional development
- Promotion and recognition
- Teaching resource library
- Access to community networks

For further information:

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