



Hardcore Kids

**Who Are They & What Do They Want?
For All Teachers/Supervisors Who Have
to Teach and Support Them.**

Presented by the Author of 'Hardcore Kids—Who Are They & What Do They Want', Adele Sims presents the reasons for the behaviours, the fallout, the costs—emotional, physical, environmental and educational, and most importantly tried and tested strategies used to de-escalate volatile and potentially violent incidents before they occur. If you're scared of them, they'll know. If you despise them, they'll know that too. If you're genuine in wanting to help them and educate them, they'll recognize it and honour you for it.

For Principals, AP's:

There are better ways of dealing with these challenging students than expulsion, detention, working in the corridor and complete exclusion. There are ways to include their parents/carers in the decision making processes surrounding these young people—and they can be 5, 15 or 18—the ramifications for any school can be the same. Learn how to work with them not against them and create a supportive learning environment where everyone wins. But, a whole school approach is the only way it will work. Find out how to implement one.

For Coordinators, Team Leaders, Heads of Groups:

Believe it or not, the classroom is the most rewarding place to be when working with these students. They will name their children after you if you know how to treat them and they will be loyal to you and the school for ever. Find out how to spot the signs, de-escalate situations, remedy the damage and forge new relationships.

Cost:

\$285* per person. Includes Morning Tea, Lunch, CD with contacts, links and more PLUS a FREE copy of "Hardcore Kids" - the e-book.
*\$185 per person for more than one participant per school.

Certificate of Attainment presented upon completion.

There is so much information packed into this that you will come away with a whole new awareness and appreciation of these amazing students.

**Seminar Registration Form: ABN: 8946 721 5542
Please FAX back to: 6297 0606**

Name/s:.....
 School.....
 Address:.....
 #of Persons Attending:.....
 Contact Ph:.....
 Payment Method: **Visa / Mastercard / School Tax Invoice**
 Credit Card #.....Exp Date.....
 Signature:.....
 Email:.....

N.B: Payment must be received at least 5 days before the course date. All payments are GST inclusive.

Program

◆ **8.30—9.00 Registration**

◆ **9.00—10.00 Session I**

- Introduction
- Why is the level of violence in our schools on the rise?
- How to recognize a Hardcore Kid
- What is their problem?
- The Welfare Mindset and its Implications for Your School
- Implied and Imposed Expectations of the School
- Working within a hostile community
- Beware Your Own Chinks In Your Armour

◆ **10.00—10.15 Morning Tea**

◆ **10.15—12.00 Session II**

- Strategies to Improve Communication and Trust
- Strategies to De-escalate Violence
- Strategies to Improve the Learning Environment
- Name Calling
- Discipline and Boundaries
- Rewards vs Bribes

◆ **12.00—12.30 Lunch**

◆ **12.30—2.00 Session III**

- Damaged by Sexual Abuse—The Telltale Signs
- Damaged by Physical Abuse—The Telltale Signs
- Planning a Way Forward
- Distribution of CD. Useful tips; Free e-books and lists. Certificates
- Acknowledgements

Where: Queanbeyan Kangaroo Rugby League Football Club
 Stuart Street Queanbeyan.
 Acacia Room
When: Wednesday 24th Feb 2010
Time: 8.30am—2.00pm

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