

Sector Implications and Next Steps to Teaching Reading in African Languages

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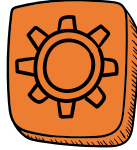


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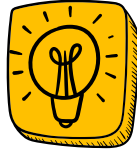
Overview



**Strengthening and Revision of the
CAPS documents**



**Initial and Continuous Professional
Teacher Development and Support**



**Mother Tongue-based Bilingual
Education**



Further Research and Agenda Setting





Strengthening and Revision of the CAPS documents

ACTIVITIES & NEXT STEPS

- Curriculum Strengthening underway to address the gaps and critiques of CAPS
- Consolidating the additions into curricula documents
- Incorporating of benchmarks criteria

ATP Workshop
Presentation in July
2025

Additions to the
Reading Guide currently
being versioned

Written Response Item
Analysis by language

Lesson Plan Project
with NECT





Initial and Continuous Professional Teacher Development and Support

ACTIVITIES & NEXT STEPS

- NICPD's Teacher Professional Development Online Platform
- Teacher Usage of Benchmarks Pilot Findings on Pedagogical Support Gap

Review and Consolidation of TPD Course Offerings on Reading

Coaching Course and Data Management workshops

Engagements with Initial Teacher Education Institutions



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Mother Tongue-based Bilingual Education

ACTIVITIES & NEXT STEPS

- Strengthening the implementation of language in education policies
- Incremental implementation of MTbBE for Grade 4 in MST

Presentation to
Transformation Unit in
July

Support MTbBE piloting
through resource

Classroom Observation
Study





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TRiAL offers early insights into the linguistic strengths of African language learners and the opportunities for leveraging these skills to enrich learning in these languages.

RESEARCH QUESTIONS

How do we leverage morphological and semantic awareness skills?

Incorporating remedial support for Intermediate Phase

What is happening in (successful) classrooms?

Investigating Other Linguistic Components

Development of Linguistically and Grade-Appropriate Resources





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Dankie
Enkosi

Ha khensa
Re a leboga

Ro livhuha
Siyabonga

Siyathokoza
Thank you



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