



Basic Concepts

Building Thinking - Harnessing Potential

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Our Main Achievements:-

- The BCP has to date been implemented in four provinces in South Africa by over 1600 trained mediators in approximately 640 schools impacting on approximately 30 000 learners.
- A range of educational professionals have been trained which include: class teachers, early childhood education practitioners, remedial teachers/learning support teachers, occupational and speech therapists, educational psychologists, social workers, district education officials, academics and students.
- The project sites include rural, urban, and peri-urban settings mostly located within low socio-economic environments.
- The BCP has been implemented in 13 long-term projects across the country –[click here](#) for a link to current and past projects. Most of these projects have involved close collaborative relationships between government, the private sector and the service provider.
- The BCP has almost complete (100%) coverage in two metros of Western Cape and in one district in the Northern Cape Province.
- The BCP is being extended to all Grade R teachers in the Northern Cape (2018-2023). The project is a collaboration between Basic Concepts Unlimited and the Northern Cape government.
- The BCP is a registered short course at the University of Cape Town and is accredited by the South African Council of Education (SACE).
- The BCP is also available as an online course and currently has students from 23 countries around the world. This course is also accredited with SACE.
- Basic Concepts Unlimited provides practical internships for international students from Stanford University in the United States as part of an overseas credit bearing course.
- Basic Concepts has been recognized as one of the 10 most innovative early childhood education programmes in South Africa by UCT Graduate School of Business and the Bertha Centre for Social Innovation.

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