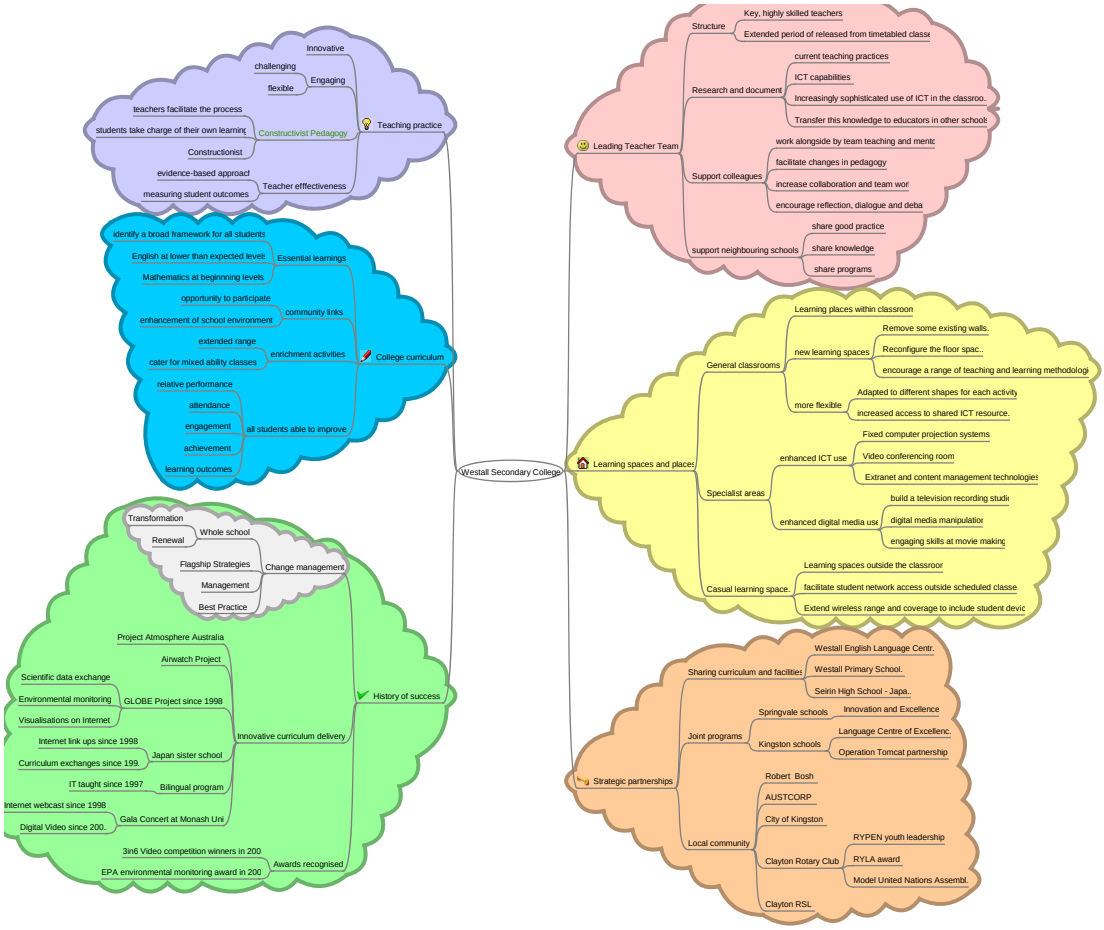
Westall Secondary College
Teaching practice
Innovative
Engaging
challenging
flexible
Constructivist Pedagogy
teachers facilitate the process
students take charge of their own learning
Constructionist
Teacher efffectiveness
evidence-based approach
measuring student outcomes
College curriculum
Essential learnings
identify a broad framework for all students
English at lower than expected levels
Mathematics at beginnning levels
community links
opportunity to participate
enhancement of school environment
enrichment activities
extended range
cater for mixed ability classes
all students able to improve
relative performance
attendance
engagement
achievement
learning outcomes
History of success
Change management
Whole school
Transformation
Renewal
Flagship Strategies
Management
Best Practice
Innovative curriculum delivery
Project Atmosphere Australia
Airwatch Project
GLOBE Project since 1998
Scientific data exchange
Environmental monitoring
Visualisations on Internet
Japan sister school
Internet link ups since 1998
Curriculum exchanges since 199.
Bilingual program
IT taught since 1997
Gala Concert at Monash Uni
Internet webcast since 1998
Digital Video since 200..
Awards recognised
3in6 Video competition winners in 200
EPA environmental monitoring award in 200
Leading Teacher Team
Structure
Key, highly skilled teachers
Extended period of released from timetabled classe
Research and document
current teaching practices
ICT capabilities
Increasingly sophisticated use of ICT in the classroo..
Transfer this knowledge to educators in other schools
Support colleagues
work alongside by team teaching and mentc
facilitate changes in pedagogy
increase collaboration and team wor
encourage reflection, dialogue and deba
support neighbouring schools
share good practice
share knowledge
share programs
Learning spaces and places
General classrooms
Learning places within classroon
new learning spaces
Remove some existing walls.
Reconfigure the floor spac..
encourage a range of teaching and learning methodologi
more flexible
Adapted to different shapes for each activity
increased access to shared ICT resource.
Specialist areas
enhanced ICT use
Fixed computer projection systems
Video conferencing room
Extranet and content management technologies
enhanced digital media use
build a television recording studi
digital media manipulatio
engaging skills at movie making
Casual learning space.
Learning spaces outside the classroor
facilitate student network access outside scheduled classe
Extend wireless range and coverage to include student devic
Strategic partnerships
Sharing curriculum and facilities
Westall English Language Centr.
Westall Primary School.
Seirin High School - Japa..
Joint programs
Springvale schools
Innovation and Excellence
Kingston schools
Language Centre of Excellenc.
Operation Tomcat partnership
Local community
Robert Bosh
AUSTCORP
City of Kingston
Clayton Rotary Club
RYPEN youth leadership
RYLA award
Model United Nations Assembl.
Clayton RSL