



# Term 3 Webinar Calendar

## August | September 2026

### **Q&A with game developers in the industry**

[acer.ac/QA\\_SVGC](https://acer.ac/QA_SVGC)

**Wednesday, 5 August 2:00pm AEST**

This webinar provides the opportunity for students and mentors currently participating in the Australian STEM Video Game Challenge (STEM VGC) to submit questions to a professional game developer. To have your questions answered, please submit them during your registration for this webinar.

Explore the newly released PAT Early Literacy assessment and learn how it supports educators in understanding and strengthening students' foundational literacy skills. This session will walk you through the purpose, design, and key features of the assessment, highlighting how it can be used to identify early learning needs and guide targeted instruction.

### **Introducing PAT Early Literacy: a new assessment for foundational skills**

[acer.ac/PATEarlyLiteracy](https://acer.ac/PATEarlyLiteracy)

**Friday, 17 August 4:00pm AEST**

### **Generating and interpreting ACER's PAT Bands, Group, Individual and Longitudinal reports**

[acer.ac/generatingPAT](https://acer.ac/generatingPAT)

**Wednesday, 26 August 4:00pm AEST**

This session provides a practical walkthrough of the PAT Bands, Group, Individual, and Longitudinal reports used to analyse results from ACER's linear assessments. We'll explore reporting across PAT Reading 5th Edition, and the PAT Early Years assessments, showing how each report type can support deeper insight into student learning.

This session provides an in-depth look at the ACER Data Explorer, with a focus on the Achievement, Student, Item Performance, and Progress reports. We'll explore how these reports work for PAT Maths Adaptive, PAT Reading Adaptive and PAT Maths 5th Edition assessments, and how they can be used to build a deeper understanding of student achievement and growth.

### **Generating and interpreting PAT reports using the ACER Data Explorer**

[acer.ac/PATDataExplorer](https://acer.ac/PATDataExplorer)

**Wednesday, 2 September 4:00pm AEST**

### **PAT Interview: Conversations with schools using PAT – best-practice recommendations for effective administration**

[acer.ac/PATinterview](https://acer.ac/PATinterview)

**Tuesday, 16 September 4:00pm AEST**

This episode in the PAT Interview series brings together practical guidance on administering PAT assessments with real-world insights from school leaders who use PAT to drive meaningful learning growth. Educators will explore best practice approaches for preparing, scheduling, and delivering PAT tests, while also hearing firsthand how schools integrate PAT into their assessment cycles to support evidence informed decision making.

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