



Influencing Futures through Literacy

Canadian Institute of Reading Recovery
National Reading Recovery® & Early Literacy Conference

THURSDAY, APRIL 20, 2017

7:30 am	Registration / Buffet Breakfast (Grand York Foyer and Grand York A)
8:45 am	Welcome (Grand York A) Conference Opening Heather Sears, Superintendent of Curriculum & Instructional Services for York Region School Board
9:00 am	KEYNOTE Seeing Vulnerable Learners as 'with promise' rather than 'at risk' Lori Jamison Grand York A
10:15 am	Break & Exhibitors
10:45 am	Conversation with Lori Jamison Lori Jamison with Christine Fraser Grand York A ALL
	How to Fall in Love with Teaching Reading in K-1 Shari Schwartz, Reading Recovery Teacher, Toronto District School Board Thornhill ALL
	Oral Language: Let's Talk Yvette Heffernan, Reading Recovery Trainer, Atlantic Region Richmond A&B RR
	Variety is the Spice of Life: Choosing the Right Words to Write DeeDee Verlinde & Briare Wynn, Reading Recovery Leader & Teacher, York Region School Board Grand York B&C RR
	Literacy Bootcamp: Ensuring Progress of Lowest Readers Lisa Finlayson, Liz Kaufman, Kelly Lunn, Early Reading Coaches, Toronto District School Board Richmond C&D ALL
Noon	LUNCH - Door Prize Draw at 1pm in Grand York A Administrators Lunch - Thornhill
1:15 pm	Change it Up: Towards a Deeper Understanding of Oral Language Holly Cumming, Reading Recovery Teacher Leader, Winnipeg School Division Grand York B&C RR
	The Principal's Role in the Reading Recovery School Team Jennifer Flight, Reading Recovery Trainer, Western Region Thornhill RR - Administrators
	Unleash the Potential of Technology in Your Literacy Program Casey MacDonald and David Hoang, Teachers, Toronto District School Board Richmond C&D ALL *This session is also offered on Friday
	Small Group Reading Instruction: What's New & What's G-old? Lori Jamison Grand York A ALL
	Problem Solving Student Learning: One School's Story Paula Evans, Early Years Literacy Facilitator, Halifax Regional School Board Richmond A&B ALL
2:30 pm	Break & Exhibitors

2:45 pm	<i>Effective Processing from Beginning to End</i> Sue Duncan ALL Grand York A
	<i>Prompting: The Heart of Contingent Teaching</i> Shari Worsfold, Primary Curriculum Consultant, Yukon Department of Education RR Richmond C&D <i>*This session is also offered on Friday</i>
	<i>Do our Parents know the good we are doing? Increasing Parent Engagement</i> Stacey Wagler, Shelley Wikiruk, Amanda McCabe Reading Recovery Teacher Leaders, Huron Superior Catholic School Board RR Grand York B&C
	<i>From Rhyming to Reading: Making Phonological Awareness Fun</i> Ruth Rumack, Executive Director of Education, Ruth Rumack's Learning Space ALL Thornhill
	<i>Teachers' Interactive Language Use as Instructional Approach for Guided Reading</i> Vanda Mitri, Reading Recovery Teacher Leader, Brandon School Division ALL Richmond A&B
4:00 pm	Adjournment

Exhibitors

Curriculum Plus

RR Books

Scholastic Education

Louise Kool & Galt

Marathon Learning Materials

Western University – Faculty of Education

Pioneer Valley Books (catalogues only)

Blueberry Hill Books

MaryRuth Books

Oxford University Press

Pearson Canada

Ruth Rumack Learning Space

Nelson

Pembroke Publishers



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FRIDAY, APRIL 21, 2017

7:30 am	Registration / Buffet Breakfast (Grand York Foyer and Grand York A)	
8:45 am	Welcome Sheryl Robinson Petrazzini, Central Coordinating Principal Early Years, Toronto District School Board	Opening Grand York A
9:15 am	KEYNOTE <i>Critical Aspects of Early Learning in Reading</i> Sue Duncan Grand York A	
10:15 am	Break & Exhibitors	
10:45 am	Prompting: The Heart of Contingent Teaching Shari Worsfold, Primary Curriculum Consultant, Yukon Department of Education RR <i>*This session was also offered on Thursday</i>	Thornhill
	Conversation with Sue Duncan Sue Duncan and Jennifer Flight ALL	Grand York A
	Unleash the Potential of Technology in Your Literacy Program Casey MacDonald and David Hoang, Teachers, Toronto District School Board ALL <i>*This session was also offered on Thursday</i>	Richmond A&B
	Sparking Curiosity Through Inquiry-Based Learning Using Literacy Comprehension Strategies Melissa Seco, Math and Reading Specialist, Toronto District School Board EL	Grand York B&C
	Teaching for Fluency: Writing and Reading Allyson Matczuk, Reading Recovery Trainer, Western Region RR	Richmond C&D
12:00 pm	LUNCH	
1:15 pm	4 F's of Familiar Reading: Familiarity, Fluency, Flexibility and Fun! Christine Fraser, Reading Recovery Trainer, Mountain Pacific Region RR	Grand York B&C
	What's in a Name? Using Names to Support Literacy Acquisition Jennifer Gillingham & Barb Cassar, Reading Recovery Teacher Leaders, Toronto District School Board ALL	Richmond C&D
	Qu'est-ce possible en apprentissage de la lecture et de l'écriture en milieu minoritaire? Monique LeBlanc-Delaney, Reading Recovery Teacher Leader, Conseil Scolaire Acadien Provincial ALL Note: this session will be conducted in French	Richmond A&B
	Show and Share: Interactive Learning Space for Reading Recovery Teachers Lisa Vien and Liana Melnyk, Reading Recovery Teacher Leaders, York Region District School Board RR	Grand York A
2:30 pm	Break & Exhibitors - Door Prize Draw at 2:40pm in Grand York A	
2:45 pm	Closing Keynote	Looking Back to See Ahead David Booth Grand York A
4:00 pm	Conference Adjournment	