

# **Key Early Skills Required for Reading Success**



PRESENTED BY

Dr. Deborah Karrah



#### **SERIES SESSIONS**

Date	Time
October 25, 2022	1:00 PM - 3:30 PM



LOCATION

SAPDC Learning Suite OR Zoom online meeting - 2219 14 Ave S (Located in Our Lady of Assumption School)

\$25.00

QUESTIONS?

Contact Us:
403-381-5580

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## **Program**

This is an introductory, practical learning session to support Kindergarten and Grade 1 teachers in the implementation of the new ELA foundational literacy curriculum to equip students for reading success. The focus will be on how to develop these key foundational skills:

- phonological awareness spoken word, rhyming, alliteration, onset-rime, syllables
- phonemic awareness skills phoneme identification, isolation, blending, segmenting, and manipulation
- phonics skills letter formation, letter/sound association, decoding (sounding out)
- orthographic mapping encoding (spelling); word memory retrieval

Register for Key Early Skills Required for Reading Success: Part 2 here

#### **Presenters**

### Dr. Deborah Karrah

Dr. Deborah Karrah is an experienced educator (Administrator and Learning Support Teacher) who is a Structured Literacy specialist and Certified Orton-Gillingham instructor. She provides school division professional learning sessions that focus on the foundational literacy skills of phonological awareness and phonics development. In her private

practice, she offers reading as well as writing remediation for children who have dyslexia and dysgraphia. For the past three years, Dr. Karrah has also been collaborating with Harvard University in a research study on an innovative dyslexia screening technology developed by a multi-disciplinary team in Greece.

## **Registration Notes**

This learning opportunity will be offered in-person and NOT recorded. We will be using ZOOM for those wishing to attend remotely.

Part II offered November 22, 2022.

