The Psychology of Reading

A workshop for Psychologists

Dyslexia - SPELD Foundation
LITERACY SERVICES

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APS Endorsed Activity

The Psychology Of Reading
5.5 CPD Hours
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Significant numbers of Australian children fail to acquire accurate and fluent reading ability. This results in poor reading comprehension, poor written expression, and a reduced capacity to engage with the curriculum. The links between inappropriate classroom behaviour and low reading ability are also well-documented.

In order to assess the functional impact of reading failure and to recommend appropriate intervention strategies, the school psychologist needs to be aware of current research evidence from both a cognitive and developmental perspective. A working knowledge of the most effective methods of teaching reading is also essential.

Participants in this workshop will examine current reading research evidence and evaluate the implications for the psychologist.

Presenter: *Mandy Nayton is currently the Executive Officer of DSF Literacy and Clinical Services. She is a developmental and educational psychologist as well as a qualified teacher with extensive experience in the field of educational and counselling psychology. Mandy assesses children, teenagers and adults struggling with the acquisition of effective literacy skills and recommends appropriate classroom-based and individual strategies. She also runs numerous courses on literacy acquisition and learning difficulties both for DSF and in association with the University of Western Australia's Child Study Centre.*

Where: **DSF Literacy Services -** 10 Broome Street SOUTH PERTH (off Douglas Avenue)

Date: **Thursday 28th June 2012** **Time:** **9.00am to 3.30pm**
Note: Lunch is provided. Please inform us of any special dietary requirements)

Cost (GST Inclusive)**:** Members: $135 Non-Members: $145

Please complete the registration slip below and fax it to DSF on 9217 2599 or post it to DSF Literacy Services, PO Box 409, South Perth WA 6951

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