

Wired For Reading

An Evidence Based Linguistic Program for Reading, Spelling and Vocabulary

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Wired For Reading's multi-sensory, systematic approach has a strong record of success for struggling readers both in and out of the regular classroom. At the same time, the program's engaging exploration of the architecture of English benefits all learners.

Wired For Reading Intermediate Course

The fun, drama, music, and stories continue at the WFR Intermediate course! Now that you and your students have a strong foundation of phonological awareness and are able to decode single syllable words, it is time to move to multi-syllable word analysis. You will learn two strategies to break down multi-syllable words by meaning and by sound, benefiting both reading and spelling. We will also review and explore concepts from Introductory more deeply and share implementation stories.

For classroom teachers, special education teachers, tutors, paraprofessionals, instructional coaches, and parents of students with reading difficulties.

- Understand the deep structure of why we spell they way we do, promoting transfer.
- Use awareness of syllable types to “yank” words into easier to read and spell chunks. Easily predict when to double a consonant or drop a silent e.
- Discover how prefix and suffix awareness breaks words into easier to read and spell chunks.
- Create a ‘suffix key’ to track the meaning and spelling of the most common Anglo Saxon based suffixes.
- Learn the meaning and spelling of the most common Anglo Saxon based prefixes using Adapted American sign to make them stick like glue.
- Enjoy memory-friendly and entertaining phonics stories to clarify spelling patterns such as –es vs. –s, y to i, -ed or t/d, -le vs. –el.

"Once again, I have been dazzled by Laura Rogan. She converted her knowledge gained with university reading researchers into a curriculum that teachers can understand. Laura uses stories, music, visuals, and movement to engage students while they gain the skills necessary to be competent readers. She has taken complex phonics rules and turned them into engaging lessons for all ages-kindergartener to adult. Wired for Reading is the key that unlocks the world of reading for everyone.

- Lisa Van Enkevort, 5th gr teacher

"I immediately put to use "syllable dancing", "quick words" and the "flowers" tools to use in a variety of ways with my ELL students! The program also offers the opportunity to identify which sounds an ELL student might have trouble pronouncing, sounds which don't even exist in their home country. I'm still pouring over the workbook for ideas. "

-Nancy Keith, ELL Tutor

Seattle Winter Intermediate: March 23-24th 2012(Friday 4:30-7:45 & Saturday 8:15-4:30)
at Hamlin Robinson School.

Tuition: \$125. Ten clock hours or one credit are also available through Seattle University.

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