

# Teacher - Afternoon Workshop

## The Essentials of Implementing an Effective Reading Program P-3

This two hour workshop specifically focuses on supporting P-3 teachers in implementing a consistent structured approach to improving the reading of all students in their classroom. A whole - part -whole approach to the teaching of reading is advocated using a continuum of support with the instructional approaches of Modelled, Shared and Guided Reading. This workshop has a particular emphasis on guided reading and includes the organisation and management of small groups of students for Guided Reading and ideas for independent literacy learning activities.

### CONTENT OVERVIEW

#### Understanding the Reading Process:

- A very practical approach to understanding the three cueing systems and applying this knowledge in the classroom
- Discussion re - assessment and monitoring schedule

#### The Instructional Approaches

- A scaffolded approach - Reading to, Reading with, Reading by
- Applying new understandings of the reading process and the four practices to teaching using the instructional approaches of Shared and Guided Reading
- A particular emphasis on Guided Reading and modelling of the approach

#### Managing the Learning Environment

- The organisation and management of small groups of students for Guided Reading
- Ideas for independent literacy learning activities

For workshop dates, times, costs & locations please refer to the event schedule