

Language Essentials for Teachers of Reading and Spelling

## Online Delivery for the Eastern States

The LETRS® course includes eight units of study, typically completed across two years.

Each unit commences with a full-day workshop delivered via an online learning platform.

Participants then complete the online sessions in their own time. Each unit comprises six to eight online sessions, taking approximately 1.5 to 2.5 hours to complete.

Date: Tuesday 27th Oct 2020

Time: 10:00am to 4:00pm AEST

Cost: \$985 for the first 4 units, all

materials and 4 full-day

workshops.

Code: 220LETRS3

# Unit 1 - The Challenge of Learning to Read.

This initial session provides an overview of the *LETRS*® course and introduces the first unit of study.

Dates for the remaining three sessions will be negotiated with attendees.

Participants will be given the option to continue with Units 5-8 after completing the first four units.

This workshop is suitable for primary school teachers, learning support teachers, tutors and speech pathologists.



To register please go to https://dsf.net.au/our-services/workshops-and-events

### The NEW *LETRS*® program is a two-year course of study

#### Units 1-4 in Year 1

Theoretical models from reading science; phonology, basic and advanced phonics; screening and educational diagnostic assessment



#### Units 5-8 in Year 2

Teaching vocabulary, language and reading comprehension

Unit 1 - The Challenge of Learning to Read

Unit 3 - Teaching Beginning Phonics, Word Recognition, and Spelling

Unit 5 - The Mighty Word: Oral Language and Vocabulary

Unit 7 - Text-Driven Comprehension Instruction Unit 2 - The Speech Sounds of English

Unit 4 - Advanced Decoding, Spelling and Word Recognition

Unit 6 - Digging for Meaning: Understanding Reading Comprehension

Unit 8 - The Reading-Writing
Connection

