

2023-2024 Embrace Literacy All Year Long Schedule

Date(s)	Strand	Topic/Title	Presentors
Embrace Literacy All Year Long! Topical Webinar Series		Virtual 4:30-6:00 pm Will be recorded	Open to any educator interested in learning more about evidence based literacy practices.
September 19	elementary	I-Screened, Now What?	Erin Pzinski
September 19	secondary	Science of Reading at the Secondary Level	Matt Hunter, Lexia Learning
October 17	elementary	K-3 Literacy	Wendy Daniels, Instructional Intensity
October 17	secondary	Adolescent Literacy	Leslie Rush and Todd Reynolds, UW
November 21	elementary	The Architecture of a Robust Read-Aloud: Building Vocabulary, Content Knowledge, Comprehension, and Community.	Taren Hendricks
January 16	elementary	Best Practices for Teaching high-Frequency Words K-2	Carrie Cole, Side by Side Consulting
January 16	secondary	Vocabulary Instruction in All Secondary Content Areas	Todd Reynolds and Abby Markley, UW
February 20	elementary	Fostering Analytic Talk and ENhancing Vocabulary Understanding through Interactive Read Alouds	Sara Pommarane, LLCC, UW
February 20	secondary	Why and How: A Relentless Focus on Comprehensible Output Improves Literacy Outcomes	Karen Wattenmaker
March 5	elementary	Reading for Understanding in the Elementary Grades	Dr. Cindy Brock, UW; Kim Lane, WDE
March 5	secondary	Motivation and Engagement for the Adolescent Reader	Dr. Leslie Rush, UW
April 16	elementary	Screening, Diagnostic, Progress Monitoring: What's the Difference?	Stephanie Smith
April 16	secondary	The Power of Word Parts: Morphology in the Secondary Classrooms	Dr. Dianna Townsend
May 21	elementary	Constructing Comprehension: The Critical Contribution of Background Knowledge	Nancy Hennessy
May 21	secondary	Discussions that Matter: Supporting Student Discourse for Comprehension and Critical Thinking	Dr. Dianna Townsend