James Clements Expert Event

Building an Outstanding Reading School: Raising standards through creating an authentic reading culture

The Oxford Expert Speaker Programme brings the best known experts in education to events across the UK to share new ways of thinking about teaching and learning.

Oxford University Press is delighted to be working with James Clements, and will sponsor the training costs to deliver James’ sessions to schools.

Event Agenda:

Session 1: Learning to Read and Choosing to Read
Session 2: Teaching Reading Across the School
Session 3: Effective Strategies for Creating Lifelong Readers

Further details

- Designed for Primary Head Teachers, SLT and Subject Leaders
- Duration: Full Day (approx. 5 hours)

To book a session

Please contact your local Primary educational consultant

About James Clements

James is an experienced teacher, researcher and education writer who works with schools and local authorities across the UK and further afield to develop the teaching of English. James is the creator of website shakespeareandmore.com and the author of Teaching English by the Book.
Agenda

Registration

Welcome and Introduction

Session 1: Learning to read and choosing to read (1 hour)
- Outstanding Reading Schools – a project overview (and why it could be important to your school)
- Research overview - why creating an authentic reading culture matters
- Addressing the challenges schools face with provision for reading
- Supporting staff to consider the skills and knowledge to help every child become a lifelong reader

Refreshments and Display

Session 2: Teaching Reading Across the School (1 hour 30 mins)
- Effective approaches to developing comprehension
- Creating a curriculum for reading- principles and implementation

Lunch

Session 3: Effective Strategies for Creating Lifelong Readers (1 hour 30 mins)
- Engaging parents in their children’s reading
- Targeting resources to motivate young readers
- Celebrating reading in your school

Closing Comments and Depart