

# **Keys to Early Writing – Grades K-2**

# **Live Virtual Professional Development**

This two-day professional development focuses on writing instruction for students in grades K-2. Participants learn developmentally appropriate, evidence-based practices for teaching beginning writing skills to young students.

**Virtual-Live Format:** The Keys trainer will use Zoom video conferencing to deliver this training in an interactive format using features such as breakout rooms and chat.

## **Training Topics:**

- Writing Basics and Community: K-2 writing development, review of research-based best practices, oral language connection, writing lesson routine, writing environment, mentor text, 3 types of writing
- Writing Process: think-plan-write-revise, peer collaboration, teacher feedback and conferencing
- Writer's Craft, Text Structure, 3 Types of Writing
- First Steps: drawing, labels, lists, role of spelling and handwriting
- Sentences: sentence basics, developing syntactic awareness
- Paragraph Writing: teaching paragraph structure, scaffolds, patterns of organization
- Writing from Sources: types of writing in content areas, shared beginning research-writing

#### **Who Should Participate**

Grades K-2 classroom teachers and grades 3-4 educators who work with students who have writing difficulty

#### **IMPORTANT INFORMATION**

**DATES**: May 6-7, 2025 **COST**: \$325 (includes training manual)

**TIME** 9:00AM - 3:30PM (Eastern Time)

#### TWO WAYS TO REGISTER...

Online: Complete the registration form and submit payment on our website: <a href="http://keystoliteracy.com/events/">http://keystoliteracy.com/events/</a>

*Mail*: Complete the registration form (next page) and submit with purchase order or check payment (payable to Keys to Literacy, LLC).

#### **ADDRESS TO SHIP BOOK**

Please note that we will be mailing the training books to participants at their home address, so we need your home mailing address on the registration form.



# **Registration Form**

(Each registrant must complete a registration form. Payment or P.O. must accompany form OR register online at <a href="http://keystoliteracy.com/events/">http://keystoliteracy.com/events/</a>.)

SECTION 1: PARTICIPANT information	
NAME:PO	OSITION/TITLE:
SUBJECT:	GRADE:
DISTRICT/ORGANIZATION:	SCHOOL:
HOME MAILING ADDRESS to ship book:	
CITY:ST.	ATE: ZIP:
PHONE: ()MOST USE	D EMAIL:
SECTION 2: SESSION information	SECTION 3: PAYMENT information
Keys to Early Writing – K-2	Please include completed registration form with payment.
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<b>COST:</b> \$325	purchase order #(if available)
QUESTIONS? Contact Melissa Powers at (978) 948-8511, ext. 202 or melissa@keystoliteracy.com  REFUND/CANCELLATION POLICY	Please mail to: Keys to Literacy 319 Newburyport Turnpike, Suite 205 Rowley, MA 01969
<ul> <li>If you cancel 3 days or more prior to training, you will be issued a 15% refund.</li> <li>No refunds will be issued for "no shows" or cancellations within 72 hours of training.</li> </ul>	To pay with a credit card, please register online: <a href="https://www.keystoliteracy.com/events/">https://www.keystoliteracy.com/events/</a>

### **CONFIRMATION**

Substitutions accepted.

Your registration will be confirmed by email. **PLEASE NOTE:** You are **not** registered unless you receive a confirmation email!