



## Reading Ambition for All: Teaching children who need the most support, including those with SEND

Aimed at:

- Headteachers
- Senior Leaders
- Reading Leads
- SENCOs

### PROGRAMME AIMS:

The core aims of the Reading Ambition for All programme are:

- to improve outcomes for children who need additional support with reading, including those with SEND
- to ensure that all children receive quality-first teaching based on the latest research into how children learn to read.

### WE WILL DO THIS BY:

- building on the strong evidence base which demonstrates that all children learn to read in the same way: moving from decoding to fluency via orthographic learning
- using strategies underpinned by the knowledge that children with SEND are on the same learning trajectory as all other children and that we must be equally ambitious for them
- using adapted materials and materials that limit distraction
- using strategies such as pre-tutoring, repeated practice and overlearning
- following extensive research that demonstrates the importance of reducing cognitive load and of providing repeated practice
- promoting adaptive teaching for children with SEND in mainstream settings including: breaking down learning and assessment into smaller steps and teaching at a slower pace where needed.



### MODULE CONTENT:

The content of the five discrete modules, with gap tasks are set out below.

#### Module 1 Wednesday 18th September 2024

The guiding principles of teaching SEND in mainstream schools.

#### Module 2 Wednesday 20th November 2024

Understanding children's needs; ensuring access to learning.

#### Module 3 Tuesday 21st January 2025

Adaptive teaching and appropriate adaptations to use in class.

#### Module 4 Tuesday 29th April 2025

Leading reading: High expectations for every child; using assessment to create specific and effective support using your SSP programme.

#### Module 5 Wednesday 4th June 2025

Supporting children with a more complex SEND.

**Time:** 1pm – 3.30pm

**Venue:** Witham St Hughs English Hub  
The Regatta, Lincoln LN6 3QR

**Cost:** FREE



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EXPRESSION OF INTEREST FORM**

PLEASE NOTE, THIS DOES NOT GUARANTEE  
YOUR BOOKING.

The school's  
Reading Leader and  
SENCo must attend  
all modules.

Headteachers must  
attend modules  
1 and 4.

