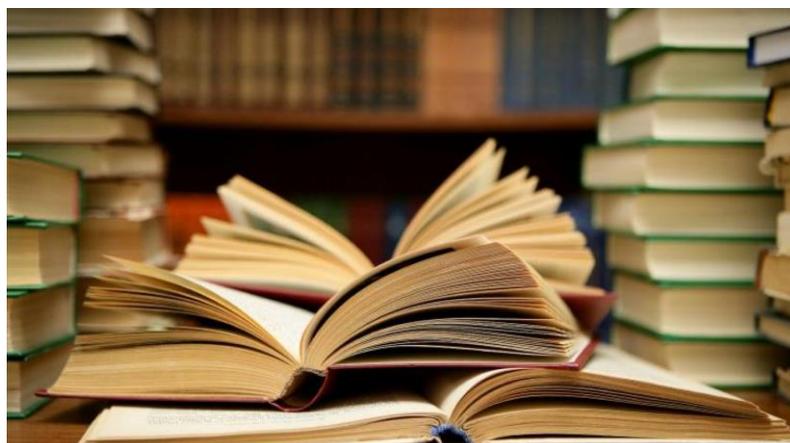


The Programme

The EEF Improving Literacy in Secondary Schools Guidance Report is designed to support senior and middle leaders in secondary schools to make better-informed decisions about improving whole-school literacy. This programme will unpick the evidence that has informed the report, provide case studies and implementation guidance. The emphasis will be on the value of supporting teachers in every subject to teach students how to read, write and communicate effectively in order to improve attainment outcomes across a school.



Day 1: 20 th April 2020	Day 2: 1 st June 2020	Day 3: 22 nd June 2020
<p><i>Investigating the evidence base for effective whole-school literacy</i></p> <p>The day will consider the increased challenges of literacy at secondary level. Delegates will discuss the research on developing disciplinary literacy, on targeted vocabulary instruction and on improving reading strategies. These are recommendations 1-3 of the report.</p>	<p><i>Translating evidence to have high impact in the classroom:</i></p> <p>The day will concentrate on recommendations 4 and 5: breaking down complex writing process and combining writing instruction with reading in every subject. We will look at case studies from the classroom. Delegates will use self assessment to identify reading and writing priorities for their schools and plan for change to literacy practice.</p>	<p><i>Sustaining high-impact practice through evidence-based CPD:</i></p> <p>The final day will explore recommendations 6 and 7 on structured talk and literacy interventions, reflecting on the barriers to literacy in their context. The day will also unpick the evidence around effective implementation, and how delegates can implement their learning from the programme back in school in order to effect change.</p>

- Audience** : Headteachers, senior leaders, heads of department or key stages, middle leaders and classroom teachers from secondary schools.
- Dates** : 20th April, 1st June and 22nd June (all 3 dates must be attended)
- Venue** : Ash Grove Academy,
Belgrave Road,
Macclesfield,
Cheshire, SK11 7TF
- Times** : 9.30am – 3.30pm
- Cost** : £295 including lunch & refreshments
- Facilitated by** : Dr Laura Ovenden, Evidence Lead for the Aspirer Research School and Lead English Practitioner
- To book** : To book your place please email Rachel Swann at Aspirer via rswann@aet.cheshire.sch.uk