

# Steps Professional Development

## Daily Specials

Please mix and match your day from the following consultancy options.

### **FS2 Writing: Involving Students Activities** 1 day

This session revisits the process of planning a unit of work on writing and then concentrates upon activities for a variety of phases of development. It's a great way to discover more of the practical ideas in the resource.

### **FS2 Reading: Involving Students Activities** 1 day

As above, but with a focus upon reading.

### **FS2 Speaking & Listening: Involving Students Activities** 1 day

As above, but with a focus upon speaking and listening.

### **FS2 Writing: A Writing Journey from start to finish!** 3 hrs

In this session we walk through the writing processes effective writers use to craft a text. You will walk away with ideas suitable for teaching the writing processes to students of all ages.

(morning session)

### **FS2 Reading: Explicitly teaching a New Strategy** 3 hrs

We know that students will not learn what the reading strategies are, when to use them and how to use them without explicit teaching. This session shows how to teach a unit of work about introducing a new strategy.

(morning session)

### **FS2 Speaking & Listening: The Language of Description** 2 hrs

The language of description is an essential process for learning. It enables us to enrich our vocabulary, develop our concept and category knowledge, explain events and actions and make our conversations clear and concise. This session looks at how the second edition resources can support teachers in this area.

(afternoon session)

### **First Steps Second Edition Reading, Writing and Speaking & Listening: One-to-one planning support** am or pm

Our consultant will work with individual teachers or teaching partners to support them with their planning for First Steps.

session

Each session is suitable for teachers working with students aged 4–12. Staff need to have attended the course on the appropriate literacy strand and have the accompanying texts.

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