

## **LETRS Training at The Briarwood School**

What is LETRS? LETRS (Language Essentials for Teachers of Reading and Spelling) is a training series on the science of reading. LETRS is written by Louisa Moats and is delivered through a series of modules meant to deepen teachers' understanding of the science of reading. LETRS is not a reading and spelling program or curriculum but rather information to help teachers be more effective.

What is the cost? \$50.00 per module to cover the cost of the manual.

**How do I register?** Complete the registration online at briarwoodschool.org.

2022 LETRS Dates - All times are 8:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Tuesday June 14 - Module 1: The Challenge of Learning to Read (prerequisite)

Thursday, June 16 - Module 2: The Speech Sounds of English

Tuesday, June 21 - Module 3: Spellography for Teachers: How English Spelling Works

Thursday, June 23 - Module 7: Teaching Phonics, Word Study, and the Alphabetic Principle

Tuesday, June 28 - Module 9 - Teaching Beginning Spelling and Writing

**Do I have to attend all modules?** No, but Module 1 is a prerequisite for all other modules. Modules 1, 2, 3, 7 make a great deep dive into phonics and spelling. Module 9 covers the writing process. Modules 4, 5, 6, 8, and 10 are unavailable at this time.

**How long is each module?** Each module is a 7-hour training delivered in-person at The Briarwood School. Each module comes with a manual that participants will receive upon arrival each day.

Who should attend? Anyone responsible for the instruction of reading, spelling, and writing to students in grades K-3 or to older students who struggle. Past participants have included classroom teachers, reading specialists, interventionists, administrators, and speech and language pathologists.

**Will I receive a certificate of completion?** Yes, certificates of completion will be given at the end of the day for each module. The Briarwood School is a TEA approved training site.

## Who can I contact with questions?

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