

OFFICIAL PROGRAMME

TEACHING & LEARNING CONFERENCE

Saturday, 10th May 2025

Reach British School, Abu Dhabi, UAE

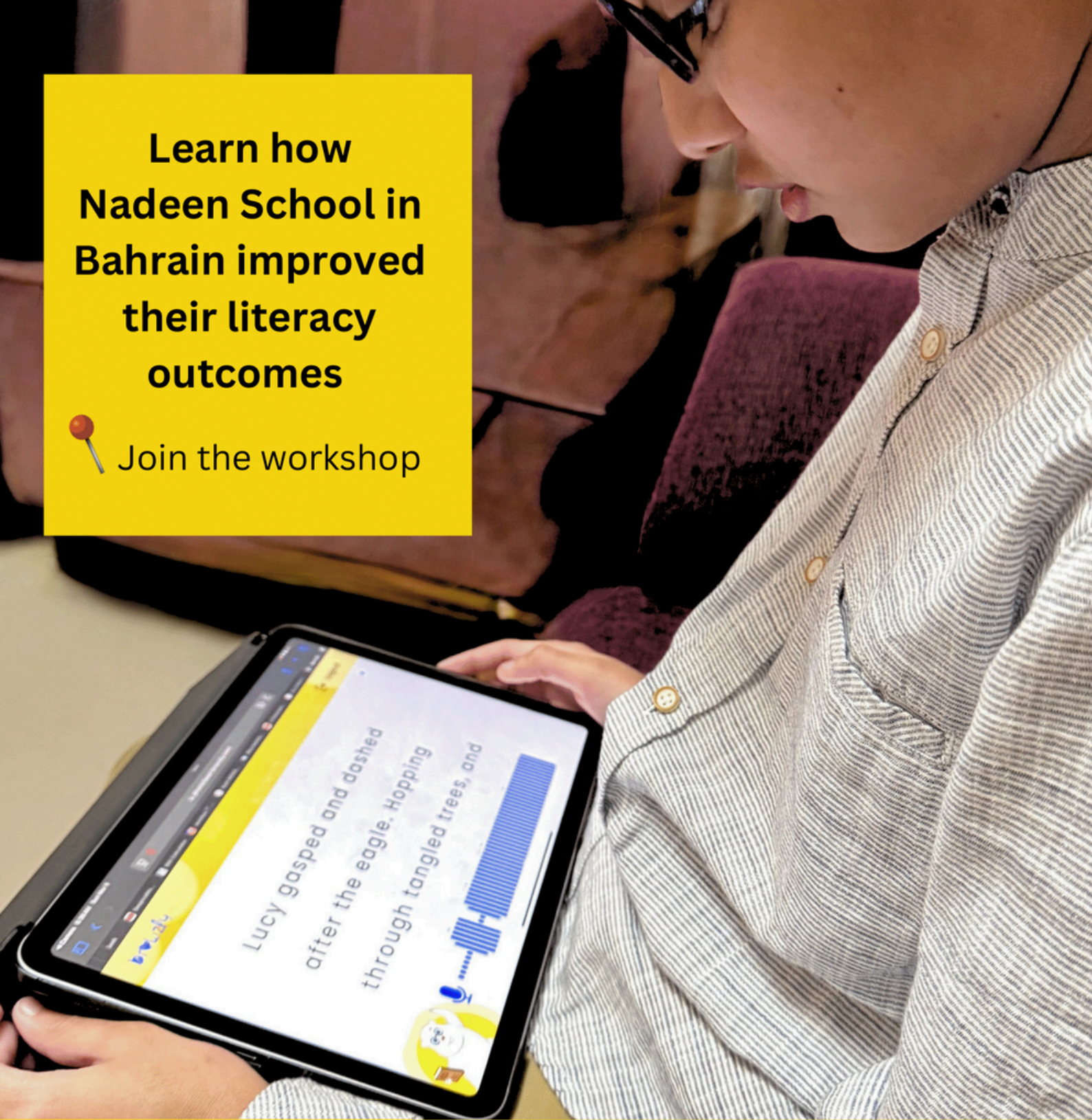


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08:00 - 08:30 Registration, Exhibition and Networking

08:30 - 08:45 Opening Remarks
[Nalini Cook](#), Business Manager, BSME
[Craig Halsall](#), Principal, Reach British School & BSME
Executive Committee Member

08:45 - 09:30 Session 1: Keynote
Teaching Students How to Drive Their Own Brain
[Leo Thompson](#), Founder, Edsplorer

09:35 - 10:30 Session 2: Workshops
Please select one of the following sessions to attend

Workshop 2.1: A Magical Mystery Ride of Belonging, Belief and Becoming!
[Leo Thompson](#), Founder, Edsplorer

ROOM 1

Workshop 2.2: Exploring the CIS Pedagogy Playbook
[Dr. Sudha Govindswamy](#), Associate Director, CIS

ROOM 2

Workshop 2.3: Enhancing Learning and Development through Voice AI
Speech-to-Text Technology
[Emma Pickering](#), Assistant Principal, Nadeen School
[Kacey Greig](#), Head of Early Years, Nadeen School

ROOM 3

10:30 - 11:00 Morning Break: Exhibition Viewing and Networking

11:00 - 11:55 Session 3: Workshops
Please select one of the following sessions to attend

Workshop 3.1: Leading Learning and Teaching through Evidence and Implementation
[Dee Saran](#), Deputy Head - Learning and Teaching, Dubai College

ROOM 1

Workshop 3.2: How Belonging Impacts Teaching and Learning
[Charlotte McDowell](#), Assistant Head Teacher, The British School Al Khubairat

ROOM 2

11:55 - 12:45

Session 4: Workshops

Please select one of the following sessions to attend

Workshop 4.1: The Art of Dialogue - Empowering Classroom Conversations

[Anna Cavanagh](#), Deputy Head of Learning, Teaching and Wellbeing,
Reach British School

ROOM 1

Workshop 4.2: The EdTech Playbook

[Olly Lewis](#), Deputy Head, Amity International School Abu Dhabi

ROOM 2

12:45 - 13:45

Lunch: Exhibition Viewing and Networking

13:45 - 14:40

Session 5: Workshops

Please select one of the following sessions to attend

Workshop 5.1: Crafting a Future Ready Curriculum

[Eleanor Dawson](#), Assistant Head Teacher, St. Christopher's School, Bahrain

ROOM 1

Workshop 5.2: Beyond the Tick-Box: Formative Assessment That Drives Learning

[Greg Ryan](#), Assistant Headteacher, Aracdia British School

[Russell Smart](#), Deputy Headteacher, Dubai British School Jumeirah Park

ROOM 2

14:45 - 15:30

Session 6: Keynote

Teaching, Learning and Leading with AI

[Olly Lewis](#), Deputy Head, Amity International School
Abu Dhabi

15:30 - 15:45

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