

Sounds-Write

An Evidence-Based Phonics Program



Melbourne training

19-22 January 2015

Sounds-Write is an **evidence-based and highly successful synthetic phonics program** for teaching reading, spelling and writing, see www.sounds-write.co.uk.

This **four day intensive course for teachers, tutors, therapists, parents and others** offers an instructional method that is structured, cumulative, sequential and explicit, covering the concepts about sounds and spellings students need to learn, and practicing each lesson's teaching and error correction procedures.

Sounds-Write is developmentally appropriate for beginning readers in **Pre-Primary, Year 1 and Year 2**, and also offers fast and highly effective intervention for **learners at all levels who have fallen behind in their reading and spelling**.

Presenters: registered Sounds-Write trainer and tutor **Mary Gladstone** (seated on right in photo) is a primary school teacher with 38 years' experience, mostly with children with learning and behavioural difficulties, who holds a Diploma of Specific Learning Difficulties (Dyslexia). **John Walker** is one of the UK authors of Sounds-Write, and will present the final day of the course.



The course's **local organiser/host is Alison Clarke**, Speech Pathologist of the Clifton Hill Child and Adolescent Therapy Group, Learning Difficulties Australia Council and Spelfabet website and materials, www.spelfabet.com.au, phone 0402 075 306.

Where: Mercure Hotel, cnr Flemington Rd and Harker St, North Melbourne
When: 9.00am to 3.45pm, Monday 19th to Thursday 22nd January 2015.
Cost: Full price: \$660, Learning Difficulties Australia members and students: \$630

Registration includes morning teas and lunches plus a folder and a memory stick of teaching materials/resources.

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I wish to attend the Sounds-Write: Evidence-Based Phonics training on 19-22 January 2015 in Melbourne

Name of Person Attending: (Please Print): -----

Name of Person or School Paying: -----

Address of Person or School Paying: -----

P/code: ----- Email: -----

Telephone (Daytime): ----- Mobile: -----

Special Dietary Requirements: -----

I enclose a cheque or money order made out to Sounds-Write Australia for:

\$660, or
 \$630 as I am an LDA member or Student (includes new graduate teachers).

Or I have paid/will pay the above via Direct Deposit: Commonwealth Bank, Lismore NSW. Account name: Sounds-Write Australia, BSB 062565, Account number 10464402. Please use attendee surname as the reference, and note that your place in the course can only be confirmed once payment has been made.

Please post this form to: Alison Clarke, Clifton Hill Child and Adolescent Therapy Group, 1/199 Queens Pde, Clifton Hill 3068.