LETRS INSTITUTES: OPEN AND TOT SERIES

WHAT IS LETRS?

LETRS[®] (Language Essentials for Teachers of Reading and Spelling) professional development by literacy expert Louisa C. Moats, Ed.D., comprises a complete course of study that provides the deep foundational knowledge necessary to understand how students learn to read, write, and spell—and why some of them struggle.

WHO NEEDS LETRS?

LETRS is appropriate for reading, language, and literacy teachers, administrators, and professional developers.

INITIAL TRAINING

LETRS Open Training offers the in-depth training necessary to make reading instruction better at every grade level, regardless of the core reading curriculum in use. Attendees can select from the following institutes: Modules 1–3, Modules 4–6, and Modules 7–9. The institutes are equivalent to graduate-level coursework. Attendance at an institute is a prerequisite to attend a TOT session.

TRAINING OF TRAINERS (TOT)

LETRS TOT is designed for staff developers and reading coaches who provide high-quality professional development for their district/agency staff. Participation in initial training on the same module set facilitated by a national *LETRS* trainer is a prerequisite to attend a TOT session. Participants must meet additional qualification standards to be fully certified as a local *LETRS* trainer. For more information on the certification process, go to **www.letrs.com**.

Registration

Register Online:

www.voyagersopris.com/letrs-training

Tuition: \$749 per person. A 10% discount per institute (\$674.10 per person) is offered with three or more registrants per district/agency, or for one person who attends three or more institutes.

Tuition Payment:

P.O.: Make payable to Cambium Learning and fax to: 214.932.9371 Attn: Joan Ward, e-mail (scan) to trainingregistrations@cambiumlearning.com, or mail to 17855 Dallas Parkway, Suite 400, Dallas, TX 75287

Check: Make payable to Cambium Learning and mail to: 17855 Dallas Parkway, Suite 400, Dallas, TX 75287

Credit Card: E-mail trainingregistrations@cambiumlearning.com to request a form to complete



Institutes

October 20–23, 2014 LETRS Modules 1–3 Initial Training

January 20–23, 2015 *LETRS* Modules 1–3 TOT

March 2–5, 2015 LETRS Modules 4–6 Initial Training

June 9–12, 2015 LETRS Modules 4–6 TOT

September 28–October 1, 2015 LETRS Modules 7–9 Initial Training

November 17–20, 2015 LETRS Modules 7–9 TOT

Training Location

Murfreesboro City Schools 2552 S. Church Street Murfreesboro, TN 37127 615.893.2313

Lodging

These two sites are recommended for attendees due to their proximity to the training location. Each location offers a complimentary breakfast.

Embassy Suites® Murfreesboro

1200 Conference Center Drive Murfreesboro, TN 37129 615.890.4464

Hampton Inn®

325 N. Thompson Lane Murfreesboro, TN 37129 615.890.2424

Additional Details

Participant materials are included with the registration fee, excepting *LETRS* TOT Presenter's Kits. Training sessions are from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. each day, excepting the last day is from 8:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Participants are responsible for their travel, lodging, and meals. Voyager Sopris Learning reserves the right to cancel training sessions seven days prior to the training date for any reason. Please consider this when making travel plans.

