

POPEY

*Provincial Outreach Program
for the Early Years*

2022–23
Workshop
Schedule



POPEY's mandate is to increase K–3 educators' capacity to support all primary English literacy learners in BC classrooms.



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After-School Specials

A series of 3 one-hour after-school Zoom workshops

Series One: The Foundations of Literacy Learning

Join POPEY as we explore the scope and sequence of foundational literacy skills over three sessions, including phonological awareness, letter knowledge, letter-sound relationships, vocabulary, spelling patterns, and word structure. We'll look at how to design effective lessons for integrating phonics and vocabulary study across your literacy block.

Workshops held at 3:15pm – 4:15pm (PST) on the following dates:

Wednesday, September 14th – Phonological Awareness

Wednesday, September 21st – Phonemic Awareness

Wednesday, September 28th – Phonics

Register [HERE](#) for this series



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Series Two: Writing Across the Curriculum

Join POPEY as we explore a variety of scaffolded supports for writing to, with, and by our students across a range of genres. We can help develop students' identities as writers by immersing them in the steps of the writing process and teaching them specific writing behaviours and strategies to create a variety of texts.

Workshops held at 3:15pm – 4:15pm (PST) on the following dates:

Wednesday, November 9th – Non-Fiction Writing

Wednesday, November 23rd – Narrative Writing

Wednesday, November 30th – Persuasive Writing

Wednesday, December 7th – Writing About Reading

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Series Three: Supporting SEL and Playful Literacy Learning

Join POPEY as we explore a range of playful literacy learning opportunities that support outdoor exploration, story workshop, social emotional learning, global citizenship, and intentional conversations to foster student curiosity.

Workshops held at 3:15pm – 4:15pm (PST) on the following dates:

Wednesday, February 1st – Outdoor Learning

Wednesday, February 8th – Story Workshop

Wednesday, February 15th – Literacy, SEL, and Global Citizenship

Wednesday, February 22nd – Fostering Curiosity Through Conversation

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Pro-D Day Online Workshops

9:00am to 11:00am (PST)

The Foundations of Literacy Learning

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This workshop will be offered at 9:00am on the following dates:

- Friday, September 23rd
- Monday, September 26th
- Friday, November 25th
- Friday, January 27th
- Friday, February 17th
- Friday, May 19th

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Pro-D Day Online Workshops

12:30 – 2:30pm (PST)

Bringing Authentic First Peoples Content to the K–3 Classroom

Join POPEY as we share information and guidance from BC's First Nations Education Steering Committee (FNESC) regarding the use of culturally appropriate and meaningful First Peoples content, materials, and teaching methods. We will share FNESC's resources for ways to incorporate local Indigenous content and authentic First Peoples texts into K–3 classrooms and students' literacy learning experiences.

This workshop will be offered at 12:30pm on the following dates:

- Friday, September 23rd
- Monday, September 26th
- Friday, November 25th
- Friday, January 27th
- Friday, February 17th
- Friday, May 19th

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