Reading to Learn is a literacy teaching program designed to enable all learners to read and write successfully, at levels appropriate to their age, grade and area of study. The teaching strategies have been consistently independently evaluated to accelerate the learning of all students at twice to more than four times expected rates, across all schools and classes, and among students from all backgrounds and ability ranges.

The program has been developed over ten years with teachers of primary, secondary and tertiary students across Australia and internationally, to integrate reading and writing with teaching the curriculum at all year levels. The strategies apply cutting edge research in classroom learning, and language across the curriculum, in a form that is accessible, practical and meets the needs of teachers and students.

Reading to Learn is coordinated by Dr David Rose, an Associate of the Faculty of Education and Social Work, and of the Department of Linguistics at the University of Sydney. Dr Rose’s work has been particularly concerned with Indigenous Australia communities, languages and education programs, with whom he has worked for 25 years. He is a speaker of Pitjantjatjara, a language of Australia’s Western Desert, and a member of the Western Desert Indigenous Law. In addition to literacy pedagogy and teacher education, his primary research interests include language and cultural contexts and language evolution. He is the author of numerous scholarly papers and books, including The Western Desert Code: an Australian cryptogrammar, Working with Discourse: meaning beyond the clause (with J.R Martin), and Genre Relations: mapping culture (also with J.R. Martin).

**Presenters:** Brendon Franzone & Sophia Sabatier

**Date:**
Monday 22nd and Tuesday 23rd March
The Boulevard Centre, Floreat

Thursday 3rd and Friday 4th June
Burswood on Swan, Burswood

Thursday 5th and Friday 6th August
The Boulevard Centre, Floreat

Friday 24th September
The Boulevard Centre, Floreat

**Time:** 8.30am - 3.30pm
(Morning tea and lunch will be provided)

**Cost:** (Total cost of all 7 sessions and materials)
AISWA TP members: $200
AISWA Catholic members: $700
Non members: $1,000
Students: $400

20 places are exclusively reserved for teachers at AISWA Member schools and other places will be served on a first come, first served basis across all systems and sectors.

If you wish to attend please register online at [www.ais.wa.edu.au](http://www.ais.wa.edu.au) before the 16th March.

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If you need to cancel your registration, please email Stacey at smckenzie@ais.wa.edu.au, 2 working days prior to the event as a failure to do so will incur a non-attendance or late cancellation fee. Where there is a registration fee that will be the cost incurred. Where there is no registration fee you or your school will be billed for costs incurred by AISWA (catering etc.).

**Please Sign the Attendance Sheet**

We rely on your signature to be able to credit you with PL hours, and failure to sign in may result in you being billed for non-attendance and your PL hours being revoked.

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