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Helping Your Struggling Readers Become More Successful Readers: Targeted Interventions That Work!

(Grades K-5)





A Unique One-Day Live Online Seminar Presented by

Kristen Large

Outstanding Teacher and National Presenter

Specifically Designed for Educators Serving Grades K-5: Classroom Teachers, Reading Specialists, Interventionists, Resource Teachers, Literacy Coaches, Special Education Staff, Title I Staff, Instructional Aides, and Administrators

Proven, ready-to-use techniques aligned with the Science of Reading to give your students the specific interventions they need to close the achievement gap

Powerful, timesaving assessment tools that more accurately assess and pinpoint the specific learning needs of your struggling readers – including screening for dyslexia – paired with an electronic assessment that automatically analyzes student results to streamline your instructional decisions

Dozens of practical tools and strategies you can use with any text, in any setting, across any content area to help your struggling readers become successful readers

Receive an extensive digital resource handbook and a free digital download of seminar materials

LIVE ONLINE SEMINARS

March 1

9 AM Central, 8 AM Mountain, 7 AM Pacific, 10 AM Eastern

March 11

9 AM Eastern, 8 AM Central, 7 AM Mountain, 6 AM Pacific

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CAN'T ATTEND?

Order the recorded version and take the seminar online at your convenience (see page 6)

"One of the best seminars I've attended! An enormous amount of ideas and activities to implement with little or no cost."

– ELAINE JAMES, READING INTERVENTIONIST

Ten Key Benefits of Attending

"Great seminar. I have a lot of new ideas for my teaching tool kit."

– VICKI MOYER, TITLE I TEACHER



1. **Use Science of Reading Strategies to Better Meet the Needs of Your Struggling Readers**
   Learn to match specific, highly effective interventions to students in ways that will quickly improve their skills … Discover timesaving techniques to implement interventions designed to close the reading gap more rapidly
2. **Meet Your Students' Needs Before They Fall Too Far Behind**
   Discover proven ways to intervene with your students and strengthen their literacy learning BEFORE they fall too far behind … Dozens of on-the-spot instructional ideas to address the specific needs of students who struggle to read
3. **Boost Your Struggling Readers' Confidence and Skills**
   Learn practical ways to make every minute count by using techniques to ensure struggling readers' success … How to rapidly increase skills by building on success, one step at a time
4. **Use Practical Diagnostic Assessments**
   See how to use practical diagnostic assessments to plan instruction that meets each student's needs … Step-by-step ideas to identify and address the diverse needs of struggling readers
5. **Differentiate Instruction Even Within Small Group Instruction**
   Discover quick and easy ways to target a student's individual phonics needs – even within a small group setting
6. **Minimize Your Paperwork and Maximize Your Instructional Impact**
   See quick, effective ways to monitor student progress throughout the intervention process … Receive a wealth of easy-to-use documentation forms that work!
7. **Use Technology to Strengthen Progress for Struggling Readers**
   Increase your instructional power with struggling readers by using free, web-based technology … Tips and tools that utilize technology that "trick" your struggling readers into practicing targeted skills by playing games!
8. **Scaffold Your Struggling Readers Into Critical Thinkers**
   Choose from dozens of quick, effective comprehension and metacognitive strategies to help your struggling readers develop deeper levels of understanding … Powerful tools that can be adapted to meet each student's needs
9. **Strengthen the Reading Achievement of Your Struggling Readers with Formative Assessments**
   Learn how to use quick, highly effective formative assessments to informally assess, document and inform instruction for struggling readers … Timesaving techniques that positively impact student achievement
10. **Receive an Extensive Digital Resource Handbook and Online Resources Packed with Targeted Reading Interventions Aligned with the Science of Reading**
    Receive a comprehensive digital resource handbook with a wealth of strategies that can be implemented immediately in any instructional setting … Also receive a free digital download packed with editable open-ended forms and activities to help target your interventions to meet your students' specific needs

Who Should Attend

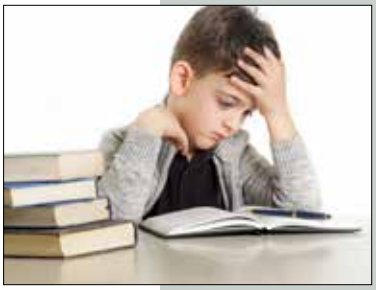
Educators Serving Grades K-5: Classroom Teachers, Reading Specialists, Interventionists, Resource Teachers, Literacy Coaches, Special Education Staff, Title I Staff, Instructional Aides, and Administrators

Outstanding Strategies You Can Use Immediately

What You Will Learn ...

- How to **target your reading instruction** to address struggling readers at their level
- **Effective dyslexia screener and reading assessments** to guide targeted intervention
- Key steps for designing **intensive interventions to increase progress** for struggling readers
- Tips for implementing **on-the-spot instructional activities** throughout the learning day
- How to **use technology as a powerful tool** to achieve greater progress for students who struggle to read
- Simple methods to **motivate and engage even your most reluctant readers**
- Specific techniques to fit the **five key components of reading instruction** into your work with struggling readers
- A wealth of techniques to **positively impact student progress** in learning to read
- Proven methods to **maximize your limited instructional time**
- Effective ways to link assessment and instruction to **scaffold student learning**
- **Quick-and-easy progress monitoring techniques** to effectively document your interventions
- How to efficiently analyze your assessment data to **plan the most effective interventions**
- Ready-to-use strategies to **reach your most at-risk readers earlier and faster**
- The essential keys to **match interventions to the specific needs** of your students
- Techniques to **fine-tune your literacy program** so it functions at a maximum level all day





"AMAZING! I cannot believe the amount of resources I now have to utilize with my students, starting tomorrow! Thank you!"

– LAURA PHILLIPS, TITLE 1 TEACHER

Practical Ideas and Strategies

Are you looking for tools to help you better understand and address the specific needs of your struggling readers? In this highly engaging, practical seminar you will gain a wealth of ideas and resources to diagnostically assess, intervene and monitor the progress of your struggling readers. You will learn how to use targeted interventions with "on the spot" teaching tools that work with any reading program. This seminar provides evidence-based interventions aligned with the Science of Reading you can use immediately that target each reader's specific needs. You will learn how to use current research and best practices to increase instructional rigor and support critical thinking while addressing the unique needs of your struggling readers. Throughout this action-packed day, you will be given dozens of timesaving ideas to differentiate instruction and actively engage students in activities that accurately target their specific needs. In this fast-paced, highly practical seminar, **KRISTEN LARGE** will energize your teaching and renew your sense of purpose. The entire day will be filled with powerful strategies you can use in your classroom tomorrow with students who experience the greatest challenges in learning to read.



A Message From Seminar Leader, Kristen Large



Uniquely Qualified Instructor

KRISTEN LARGE is an enthusiastic, engaging national presenter with a wealth of classroom and field experience. Kristen began her career in the classroom and after gaining her master's degree and reading specialist credentials, she began working specifically with struggling readers. Her passion is for helping all children become successful readers. Kristen has a wealth of ideas and strategies to share with you and your school team. You will find her seminar highly practical, interactive and filled with strategies and ideas you can use immediately in your classroom or district. You will also receive *Helping Your Struggling Readers Become More Successful Readers: Targeted Interventions That Work! (Grades K-5),* the extensive digital resource handbook Kristen developed specifically for this seminar, as well as online resources and a free digital download packed with ready-to-use interventions.

You will leave this fast-paced seminar inspired by Kristen's creativity and enthusiasm, along with a wealth of practical, highly effective strategies you'll be able to use immediately with your own struggling readers.

Dear Colleague:

I feel fortunate that in my career as an educator I have had the opportunity to serve in a variety of roles that support students, fellow teachers, and parents. As a reading specialist, I have had the opportunity to work with my teaching colleagues to coordinate effective reading programs and to support learning both in the classroom and in the intervention setting. However, my most rewarding experiences have come from my time as an interventionist working with struggling readers. My passion for teaching is renewed each time a child feels the joy of success.

I have always been excited by seeing the progress my students are making. I see the gains my students make, the confidence they build in themselves as readers and the ways in which practical, targeted interventions can effectively prevent students from falling too far behind. It is my pleasure to share a wealth of ideas, tools and techniques to target and meet the needs of your most struggling readers.

Throughout this fast-paced day, I will provide you with practical, efficient, and effective reading strategies that can be implemented in any instructional setting. We will focus on how phonemic awareness, phonics, vocabulary/morphology, comprehension, and fluency impact your students' achievement. All of these highly effective interventions will work with any reading program you are currently using! In addition, I will share manageable data collection systems that will help you keep track of your students' progress in order to maximize their learning time.

Please join me for a high-energy day filled with practical strategies, activities, tips, and tools you will be eager to implement in your classroom. I look forward to sharing this day with you!

Sincerely,

Kristen Large

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P.S. You will leave with an **extensive digital resource handbook and free digital downloadable materials** filled with "go-back-and-do" ideas and strategies to help target and significantly increase the reading achievement of your struggling readers.

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What Your Colleagues Say About Kristen Large

*"Kristen is a **very friendly and upbeat instructor** who is full of fun and creative ideas! I will be recommending this seminar to my fellow teachers and administrators."*

– Chelsea Trumble, 4th Grade Teacher

*"**Kristen is great!** She gave us a lot of helpful ideas. She kept things moving and explained everything in great detail."*

– Cindy Clark, Title I Reading Teacher

*"Wow! So many things I will do next week! I can use every assessment and activity. **I can't wait to share this information with teachers in my district.**"*

– Stephanie Springman, Reading Interventionist

*"In a world of canned programs, this seminar has woken me up. **I finally feel that I have a full toolbox of interventions I can use that will actually help my students!**"*

– Stephanie Sultana, Reading Specialist

*"**I would highly recommend this seminar to any of my colleagues.** Kristen Large offered a wealth of strategies and interventions. I would definitely return to see her again."*

– Angela Wagner, ELA Curriculum Specialist







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Highly Interactive

You'll be able to ask questions, consult with the instructor, and share ideas with other participants.

Program Guarantee

As we have for 50 years, we guarantee the high quality of our programs. If you are not satisfied, we'll give you a 100% refund.

Special Benefits of Attending



"Excellent seminar. The best I have ever attended. Can take all of the information back to my school ready to use."

– DARLENE CAVANAUGH, READING INTERVENTIONIST

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Extensive Digital Resource Handbook

You will receive an extensive digital resource handbook giving you access to countless strategies. The handbook includes:

- A wealth of targeted interventions designed to help struggling readers become more successful readers
- Quick-and-easy, ready-to-use assessment techniques to effectively document your interventions and plan your reading instruction
- Practical ways to maximize your time for reading interventions
- Proven ways to implement intensive, "just-in-time" interventions to significantly boost the skills of your most struggling readers
- Outstanding ideas to increase learning and motivate your struggling readers

Share Ideas with Other Educators

This seminar provides a wonderful opportunity for participants to share ideas with other educators interested in helping their grades K-5 struggling readers.

Consultation Available

Kristen Large will be available for consultation regarding your questions and the unique needs of your own program.

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Order the recorded version of this seminar to take online at your convenience. You'll have 90-day access to the entire course and to the extensive digital resource handbook. To enroll, see registration form on page 7, and for optional CEUs and graduate credit, please visit www.ber.org/credit

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Related On-Demand Video-Based Online Learning courses, *Helping Your Struggling Readers Become More Successful Readers: Targeted Interventions that Work!,* for Grades K-5, *Practical Strategies that Improve Students' Reading Comprehension,* for Grades 3-6, and other related courses are available for immediate registration. To enroll, visit www.ber.org/online

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Registration (HTL7S1)

- ☐ **1. March 1, 2027** (Start time: 9 AM Central)
- ☐ **2. March 11, 2027** (Start time: 9 AM Eastern)

—or —

- ☐ **3. I'd like to order the recorded version of this seminar**

FIRST NAME M.I. LAST NAME

POSITION, SUBJECT TAUGHT GRADE LEVEL

SEMINAR NUMBER: _____ (Please see list above)

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Registration confirmations and login details are sent via e-mail

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IMPORTANT – PRIORITY ID CODE: EHTL7S1

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FAX this form to: 1-425-453-1134

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