



Learn more about The Summit

Conversations for Change!

Get ready for a magical Montana **Science of Reading** event for teachers and leaders addressing timely and important topics that will help you meet your students' academic needs, build more equitable systems, and learn how to intensify and target instruction due to lost time, especially for those with differences and disabilities.

The Summit is hosted by The Transformative Reading Teacher Group and The Reading League Montana and together we are excited to present an impressive international lineup of scientific innovators, teachers, coaches, and literacy leaders addressing how to make systems and instructional changes that impact your life and the lives of the students you teach.

Each day, new Conversations for Change will be challenging you to become more and do more.

August 8, 9, & 10 are virtual pre-summit sessions focused on oral language, vocabulary, and writing for K-5. If you haven't learned with Nancy Fetzner, now is your chance to join the learning experience, get great tools, and learn instructional routines that will make a difference immediately.

Thursday, September 8 is dedicated to contemplating new and important, yet practical advances in the sciences that build the research base of the Science of Reading. Each influential researcher has uncovered insights that have helped teachers daily. This seminar will take place in the main ballroom and there are only five speakers who will teach and inspire conversations for change.

Friday, September 9 is a day filled with invigorating keynotes, national Science of Reading all-star teachers, leaders, and coaches, scientists (yes, the Thursday speakers will also speak on Friday and address more topics), and leaders and teachers like you. We are all working to get instruction right for all students.

Saturday, September 10 is a day filled with more inspiring keynotes, practical sessions addressing structured literacy, reading differences and disorders, intervention, writing, handwriting, MTSS, language and more; however, the cherry on top is the curated *Literacy Leadership* strand lead by Kymyona Burk and Tracey Weeden. This special session will address systems change at the school, district, and state level.

Once registered, you'll receive more information around the first week of September. This will include conference session descriptions and handouts. It's time to *GET EXCITED* and to start conversations for change in your life that cause transformation in not just your life, but in the lives you serve.

