



READY!
for Kindergarten®

The Children's Reading Foundation

2018 Early Learning Conference



**JUNE
26 & 27**



8:30 AM - 4 PM
Both Days



KENNEWICK, WA
*Red Lion Hotel
Columbia Center*

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Brian Ace

*READY! Facilitator
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*Director, The Children's Reading Foundation
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1101 North Columbia Center Boulevard | Kennewick, WA

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Arriving by air?

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The Children's Reading Foundation

TUESDAY, JUNE 26

READY! for Kindergarten Program Training

\$150 per attendee - Reception &
lunch included



Track 1: Schools, Foundations & Community Organizations

Brian Ace

8:30 a.m. - 4 p.m. - Registration begins 8 a.m.

READY! for Kindergarten facilitator training will help you gain an understanding of the READY! program and curriculum. You will learn play with a purpose teaching techniques, how to best prepare to facilitate a READY! parent and caregiver workshop, and the keys to effective workshop facilitation.

Track 2: Child Care Centers & Preschools

Deya Osgood & Karla Wilson

8:30 a.m. - 4 p.m. - Registration begins 8 a.m.

This training is designed to further learning about early childhood development and how to effectively bring to life the READY! for Kindergarten play with a purpose approach with children ages 2 – 5 in a multi-age setting. The Child Care Centers & Preschools kits are an adaptation of the READY! parent lessons offered by schools, foundations and community organizations to extend learning for the child between home and child care or preschool.

Pick your track when you register!

Reception

5 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.

Light hors d'oeuvres will be served.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 27

The Children's Reading Foundation & READY! Directors' Early Learning Conference

\$100 per attendee - Tuesday reception & Wednesday lunch included

8 a.m. - *Registration Begins*

8:30 - 9:15 a.m. - *Welcome, Foundation
Update & Flagship Chapter Presentation*

Kristin Norell & Salem Snowdy

Break and Transition

9:30 - 11:30 a.m. - *Life Simulation
Experience*

11:30 a.m. - 12 p.m. - *Rising out of Poverty – One
Community's Story*

Debbie Knuckles

12 – 1 p.m. Lunch

Afternoon Events:

1 - 1:45 p.m. - *Play With a Purpose Wherever You Are*
Deya Osgood

1:45 - 2:45 p.m. - *Program Success Story & Inspiration*

Vicki Yonts

How we partnered with local kindergarten and Head Start teachers to reach more parents and expand our program to serve families with children birth to age 5.

2:45 - 3 p.m. Break

3 - 4 p.m. - *Reaching Families & Overcoming
Challenges Panel Discussion + Q&A*

Deya Osgood, Vicki Yonts, Debbie Knuckles & Phyllis Ferguson

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