

Chesapeake Charts a Path to Structured Literacy

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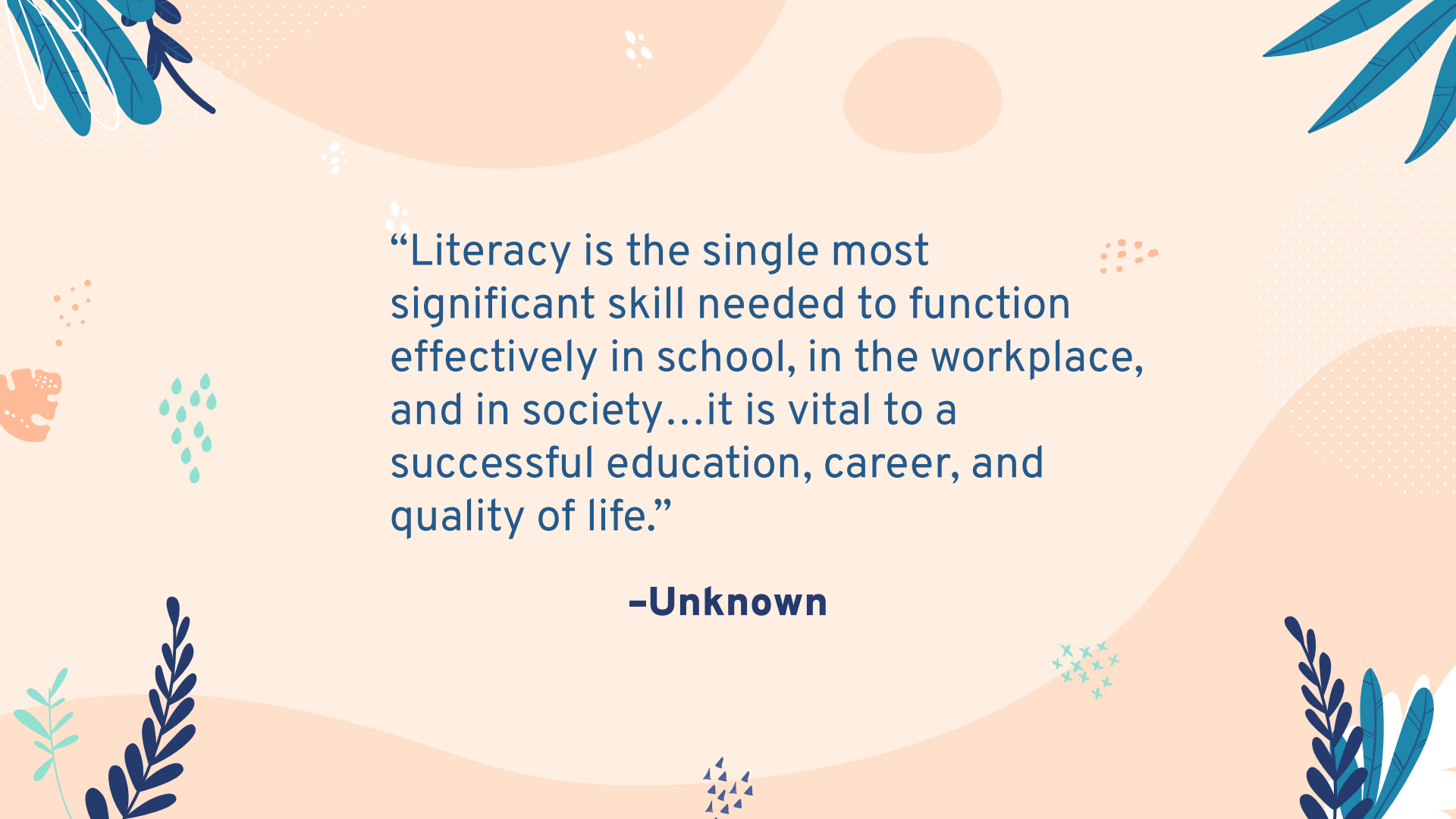
Welcome & Introductions

Stand in the numbered corner that represents your dream destination.

Please share:

1. Name, Division, Position
2. Last Book You Read
3. Interesting Fact or Talent





“Literacy is the single most significant skill needed to function effectively in school, in the workplace, and in society...it is vital to a successful education, career, and quality of life.”

-Unknown



A Brief Introduction

01

Chesapeake Public Schools

- We are located in Southeast Virginia
- 45 Schools (28 Elementary Schools)
- We have approximately 39,000 students
- We have a high population of military students





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Sparking A Change

What Sparked A Change.....

- 2016 Dyslexia Training Modules
- 2017 Changes in SOLs
- Multisensory Literacy Instruction Pilot
- Shift Reading Specialist role from coach to literacy leader



What's Sparking Your Change?

- Reflect on your division.
What is sparking a change in literacy for your schools?
- Turn and talk to a partner.





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Mapping The Course

Science-Based Literacy Professional Development



2020-2021

- Trained 10 Participants LETRS Volume 1
- Trained Reading Specialists in RAN/RAS Assessment

2021-2022

- Citywide Training on Science of Reading
- Trained 108 participants in LETRS Volume 1
- Trained all Reading Specialists in SIM Word Mapping
- Science-Based Literacy PD through our Staff Developer

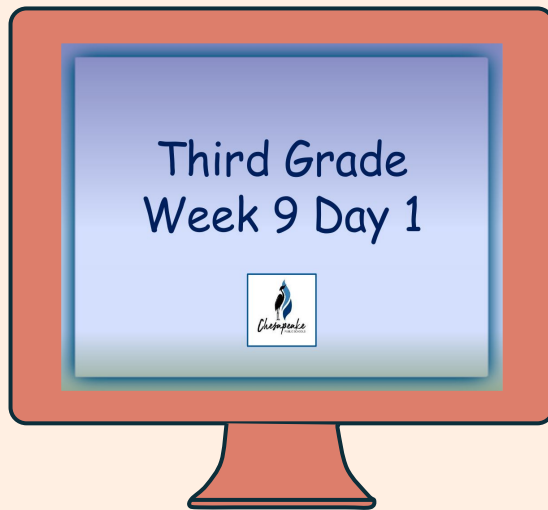
2022-2023

- Citywide Training on Structured Literacy
- Training 120 participants in LETRS Volume 1
- Training 24 participants in LETRS Volume 2
- Science-Based Literacy PD through our Staff Developer



Whole-Group Phonics Lessons

- Kindergarten-Third Grade
- Daily
- Explicit, Systematic, Sequential, Cumulative
- Components:
 - Phonological Awareness
 - Review
 - New Lesson
 - Reading Words in Isolation
 - Simultaneous Oral Spelling



Whole-Group Phonics Lessons

- **Kindergarten Scope and Sequence:**

- All consonants
- All short vowels
- Beginning digraphs sh, ch, th, wh
- Open syllables and closed syllables
- Beginning s and l blends
- Ending digraphs sh, ch, th, ng

- **1st Grade Scope and Sequence:**

- Review all K skills
- Beginning r blends and triple blends
- Ending blends nk, nd, mp, lk
- Soft c and g
- Spelling Rules: Floss rule, -ck, -dge, -tch
- Closed Syllable Exceptions: ind, old, ild, ost
- Syllable Types: VCe, Vowel Team
- Suffixes: plural s/es, ed
- Compound Words



Whole-Group Phonics Lessons

- **2nd Grade Scope and Sequence:**

- Review all K-1st grade skills
- Syllable Types: Vowel-r, Vowel Diphthong,
- Beginning Digraphs: wr, ph
- Syllable Division Rules: Bulldog, Rabbit, Hamster, Reptile, Tiger, Camel, Cheetah, Hornet, Turtle.
- Vowel Suffix Addition Rules (doubling and y to i)
- Prefix: re, un, dis, mis
- Suffix: y, ly, able, less, er, est, ful

- **3rd Grade Scope and Sequence:**

- Review all K-2nd grade phonics skills
- Silent letter kn
- Review and extend syllable division rules
- Review 2nd grade morphemes
- New Prefixes: pre, ex, non,
- New Suffixes: ment, ness, ture, tion, sion, cian



Map out your path?

- Reflect on any changes your division has made to this point.
- Write down at least 1 thing that you can discuss with your division leadership to move you towards science-based literacy instruction.





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Navigating New Paths

Structured Literacy: Tier 1



Curriculum Guides

- Wonders
- Thematic units
- Multiple SOL
- PBAs
- Frequent Spiral Review
- Cumulative Instruction of SOL



Current Resources

- ELA Coordinators/team
- ELA Hub for Administrators
- ELA Hub for Teachers
- Staff Developer Courses
- Decodable Texts in all K-5 schools



Future Resources

- Update 3rd grade whole-group phonics/morphology lessons
- Create 4th and 5th grade whole-group morphology lessons
- Expand explicit morphology instruction into middle school

Structured Literacy: Tier 2 and 3 & PD



Dyslexia

Timeline 2018-2021

- Powerpoint for Dyslexia training for RS included
- Sonday, Moats, Kilpatrick, LETRS, RAN/RAS
- Staff Developer Courses



Dyslexia

Timeline 2022 +

- Revised Slide Deck for RS
- Revised protocol
- Summer Summit
- PD for administrators
- Building capacity across the city



Future PD

- LETRS Volume 1 and 2
- Sonday System for RS
- Science-Based Reading Instruction
- Science-Based Writing Instruction

Collaborative Poster

- Get with a partner from your division, or sitting near you. Create a collaborative poster with the markers and paper provided of your takeaways from this session.
- Include at least one thing you would like to take back to your division.



Thank you!

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