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The **SCRC** is affiliated with  
**Washington State Literacy Association (WaSLA).**

**WaSLA offers three types of membership options that allow you to be a part of these virtual events throughout the school year.**

**You can also register for each event individually as a Guest without becoming a WaSLA member.**

**Become a member of WaSLA and register for each event by visiting the WaSLA website at:**

**[www.washingtonliteracy.org](http://www.washingtonliteracy.org)**

**Snohomish County Reading Council and WaSLA  
Partnership for 2021-2022 Upcoming **Virtual** Events**

<b>Date and Times</b>	<b>Meeting Focus</b>
<b>September 18, 2021 10:00 AM-11:30 AM Saturday</b>	<b>Creating Culturally Responsive Curriculum for 21<sup>st</sup> Century Readers</b> <b>Dr. Michelle H. Martin</b> , Beverly Cleary Endowed Professor at UW iSchool presents books as curriculum for literacy activities. Geared toward P-12.
<b>October 23, 2021 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM Saturday</b>	<b>Literacy Workshop: Marching to the Beat of Your Readers &amp; Writers</b> Hear <b>Maria Walter</b> and <b>Karen-Biggs-Tucker</b> share their findings in combining reading and writing in an integrated literacy workshop. Geared toward K-8.
<b>November 6, 2021 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM Saturday</b>	<b>Tackling the Bias Within</b> <b>Pablo Wolfe</b> , a Washington DC-based educator, will present how teachers can be used as an agent to teach students to handle implicit biases in the literacy classroom. Geared toward 6-12.
<b>December 4, 2021 9:00 AM-11:00 AM Saturday</b>	<b>Diverse Books for Building Community in the New Year</b> WaSLA members will be sharing new publications and books by favorite authors and educators to build your classroom library. Geared toward all grades.

For each event you sign up for, you will receive the Zoom link two days before the event. The grade level focus is a suggestion – educators adapt strategies and activities to their needs.



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January 20, 2022 4:30 PM – 6:45 PM Thursday	<b>Bringing Strategies to Life: Conferring/Small Group Instruction in Writing</b> <b>Jennifer Serravallo</b> , world-renowned literacy consultant, speaker, and author, will help you become adept at asset-based responsive instruction using strategies to confer and instruct in writing. Geared toward 1-6.
February 5, 2022 9:30 AM – 11:00 AM Saturday	<b>Sparkling Reluctant Writers: Using Poetry, Story-Writing and Games</b> Local educator <b>Becca-Rose Hall</b> discusses how creativity and humor can help children break through their resistance to writing. Geared toward P-6.
February 12, 2022 9:30 AM – 11:00 PM Saturday	<b>Finding the Words: Creative Writing Help Students Put Words to their World</b> Local Educator <b>Becca-Rose Hall</b> returns to lead this workshop that helps teens find their voices and process their experiences with confidence eloquence, and skill. Geared toward 6-12.
March 12, 2022 9:00 AM-12:00 PM Saturday	<b>Teaching Literacy for Joy and Justice</b> <b>Linda Christensen</b> , director of the Oregon Writing Project and editor for Rethinking Schools, supports educators as they help students uncover moments in their lives that requires a curriculum that deals with issues about class, race, gender, and differences. Geared toward 6-12.
April 23, 2022 10:00 AM – 12:00 PM Saturday	<b>The Power of the Read Aloud in a Culturally Responsive Elementary Classroom</b> <b>Cheryl Vance</b> and <b>Hillary Prince</b> , local educators from ESD 113 will share their knowledge about the power of using read aloud to build and support a culturally responsive classroom. Geared toward K-5.
May 18, 2022 5:30 PM – 7:30 PM Wednesday	<b>“I See You”: On the Culturally Responsive Art &amp; Practice of Kidwatching</b> <b>Dr. Tasha Troop Laman</b> , a professor at Western Washington University, and <b>Janelle Henderson</b> , educator from Kentucky, will share their strategies and tools to help educators envision and create curriculum that is culturally responsive with and for students. Geared toward K-5.
June 4, 2022 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM Saturday	<b>Great Summer Reads!</b> Capture the joy of new books to lead into a summer of great reading. Designed for adults and students alike!

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