

Dear Literacy and School Leaders,

As the school year winds down, we hope you and your staff will join us as we look to summertime learning! This year, the Michigan Reading Association is hosting our Summer Literature Conference, Sparking a Love of Literacy, in Bellaire, Michigan. This conference will be a great way for your staff to reignite their love of reading and teaching in all genres and across subject areas. We are sure there is something for every teacher and school.

Here are a few of the thirty plus topics that will be presented:

- Student Engagement in Urban Schools
- Rights of Writers: 10 Tips to Help with Writing Growth
- The Collaborative Planning Process
- Peace, Joy, and Books
- Sparking Comprehension and Fueling Readers
- Using Research Skills to Empower Student Voices
- The Reading Brain
- My Word is My Culture: Dyslexia and the “Underworld”
- Repeating What you Know for Equitable Learning Experiences

We hope that you will join us on August 1st and 2nd. Our featured speakers, Lester Laminack and Sharon Draper will kick off our learning. I am attaching for you conference details and pricing.

For conference registration and information, please see:

<https://michiganreading.org/conferences/subscribe/summer>

Sincerely,

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