

Dear Parents & Caregivers:

Please join us in learning ways to help your child get a good start in school. Come out and join us for our 3 Starting with Stories sessions. <u>Each session your</u> <u>child will receive a free book</u> and have the opportunity to meet some of the Kindergarten teachers, visit the classrooms and meet some of their new classmates.

At Starting with Stories parents will learn about :

- How to engage your child in listening to stories
- The social and emotional development of your child
- How sleep and nutrition impact your child
- The importance of play
- How to support your child's transition into Kindergarten and their development throughout the year

You will also meet the Kindergarten Teachers and both the Principal and the Vice Principal of Gray.

The final session of Starting with Stories on June 5 will also include an orientation to Kindergarten.



When: 1:45 – 2:45 p.m. (all sessions) All Parents and Caregivers are welcome!

Wednesday, April 10— Session 1

Jason Hodgins – Coordinator of Primary Learning

* Supporting your Child's Literacy Development

Wednesday, May 1 — Session 2

Susan Lim - District Counsellor

* The Importance of Play

Wednesday, June 5—Session 3

Warren Zerbe - Principal

- * Information about our School
- * Kindergarten Orientation
- * Phase in Schedule

Where:

Gray Elementary Library 10855 80th Avenue Delta, BC Phone: 604-594-2474

"No one can encourage reading as well as a parent and no other skill you teach or gift you give will ever be quite as important." Paul Kropp





RSVP: By calling the school or email <u>bturner@deltasd.bc.ca</u> or complete the form below and return it to the school

Parent Name(s):
Child's Name:
Phone:
Email:
Yes, I am able to attend the session on April 10 Yes, I am able to attend the session

on May 1 ____ Yes, I am able to attend the session on June 5

I will need babysitting for my other child/ children.

Name

Age





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