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## Two Day Talk for Writing Conference

Talk for Writing: An evidence-based approach for teaching written expression.

This two-day workshop offers teachers an overview of the T4W approach and provides opportunities for hands-on participation in the steps of this exceptionally effective instructional approach. The workshop addresses the use of T4W for both fiction and non-fiction writing and covers:

- Planning, both for a unit of work, based on instructional needs of students, and at a whole-school level;
- The “Three I’s” – Imitation, Innovation and Invention – which are the basis of the T4W approach and which allow students to move from dependence to independence in their writing in a systematic, scaffolded way;
- Providing effective feedback to students in order to promote skill development;
- Accurate assessment of writing, in order to track student progress and guide teaching goals; and
- Development of grammatical skills, with a focus on functional application of grammar in writing, through ‘warm-up’ games selected to meet specific instructional needs of students.

You will leave this workshop with a folder full of beautifully created resources and a practical knowledge of how to implement the Talk for Writing program in your classroom or tutoring sessions.

This workshop is suitable for teachers, SSOs, tutors, fulltime uni students and parents to help develop their student’s writing skills.

Presenter: Peta Collins, Educational & Developmental Psychologist

Cost: \$200 tutor/ft student, \$300 member, \$350 non-member, includes morning tea and lunch

Day 1: Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> June 2018 – Registration 8:30am, Workshop 9am- 3:30pm

Day 2: Friday 15<sup>th</sup> June 2018, 9am- 3:30pm

Venue: TBA

Download Registration form: [www.speld-sa.org.au/images/conference/T4W2018.pdf](http://www.speld-sa.org.au/images/conference/T4W2018.pdf)

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This form acts as a TAX INVOICE upon payment, a receipt will be forwarded.

**Workshop fees include GST and cancellations will incur a 20% administration fee.**

**Please print this order form, complete it and send it with your cheque, money order or credit card details – Cheques to be made payable to SPELD (SA) Inc**

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First Name Family Name

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SCHOOL \_\_\_\_\_

LEVEL: JPRIM / PRIM / SEC / TERTIARY (please circle) PARENT / TEACHER / OTHER (please circle)

**ANY DIETARY REQUIREMENTS** \_\_\_\_\_

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