

Become a Volunteer Coach in the Letters, Sounds and Words program!

The *Letters, Sounds and Words*[™] program is a fun and engaging way to get involved in helping young children learn to read. Volunteers work one-on-one with a child during the school day, playing carefully designed games and activities that boost literacy skills. The games are organized in 4 strands: Letters, Sounds, Words, and Building Words. Children are enrolled in 2-3 strands at a time.

You Can Make a Difference in the Life of a Child

- Work one-on-one with a child in Senior Kindergarten, Grade 1 or 2.
- Play fun games and activities to develop a child's literacy skills.
- **Attend** <u>ANY</u> two, 2-hour training sessions. (one Part 1 and one Part 2 training). Register online by visiting <u>www.strongstart.ca</u> and clicking on "For Volunteers" on the homepage.

Winter/Spring Training Dates Across Brant, Haldimand & Norfolk

Part One Sessions

Sat., Jan. 13th, 10:00 am – 12:00 pm, Laurier University, 73 George Street, Brantford

Tues., Jan. 30th, 10:00 am – 12:00 pm, Lynndale Heights, 55 Donly Dr S, Simcoe

Fri., Feb. 2nd, 10:00 am – 12:00 pm, St. Basil / Walter Gretzky E. S., 365 Blackburn Dr. Brantford.

Mon., Feb. 5th, 10:00 am – 12:00 pm, Grandview Central School, 11 Thrush St, Dunnville

Thurs., Feb. 8th, 10:00 am – 12:00 pm, Cobblestone School, 179 Grandville Cir, Paris

Tues., Feb. 13th, 10:00 am – 12:00 pm, J. C. Hill 1738 4th Line, Ohsweken

Thurs., Feb. 15th, 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm, Fairview United Church, 49 Wayne Drive, Brantford

Wed., Feb. 21st, 10:00 am – 12:00 pm, St. Frances Cabrini, 373 Northern Avenue, Delhi

Tues., Feb. 27th , 10:00 am – 12:00 pm, St. Patrick Caledonia, 81 Orkney St E, Caledonia

Part Two Sessions

Sat., Jan. 20th 10:00 am – 12:00 pm, Laurier University, **73 George Street**, Brantford

Tues., Feb. 6th, 10:00 am – 12:00 pm, Lynndale Heights, 55 Donly Dr S, Simcoe

Fri., Feb. 9th, 10:00 am – 12:00 pm, St. Basil/Walter Gretzky E.S.,365 Blackburn Dr. Brantford

Mon., Feb. 12th, 10:00 am – 12:00 pm, Grandview Central School, 11 Thrush St, Dunnville.

Thurs., Feb. 15th, 10:00 am – 12:00 pm, Cobblestone School,**179 Grandville Cir, Paris**

Tues., Feb. 20th, 10:00 am – 12:00 pm, J. C. Hill 1738 4th Line, Ohsweken

Thurs., Feb. 22nd, 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm, Fairview United Church, 49 Wayne Drive, Brantford

Wed., Feb. 28th, 10:00 am – 12:00 pm, St. Frances Cabrini, 373 Northern Avenue, Delhi

Tues., Mar. 6th , 10:00 am – 12:00 pm, St. Patrick Caledonia, 81 Orkney St E, Caledonia

For more information or if you have any questions, please contact Program Co-ordinator Ruth Mills: <u>rmills@strongstart.ca</u>