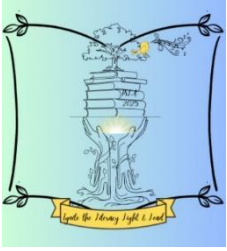


# 49<sup>th</sup> Palmetto State Literacy Association Annual Conference

## Registration Information & Alternative Registration



It is with great pleasure and anticipation that we extend our warmest invitation to you for the upcoming 49th Palmetto State Literacy Association Conference titled, *Ignite the Literacy Light & Lead!* Our conference is scheduled for February 20-22, 2025.

Complete the registration information by selecting your registration choice. If you are attending a pre-conference (Option 2), please check your session choices for the morning and afternoon

### Registration Fees:

Registration Option	Early Bird Rate August 1st – January 15 <sup>th</sup>		Regular Rate January 16 <sup>th</sup> - February 21 <sup>st</sup>	
	PSLA Member	PSLA Non-Member	PSLA Member	PSLA Non-Member
Option 1 – Pre-conference Institute & Conference	\$585	\$685	\$635	\$735
Option 2 – Pre-conference Sessions & Conference	\$485	\$585	\$535	\$635
Option 3 – 49th PSLA Annual Conference	\$285	\$385	\$335	\$435
<b>Featured Session</b> Authors on the Move – Lunch Event	<b>Additional Fee Session \$25.00</b> You must select this session when registering or modifying your registration. <b>Limited to 200 attendees. Registration for this session will close on February 7, 2025.</b>			

**Check information:** The district/school check must be mailed to PSLA - Jean Brewington at P O Box 365, Drayton, SC 29333. You may include multiple registrations in one check. Attach all registration forms with your district/school check.

For registration questions email Jean Brewington @ [Registration@palmettostateliteracy.org](mailto:Registration@palmettostateliteracy.org)



Complete this form and return it with a district/school check.



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Alternative Registration**

Last Name:	First Name:	PSLA Member (will be verified)
Email address:		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
District:	Phone number with area code:	
School:		

**Registration Options: Please select one Option. If you select Option 2, select the sessions you will attend.**

- Option 1 – Pre-conference Institute & Conference**
  - Thursday, February 20<sup>th</sup>, All day session 8:00 am – 4:00 pm
  - Breakfast
  - Featuring LeAnn Nickelson, Author & Educator - *High Impact Literacy Triangle: Reading, Discussing, and Writing Across all Grade Levels and Content Areas*
  - Lunch included
  - Book Provided: *The Literacy Triangle*

- Option 2 – Pre-conference Sessions & Conference**
  - Thursday, February 20<sup>th</sup>
  - Breakfast
  - Two-hour sessions – 8:00 – 10:00, 10:30-12:30 & 2:00-4:00
  - You may select 3 sessions (Please view the session descriptions on our website.)

- Option 3 – 49th PSLA Annual Conference**
  - Thursday, February 20<sup>th</sup>, 4:30 p.m. Opening General Session with Keynote Speaker
  - Friday, February 21<sup>st</sup> breakout sessions, Breakfast, Lunch, & General Session with Keynote Speaker
  - Saturday, February 22<sup>nd</sup> Breakfast, Morning Sessions & General Session with Keynote Speaker

**Option 2 Pre-Conference Sessions (Select the sessions you will attend.)  
8:00 AM – 10:00 AM**

- Session 1** *Igniting the Literacy Light & Lead” with Multilingual Learners (MLs): Pathways to Promoting Academic Success with Student-Centered, Developmentally Appropriate Interactive Approaches.*  
Dr. Bobbi Siefert, & Ms. Melissa Oliver  
Audience: All
- Session 2** *An Educator's Guide to Artificial Intelligence*  
Dr. Lori Vinson, North Greenville University  
  
Audience: Preschool/Kindergarten, Primary (1-3), Elementary (4-5), Middle (6-8), High School, College
- Session 3** *Shifting From Word Walls to Sound Walls*  
Keegan Wilson, Hand2Mind  
Audience: K-3

**10:30 AM – 12:30 PM**

- Session 4 *Enhancing Learning Through Kidwatching: A Responsive Feedback Approach***  
Beth White, Dr. Elizabeth Crocker, & Jenny Powell  
Audience: All
- Session 5 *Lighting the Fire of Repeated Readings***  
Angela Compton & Anna Williams, South Carolina Department of Education  
Audience: PreK-2nd
- Session 6 *Bringing the Magic Back to Literature with the Lost Art of the Read Aloud***  
Landra Jennings, Author  
Audience: K-8

**2:00 PM – 4:00 PM**

- Session 7 *READING, ART AND THE SCIENCE OF LITERACY***  
Christina Hardin, Aiken Intermediate School  
Audience: K-12
- Session 8 *Cogitate My Coaching***  
Becca Doswell, Educational Consultant  
Audience: Elementary Coaches
- Session 9 *Letters? Words? Sentences? Oh My! Let's give comprehension a try!***  
Stacey Wilson, Voorhees University- EPI Center  
Audience: Elementary

- Featured Session – Authors on the Move – Lunch Event**  
**An additional Fee of \$25.00**

Have you ever wanted to have a dinner conversation with an author? Well, here's your chance! Join the fun as **TEN** authors are showcased during this featured event. Authors will join you at your table while you enjoy lunch. This unique event provides an opportunity to learn about books directly from the author. This event includes the author's presentations, a box lunch, and one signed book from the author of your choice.

**Authors:** Ashley Belote, Victoria Benton Frank, Shannon Hitchcock, , Lester Laminack, Natalie Lloyd, Angela May, Kwame Mbalia, Tanisia Moore, Jerry Pallotta, and Allan Wolf

**Select one Book. This will be distributed to you at the session.**

- Ashley Belote – Sheepwrecked
- Victoria Benton Frank - My Magnolia Summer
- Shannon Hitchcock - Of Words and Water
- Lester Laminack - A Cat Like That
- Natalie Lloyd - The Witching Wind
- Angela May - The Islanders Shipwrecked
- Kwame Mbalia - Jax Freeman and the Phantom Shriek
- Tanisia Moore: Wash Day Love
- Jerry Polatta - Who Would Win: Monstrous Mammals
- Allan Wolf - How to Tantrum Like a Champion

Check # \_\_\_\_\_ Total Amount: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Registrations included in this check. \_\_\_\_\_

Contact information of the person submitting the registration information.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**Mailing Address:** \_\_\_\_\_