



The Center for Literacy Education at the Western Galilee College Invites You to
Take Part in a Conference:

Developing Literacy Skills as a Platform for Future Academic Success

Online via Zoom

February 6, 2024, Tuesday

9:00 – 11:30 a.m (New York)

16:00 – 18:30 (Tel Aviv)

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Conference Program

9:00–9:05 a.m., New York

16:00–16:05, Tel Aviv

Welcome

Yossi Yagil, Vice President, Western Galilee College, Akko, Israel

9:05–9:15 a.m., New York

16:05–16:15, Tel Aviv

Greetings and Overview of Conference

Vered Vaknin Nusbaum, Einat Nevo

Session 1: Developmental Aspects of Literacy

Chair: **Dr. Yaacov Goldgraber**, Western Galilee College, Israel

9:15–9:35 a.m., New York

16:15–16:35, Tel Aviv

Comparing the benefits of parent–infant flute and singing groups for parenting and language development

Dr. Tamar Hadar

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9:35–10:00 a.m., New York

16:35–17:00, Tel Aviv

The transfer effect of vocabulary and morphological awareness intervention on narrative ability in kindergarteners

Dr. Einat Nevo, Prof. Vered Vaknin Nussbaum and Dr. Miri Sarid

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10:00–10:25 a.m., New York

17:00–17:25, Tel Aviv

The Correlation between the power of popular culture and second language acquisition: Exploring the influence of K-Culture on the learning of Korean language in the U.S

Dr. SoYoung Kang, Gwynedd Mercy University Gwynedd Valley, Pennsylvania, US
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10:25–10:30 a.m., New York

17:25–17:30, Tel Aviv

Reflective Discussion

Dr. Yaacov Goldgraber, Discussant leader Western Galilee College, Israel
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Session 2: Reading and Math Literacy

Chair: **Dr. Michal Raveh**, Western Galilee College, Israel

10:30–10:55 a.m., New York

17:30–17:55, Tel Aviv

The reading comprehension failure in a highly transparent orthography: The case of Turkish

Prof. Birkan Guldenoglu, Ankara University, Turkey

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10:55–11:20 a.m., New York

17:55–18:20, Tel Aviv

Numeracy in the digital era

Dr. John Oberman, Emeritus Shaanan Academic Teachers College, Israel

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11:20–11:25 a.m., New York

18:20–18:25, Tel Aviv

Reflective Discussion

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11:25–11:30 a.m., New York

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Closing

Prof. Vered Vaknin Nusbaum

Conference organizers:

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Dr. Einat Nevo, Head of the Department Education and Early Childhood Education, Western Galilee College, Israel

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