



Inner City Early Learning Support

Board of Trustees Meeting

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Unique to Surrey Schools



- Based on our knowledge that early intervention is essential
- Kindergarten and Grade 1 students
- Support in all 26 inner city schools
- 19 ELTs/ENTs
- In class, small group instruction
- We continue to have a significant focus on oral language because of its direct impact on reading and writing.

Layers of Support

- Capacity building for teachers
 - Monthly meetings with early learning teachers
 - Support for classroom teachers
- Administrators included to support school teams
- Regular visits from Inner City Early Learning Helping Teacher

Why Does This Matter?

Vocabulary
predicts ability to
comprehend text

Experiences lead
to learning



"TALES FROM THE FIELD"

Courtney Jones
Kerri Hutchinson



Early Numeracy Support

NUMBER SENSE

PATTERNING





Early Literacy Support

ORAL LANGUAGE

READING

WRITING



