Bringing Picture Books to Life

Who’s eligible: Anyone working with children aged 3-5 years who would like to develop the way they read aloud with children.

About the training: This training session combines practical activities with best-practice academic research to support practitioners to bring picture books to life.

Course content:

- Storytelling and reading aloud – what’s the difference?
- Creative ways to introduce your book
- Choosing books to read aloud
- Using your voice

The variety of activities included in this course are designed to:

- Boost practitioner confidence working with groups of children and adults
- Improve understanding of how voice is used to engage parents and children
- Help practitioners consider different kinds of picture books and how these impact on various aspects of a child's language and literacy development
- Encourage practitioners to extend or embellish familiar stories

Bringing Picture Books to Life is the new name for Bookbug Story Time Training. If you have attended Bookbug Story Time Training you do not need to also attend Bringing Picture Books to Life.

Upcoming training sessions in Western Isles

Stornoway
Tuesday, 4 October 2016, 2pm – 5pm
The County Hotel, 12-14 Francis St, Stornoway HS1 2XB
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Benbecula
Tuesday, 11 October 2016, 2pm – 5pm
Dark Island Hotel, Liniclate, Isle of Benbecula HS7 5PJ
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