

Curriculum Corporation presents

# COMPREHENSION STRATEGIES FOR NEW TIMES, NEW LITERACIES

Featuring Dr Michèle Anstey and Dr Geoff Bull

→ VICTORIA, Thursday 15 May 2008 [8.30am to 3.00pm], Darebin Arts Centre, Preston

## THE PRESENTERS

Michèle Anstey and Geoff Bull are highly acclaimed authors and classroom practitioners who have facilitated professional development with over 10,000 teachers during the past five years.

## THE WORKSHOP

Designed for P-8 teachers, the three workshop sessions will re-examine the teaching of comprehension with a focus on metacognition, and teaching an understanding of the comprehension process. The day will be highly practical, engaging participants in activities and discussion that will enable them to review and develop strategies for their own classrooms. A full copy of the PowerPoint slides used in the sessions will be provided to participants.

### Session One

#### COMPREHENSION STRATEGIES FOR NEW TIMES AND NEW TEXTS

**Part A:** The concept of comprehension will be explored in terms of the demands of new times, new literacies and multi-modal texts.

**Part B:** The focus in this session will be a discussion of the Four Resource Model (Four Roles of the Reader) as a way of identifying and classifying the knowledge and behaviours necessary to achieve comprehension.

### Session Two

#### RE-EXAMINING COMPREHENSION STRATEGIES: THE CONSUMPTION OF MULTI-MODAL TEXTS

Strategies and their utility for teaching comprehension with paper, live and electronic texts, and the consumption of multi-modal texts, will be discussed.

### Session Three

#### UNDERSTANDING ABOUT THE PRODUCTION OF MULTI-MODAL TEXTS AS AN AID TO COMPREHENSION

Participants will examine materials that demonstrate the way in which paper, live and electronic texts are produced, and the producers and processes involved. Links between the consumption and production of multi-modal text that are more explicit to students will be explored.

## REGISTRATION

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Email	
Position	
Organisation/school	
Address	
Phone	Fax
School order no.	
Special dietary requirements	

**Note:** Registrations close one week prior to the session. It is the school's responsibility to advise of any team name changes before 7 May 2008.

### PAYMENT TAX INVOICE

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\$220 per person

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\$200 per person

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