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Title: RWM Doncaster/RoSIS Spring 2025 Leading Thinking Event: Writing for Pleasure with Ross Young

Venue: Rockingham Professional Development Centre

Roughwood Road

Rotherham

S61 4HY

Trainer: Ross Young

Learning Futures

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Join us for an inspirational day of 'Writing for Pleasure' led by Ross Young.

Book before the end of February to receive a £10 discount per delegate!

LUNCH INCLUDED

Outline

During the day, participants will explore what writing for pleasure means, and how it can be realised as a much-needed pedagogy whose aim is to develop children, young people and their teachers as extraordinary and life-long writers. The approach is grounded in what global research has long been telling us are the most effective ways of teaching writing.

There will be several hands-on interactive activities throughout the day and there will also be plenty of time allocated for Q&A at the end of each session.

This event will be ideal for all who are committed to supporting children to become 'extraordinary and life-long writers'.

Description

Ross Young is the founder of The Writing For Pleasure Centre and co-author of *How To Teach Writing*; *Writing For Pleasure: Theory, Research & Practice*; *The Science Of Teaching Primary Writing*; *Motivating Writing Teaching* and *Getting Children Up & Running As Writers: Lessons For EYFS-KS1 Teachers*. He is a PhD researcher for The National Literacy Trust at the University Of Edinburgh's Literacy Lab, investigating the writing lives of children and young people. He also holds a masters degree in applied linguistics in education. As a passionate writer-teacher, he now works around the UK and abroad helping teachers and schools develop extraordinary young writers. He convenes The United Kingdom Literacy Association's international Teaching Writing Research Group. Ross was the lead researcher on 'What is it Writing For Pleasure teachers do

that makes the difference?' He has advised the Department For Education, National Literacy Trust and Education Scotland. His work continues to focus on the learning and teaching of young writers and is informed by his ongoing work with classroom teachers and early years educators.

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Outcome

This Writing for Pleasure Leading Thinking Event has been carefully designed to support teachers to build communities of committed and successful writers who write with purpose, power and pleasure. The fourteen research-informed principles which constitute a 'Writing for Pleasure' pedagogy will be defined and discussed and shown how to be applied by teachers in classroom practice.

This event will also explore how the skills of Writing connect to Reading, Maths and other areas of the curriculum in a memorable and enjoyable way.

Audience

Headteachers, senior leaders, teachers and all who would like to learn more about the approach of 'Writing for Pleasure' and the impact it can have on learning in reading, writing and maths.

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