

ONLINE: Supporting the Oral and Written Language Skills of Older children and Adolescents with DLD/LD
By Dr Julia Starling

This workshop will run across 2 ONLINE sessions from 10.00am-1.30pm NZDT
Session 1 – Friday 13th October 2023
Session 2 – Friday 20th October 2023

Sessions 1 and 2 will be RECORDED and the recordings will be available for 7 days after each session.

Speech pathologists are increasingly aware that Developmental Language Disorder, and Language Disorder associated with other primary conditions, are lifelong disorders. As children reach the upper years of primary school and move into and through secondary education, the world of oral and written language becomes significantly more complex and challenging. Speech pathologists therefore need to embrace a range of interventions that are relevant and effective for their caseloads of older children and adolescents.

Workshop Content

In this highly practical workshop we will be exploring this clinical challenge: How can we best support the oral and written language of older children and adolescents, using current evidence-based practice and the best clinical guidelines? Areas covered will include reading comprehension, written expression and direct vocabulary instruction, as well as how these areas of intervention interrelate.

Learning Objectives

Participants attending the workshop will have an opportunity to:

- Examine the links between oral and written language
- Explore the role of speech pathologists in supporting older children and adolescent clients' oral and written language
- Develop frames of reference, as well as a set of resources, applicable to their clinical practices.

Registration & Online Learning Details

Single registration cost is for each individual, not per site. Each person must register and attendance is required for both sessions. Zoom will be used to deliver the training with "meeting room" details emailed to participants prior to each module. You will need to download Zoom software to your computer. A webcam and inbuilt microphone on your computer is also preferable so you can fully participate.

Readings and Resources

Pre-readings will be emailed to participants 1-2 weeks prior to the workshop.



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About Dr Julia Starling



Dr Julia Starling is a speech-language pathologist who has extensive clinical and research experience with populations of children, adolescents and young adults with language and literacy disorders. Julia has worked with community health multidisciplinary teams, with remote outreach organisations, with mental health services and as a university clinical educator and lecturer. Julia now lives and works just outside Sydney; she develops resources, regularly lectures and presents seminars and workshops, and continues an active involvement in research projects.

Registration Fees

Registration fees include Humantix's online payment processing fee. **Early Bird** (10% discount) tickets are available until 11.55pm 1st of September 2023. On the 2nd of September 2023, **Full Rate** tickets prices become activated and remain available until the event is "sold out". A **Student Rate** is available for final year SLT students with a few spots made available to encourage student clinicians to embark on additional training before graduating from their course and entering the workforce.

Registration Type	Workshop Fee	Humanitix Fee + GST	Total Fee
Early Bird	\$234.00	\$14.02	\$248.02
Full Rate	\$260.00	\$15.51	\$275.51
Student Rate	\$160.00	\$9.76	\$169.76

To register, please go to www.skillbuildersslt.com/training and click on the registration link.

Terms and Conditions

Registration – Registrations are open until 2 weeks prior to the event date or until each ticket type is 'sold out'. The workshop will only run if a minimum of 20 registrants are met. Registration fees includes PDF handouts and a certificate of attendance when registrants attend both modules.

Cancellation Policy - Cancellations must be sent in writing to Skill Builders Speech Language Therapy. If the registrant cancels or is a non-attende at the event: 100% of the registration fee refunded if cancellation occurs up to 7 days prior to the event; no refund will be given if cancellation occurs within 7 days before the event or for non-attendance on the day(s). 100% of the registration fee will be refunded if the event is cancelled. Skill Builders bears no responsibility for any costs incurred or loss of income. **For online learning, refunds will not be provided to registrants who are unable to attend follow-up modules. Transfer of registration to a colleague after module 1 will not be allowed. Please only register if you can attend both sessions.**

Recording/Filming/Photography Not Permitted by Registrants: Registrants are NOT permitted to record any or part of this event in any format including audio recording, video recording, or through use of mobile devices for filming or photography.

Technology/Trouble Shooting: Skill Builders bears no responsibility for technological difficulties experienced by participants due to slow internet connections. Trouble shooting assistance will be limited during sessions and participants are encouraged to familiarise themselves with Zoom.