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Dear Parent/Caregiver,

A <u>free parent workshop</u> is being offered to parents of Grade 2, Grade 3, Grade 4, Grade 5, Grade 6, Grade 7, and Grade 8 students. This workshop will directly address any challenges your child is facing with reading and spelling in the classroom. This workshop will offer you suggestions and strategies to help support your child at home.

Attendance at this workshop is highly recommended and beneficial as it will provide you with information and assistance in enhancing your child's reading and spelling skills.



Reading and Spelling Tips

(Phonological Awareness: Building blocks for reading and spelling)

Phonological awareness skills are critical for reading and spelling development. These skills involve how children hear and process sounds. Research has shown this area is highly linked to spelling and reading success.

DATE	LOCATION	TIME
Thursday, April 21	Strathcona County Health Centre	6:30 pm to 8:30 pm

Strathcona County Health Centre is located at: 2 Brower Drive, Sherwood Park

These workshops will be presented by a **Speech-Language Pathologist.** To register for one of the workshops, please email **Carly.Axani@albertahealthservices.ca**. Please include your child's name, grade, and number of adults attending the workshop in your email message.

Spaces are reserved on a first-come first-serve basis. Please register at least 3 business days prior to the workshop you want to attend.

Please note this is an adult-only event.

Thank you so much for being an active participant in your child's education! We look forward to seeing you at the workshop!

Kindest regards,

The Strathcona County Health Centre Speech and Language Team