

Boy Readers, Boy Writers: Using Brain Research to Boost Student Success

Grades K-12



Spend a day considering all things ... boys!

When we consider the unique structure of the male brain and the socialization of boys in our society, we have the opportunity to be the very best teachers of reading and writing.

- ✓ Update your knowledge of brain research
- ✓ Explore techniques to support boys in your classroom
- ✓ Learn strategies to create successful readers and writers through this lens
- ✓ Discover great resources to add to your classroom library
- ✓ Consider reading and writing conferences and workshops that boys will love

**Register Now!
Only 35 seats
available!**

Wednesday, August 24, 2011

8:00 am – 3:30 pm

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11611 NE Ainsworth Circle • Portland OR 97220

\$100 Member: Oregon Reading Assoc. / Portland Reading Council

\$125 Non Member

- Registration fee includes continental breakfast and all materials
- One continuing education unit \$40 (pending) via Antioch University

Online Registration

www.pcira.wordpress.com



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