

# Dyslexia Modules for New Employees 2025-26

New employees must complete the state requirements for Dyslexia OR Science of Reading Pathways before June 30, 2026. Many of us have completed both. New employees have the choice to complete one or the other. Because many of us have completed the Dyslexia Modules, I am offering Facilitation for this choice with the intention of ensuring that all teachers in your schools share the same training experiences which supports school and grade level team meeting discussions. Course completion will result in the 18 hour state certification of successful completion of the Introduction to Dyslexia Training.



If you prefer within district training options contact **Christine Hovest** for this option or other varying training platform choices.

Some preliminary questions your staff may have:

1. I attended an academic institution with a phonics program. Do I need to complete the training? This is a case-by-case basis. Have your new hire contact: (877) 644-6338 OR [ReadOhio@education.ohio.gov](mailto:ReadOhio@education.ohio.gov) and request reporting information for approval.
2. I completed LETRS, Keys to Literacy, OR another state approved program. Must I complete the training? No, if you have a valid certificate of completion (**not just attendance**).
3. I am choosing to complete the Science of Reading Pathway on my own. Which SoR pathway will I complete? Pathway A: Kindergarten-Grade 5; Pathway C: Grades 6-12 ELA & reading teachers & interventionist; Pathway E: Grades 6-12 Content Areas; Pathway F: Administrators K-12  
[Ohio's Introduction to the Science of Reading K-12 Courses, Content Overview](#)
4. I am an administrator this year, but I completed training last year in another role. Must I complete the F Pathway this year? No, but when the refresher courses become available, you will complete the F Pathway Refresher Course before June 30, 2030

Please reach out with any other questions: [christine.hovest@staff.allencountyesc.org](mailto:christine.hovest@staff.allencountyesc.org) [readohio@education.ohio.gov](mailto:readohio@education.ohio.gov)

Introduction to Dyslexia Module 3 Days **Gr. K-3** & reading teachers, interventionists, ELL **Gr. 4-5 choose K-3 or 4-12 (see below)** Select one date from each column then [complete this form](#).

| Day 1                   | Day 2               | Day 3                |
|-------------------------|---------------------|----------------------|
| Thurs., January 8, 2026 | Wed., Jan 21, 2026  | Thurs., Feb. 5, 2026 |
| Fri., January 9, 2026   | Fri., Jan. 29, 2026 | Fri., Feb. 13, 2026  |

Introduction to Dyslexia Module Training 3 Days **Gr. 4-12 (ONLY)** Gr. 4-5 may select K-3 option. Select one date from each column then [complete this form](#). **ELA teachers & reading teachers, interventionist, ELL**

| Day 1                 | Day 2                | Day 3                 |
|-----------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|
| Thurs., Feb. 12, 2026 | Thurs., Mar. 5, 2026 | Thurs., Mar. 12, 2026 |
| Wed., Feb. 18, 2026   | Fri., Mar. 6, 2026   | Fri., Mar. 13, 2026   |

All meeting will be held on the ESC Campus, Building 2 (red brick), 1920 Slabtown Road, 8AM-2:45  
You will be invoiced from the Allen County ESC upon course completion: \$100 per participant.

**PLEASE KNOW YOUR OH ID username and password!**