GROW@KS2

School-based literacy programme for struggling learners in Years 3 and 4

GROW@KS2

» develops children’s reading skills and comprehension through reading for meaning

» promotes ‘reading as a writer’ to improve composition, grammar and spelling

» improves self-esteem and promotes meta-cognition through formative feedback

» makes links with class work to apply skills learned in GROW@KS2.

This is achieved through:

» one-to-one teaching with an experienced teacher for a 10 week programme

» teaching from what the child knows through observation and assessment

» focusing on meta-cognitive processes in learning.
GROW@KS2 teachers

» attend a 10 week initial professional development (IPD) course designed to develop their understanding of learning and literacy acquisition in Key Stage 2

» learn skills to assess and overcome children’s literacy learning barriers

» become reflective of teaching decisions and their impact on children’s learning in reading and writing

» support progress in reading, writing, speaking and listening

» continue their professional learning by attending continuing professional development (CPD) sessions.

GROW@KS2 IPD and CPD courses are accredited by the UCL Institute of Education and delivered at regional venues.

"That sounds really good! I wrote that! That is the best writing I have ever done!"

GROW @KS2 child

For more information and course application visit:

http://www.ucl.ac.uk/international-literacy/grow-ks2

International Literacy Centre
UCL Institute of Education
20 Bedford Way
London WC1H 0AL

Tel: +44 (0) 20 7612 6585
Email: ioe.iic@ucl.ac.uk