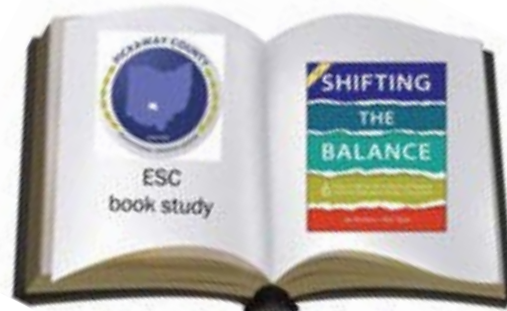


Book study professional development

Shifting the Balance: 6 Ways to Bring the Science of Reading into the Balanced Literacy Classroom

WHO?

The Pickaway County ESC is offering a hybrid book study of *Shifting the Balance* by Jan Burkins and Kari Yates this fall with ESC consultant Jill Riddle.



WHAT?

Participants will read, study and discuss the text about balanced literacy and the science of literacy. They will participate in three in-person classes, using the text and appropriate talking points to guide the discussion; they will consider the professional resource in relation to their classroom practices; and they will complete monthly posts (checkpoints) via e-mail to the instructor.

WHERE?

The in-person portion of the book study will be held at the Pickaway County ESC, 2050 Stoneridge Drive and the hybrid format will be via e-mail (virtual platform).

WHEN?

In-person sessions, 4:15-6:15 p.m.
Sept. 20, Oct. 18 and Nov. 21

E-mail checkpoints:
Oct. 3, Oct. 31 and Nov. 21

WANT TO TAKE PART?

- ▶ Go to <https://tinyurl.com/f4vup7d4> to fill out the book study survey.
- ▶ One credit hour from Ashland University is available for \$180 (Pickaway County districts only) or \$250 (outside Pickaway County). If you are not interested in university hours, contact hours can be issued.
- ▶ Participants will need to purchase the book. Go to <https://tinyurl.com/4r27au38> to do so.

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