

***"You helped me learn to read."***

***(Charlie)***

***"My reading has improved. I can read things better and faster."***

***(Lauren)***

***"I am now comfortable with my reading."***

***(Adam)***

***"Improving my reading has made me feel more confident in everything I do."***

***(Mark)***

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*Calgary Academy is recognized internationally for the academic program it provides for bright students with learning difficulties.*

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**Summer Reading Clinic  
August 2-19, 2011**

*Does your child struggle with:*

- *b, d reversals?*
- *recognition of common words: the, at, to, how ?*
- *breaking words into syllables?*
- *understanding what they have read?*

*Is their difficulty with reading impacting their self esteem/self confidence?*

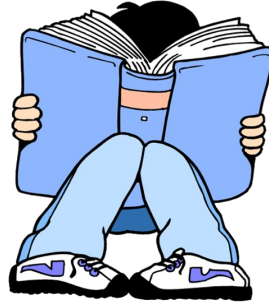
***If so, we can help!***

# What is Reading?

*Reading is a complex process involving the integration of 4 key components.*

*Children who experience difficulties with reading have deficits in one or more of these areas.*

1. *Phonemic Awareness*
2. *Phonics*
3. *Fluency*
4. *Comprehension*



- *Phonemic Awareness is the ability to notice, think about, and work with the individual sounds in words.*
- *Phonics is an understanding of the relationship between the 26 letters of written language and the 44 individual sounds of spoken language.*
- *Fluency is the reader's ability to read "like they speak." There is a high correlation between oral reading fluency and reading comprehension.*
- *Comprehension is understanding what you read. It is the ultimate goal of reading.*

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## Summer Reading Clinic

*Calgary Academy's Summer Reading Program is a 28 hour (2 hours/day) intensive 1-1 reading intervention.*

*The program is designed for individuals struggling with phonemic awareness, phonics, reading fluency and/or comprehension.*

**Weekdays: August 2-19**

**Choose:**

**Session 1: 8:00 -10:15**

**or**

**Session 2: 10:30-12:45**

**Cost: \$1500.00**

*(includes a pre and post assessment)*