

## Professional Learning Community Discussion Guide

### *Reach* into Beginning Reading By Lada Kratky, M.A.

Key points from Lada’s monograph:

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Key points from Lada’s podcast:

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Complete the chart and record the strengths your students bring to the classroom when they are learning to read in English, the challenges they face, and your next steps to accelerate learning. Compare and discuss with your colleagues.

Key Areas	Strengths My Students Bring to Classroom	Challenges My Students Face	My Next Steps to Accelerate Learning
Phonemic Awareness			
Phonics			
High Frequency Words			
Pace of Instruction			

**Next Steps:**

List 3 new things you will apply in your classroom after studying and discussing this topic.

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2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_