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# COMING TO SASKATCHEWAN! OCTOBER 19, 2012 ECEC CONFERENCE

## SCHOLASTIC EDUCATION PRESENTS TONY STEAD

### Keynote Session:

**Diving Deeper with Inquiry:** Practical Strategies for Helping Students Research, Question, Infer, and Discover

### Breakout Session:

#### Developing Rich Oral Language Experiences, K–3

Easy-to-use oral language strategies will be demonstrated as Tony highlights ways to promote text conversations, develop storytelling and retelling skills, enhance vocabulary acquisition through interactive read aloud and shared reading, and promote talk during play experiences. New technologies can be smoothly integrated into the K–3 classroom for a variety of engaging literacy activities and will be addressed throughout the session in context.

**Tony Stead is a renowned educator and literacy consultant.** Tony is a lead author for Scholastic's *Literacy Place for the Early Years, K–3*, *Moving Up with Literacy Place, 4–6*, and *Stepping Up with Literacy Place, 7–8*. He is the author of many best-selling publications, including *Is That a Fact?*, *Reality Checks*, and *Good Choice* (2009). He has also developed two video series: *Time for Nonfiction* and *Bridges to Independence*. Tony works with school districts across Canada, the United States, and Australia. His workshops are enthusiastically received by Canadian teachers.

