



enabling every child to learn



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▶ OUR VISION IS TO ENABLE EVERY CHILD TO LEARN TO HIS OR HER FULL POTENTIAL



▶ OUR MISSION IS TO MAKE THE MOVE TO LEARN MOVEMENT SEQUENCES AVAILABLE TO EVERY CHILD IN EVERY CLASSROOM

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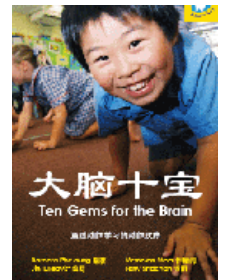
Move to Learn Goes Chinese!

After many months work, we are finally up & running with a Chinese component on our website.

We have had *Help Your Child to Learn* & *Ten Gems for the Brain* translated into Chinese & formatted into e-books in an attempt to reach our vast northern cousins.

Many thanks to our translators; Jing (Jocelyn) Lilin & Barbara Luk
Our formatter; Ruth Jasmat
Our website developer; Todd Frankland @Webedy PTY LTD
& our office staff (Jini & Stacey)

Check it out: <http://www.movetolearn.com.au/chinese/index.php>



Fiji Seminar Is Almost Upon Us!

We are also pleased to be able to tell you that we are now likely to have half a dozen Fijian teachers who are able to attend the seminar. Their desire is to learn how to introduce the movement program into their classrooms & schools.

Not long to go now!!!!



Welcome to Mary Mountstephen

We have another new member on the team!



Mary Mountstephen MA (SEN) is now our distributor for Europe & Ireland. She is a dyslexia specialist, assessing children aged 5-18 & providing individual intervention programmes.

She is also a licentiate of The Institute of Neuro-Physiological Psychology, with a respected neuro-developmental delay practice.

Mary works with individual children & trains teachers internationally in movement programmes, with the use of visualisation & neuro-linguistic programming.

She has many years experience in using innovative approaches to additional needs & she currently is developing an on-line dyslexia training course with the University of the West of England.

Mary will be coming to the Seminar in Fiji, so those coming will have the opportunity to meet her in person & hear of the exciting research she is undertaking.

There is also more on her research on our [website](#) .

Letters from the Field:

Dear Stacey,

Thanks for the May Missile , it is wonderful to see MTL expanding around the world. We continue to do our MTL every morning with the 3 infants classes in our assembly area, with about 70 children participating, Our Year one teacher, calling the shots.

The children now begin the MTL session doing breathing, finger exercises, mouth exercises, eye movement & Jolly phonics actions .

Then we sit in a circle of silence & one class group at a time lies on the mats & does the sequence we are up to with the rest watching.

Sometimes year 2 children may help a kinder child & all children are encouraged to self correct.

Recently Bernard Leitch, an educational Psychologist, gave a parents talk & stressed the importance of moving & learning, diet & auditory processing.

So the word is spreading & hopefully will continue to do so .

Wishing you all well

Cath Biddle.

Annesley Methodist Infant School, Suva.

Class 1A. Teacher. Ms Norma Liga

I took my children out & did hop-scotch, fairy steps & zigzagging on the line. Then we went into the classroom & the children were taught to roll, (leg then arm).

After two months, the children began without hesitation. On the first morning of doing the Move to Learn Program, I tried a few exercises with one child, Inia Laukata, who has been named "Mr Bean" by fellow classmates as he always made moves like Mr Bean.

He did a wrong action & asked me to stop & shook his head & then asked me to continue the exercise with him. We stopped later that morning & to my surprise after just the one morning of doing the exercises, he got hold of his pencil & book & began to write. Writing was all he wanted to do for a while. This was the first time for him to write after weeks of school. It was all upside down for a while.

Inia is now beginning to read & surprisingly improving with his daily exercises.

A big thank you to Barbara Pheloung. We now are able to help our children at this early stage.

In Western Australia

The Move to Learn Seminar in Perth went off without a hitch & was a brilliant success!

48 attended on the Friday & 43 on the Saturday & Winsome & her amazing team received some very positive feedback & responses. We hope she will find time to share more about this exciting seminar with us when she has had a moment to catch her breath.



CONGRATULATIONS WINSOME & The TEAM IN WA!



Something Fun! Anyone For Cards?



Double Solitaire / Patience

Set up layout for 2 players



We all need to play this!

- 1 pack of cards for each
- One layout for each player.
- Seven Piles
- **Pile 1**, card faces up, **Pile 2** face down, **Pile 3** face down, **Pile 4** face down, **Pile 5** face down, **Pile 6** face down, **Pile 7** face down.
- **Pile 2** card faces up, **Pile 3** down, **Pile 4** down, **Pile 5** down, **Pile 6** down, **Pile 7** down.
- **Pile 3** card faces up, **Pile 4** down, **Pile 5** down, **Pile 6** down, **Pile 7** down. Etc



Start!

- Aces are placed quickly in centre between the players. These aces are built on following the same suit from Ace to King.
- The player putting the King on turns that sequence over.
- The cards put in the centre can come from the layout or from the remaining cards held in each players hand.
- To use these cards players take 3 cards (not changing their order) & place them on the table in front of them, face side up.
- This last card is then free to be put in the centre suit piles or It can be placed on the layout in front of them following the sequence of black on red & red on black & going from King, Queen, Jack, 10 etc downwards in value.
- Remember, the centre cards go upwards from Ace to King.
- Play stops when both players can not make any more moves - "Stunkered"
- The winner is the one with the most cards in the centre.

Stacey found an online double solitaire/ Patience website that you can go on and play your friends or others that are online.

www.solitaire.com



Until Next Month, Keep on Rolling!

From The Move to Learn Team
Barbara, Jini, Stacey, Rick & Nikki



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