

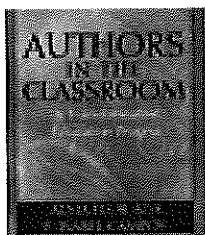
# ELL Literacy Symposium

## *Making the Connection Between Reading & Writing*

### Alma Flor Ada & F. Isabel Campoy

### Agenda

- 2:00-2:15 Welcome – Eva Garcia, Director of NYS Bronx BETAC & Tony Falotico-American Reading Company
- 2:15-4:30 Keynote Speakers-Alma Flor Ada & F. Isabel Campoy
- 4:30 – 4:40 Standards Based Instruction-Overview of Spanish and English independent reading systems and classroom libraries
- 4:40 – 4:50 A Practitioner's Perspective in Dual Language Programs- Aurea Porrata-Doria, Principal of PS/IS 18M
- 4:50-5:00 Closing Remarks-Dr. Bernice Moro, Director of Hunter BETAC
- 5:00-5:30 Book Signing



*Authors in the Classroom:  
A Transformative Education Process*  
- Special Event Price **\$30.00**  
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Alma Flor Ada is the award-winning author of more than 200 books for children. She is also a poet, storyteller, educator, mother, and grandmother.



With a Ph.D. in literature and a lifelong love for stories, Ada has mastered the art of retelling traditional folktales and nursery rhymes from across Latin America. A native of Cuba who has also lived in Spain, Peru, and the United States, Ada writes poetry, picture books, and novels that offer rich, multicultural perspectives for all children.



**F. Isabel Campoy** is a Spanish poet, playwright, songwriter, and storyteller. She has written numerous children's books both in English and Spanish

in the following genres: poetry, theatre, folktales, biographies, and art. Campoy is a scholar devoted to the study of language acquisition, a field in which she started publishing in 1973 after obtaining her degrees in Philology from Universidad Complutense in Madrid, Reading University in England, and UCLA in the United States.

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