

Does Your Child Need Help Learning to Read?

The National Reading Panel (2001) reported 5 areas of reading instruction that are crucial in the development of reading skills:

- phonemic awareness
- phonics/letter sounds
- expanding vocabulary
- reading comprehension
- reading with fluency

Our literacy group is run by a registered Speech-Language Pathologist, and is designed to incorporate all 5 areas of reading instruction in this fun-filled reading program!

Who Will Benefit From This Program?

Early Readers who are having challenges with the component skills required to read at a Senior Kindergarten/Grade One Level (i.e., letter/sound knowledge, segmenting, blending).

A skill set checklist will be completed upon registration to determine suitability for the program. A brief meeting with the Speech-Language Pathologist will take place to set individualized goals for your child prior to the start of group sessions.



Where and When?

KidsAbility Waterloo
500 Hallmark Drive
Waterloo, ON
N2K 3P5

July 18-22, 2011
9:00-11:00a.m.

Please pack a nut-free snack for your child each day

To Register:

Tel: 519-886-8886 ext 562
1-888-372-2259 ext 562
e-Mail: firefly-info@kidsability.ca

Please register by Friday June 10th, 2011

Our Speech-Language Pathologist will meet briefly with you and your child prior to the start of this

Fee: \$500*

As this is a service provided by a Registered Speech-Language Pathologist, you may have coverage for this program through insurance or therapeutic funding



Ready to Read!
Summer Camp

An early literacy group for children who are having difficulty reading at a Senior Kindergarten/Grade One Level

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Daily Session Outline:

Let's Get Thinking – an “activation activity” before reading the story of the day

Read-Aloud – Group reading activity

What Did We Hear? – Story discussion and retelling the story

Sound Tricks – Phonics and letter-sound games

Expanding Vocabulary – Language activity

Putting it all Together! – Segmenting and Blending Activities

Homework

Group members will be sent home with activities to complete to supplement learning.

This will keep new concepts and strategies fresh in their minds, and encourage practice of these new skills at home!

Individualized Goals

While this is a group environment, your child's individual skill development is important to us. Our Speech-Language Pathologist will determine individualized goals for your child, and will ensure that he/she has an opportunity to work on these goals each week



This group is designed to enhance literacy development in a fun and supportive environment. It is our goal to increase your child's skills, as well as his/her self-confidence while participating in this group.

Skills to be Targeted Include:

Letter and Sound Matching

Phonics

Blending and Segmenting Words

Word Recognition

Vocabulary Development

Reading Comprehension

Learning the Components of a Story

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