



helikx® **Open School and Learning Centre**

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Programs on Specific Learning Disabilities

Certificate Program on Specific Learning Disabilities (Four weeks)

Four Weeks Online Certificate Course on Specific Learning Disability

Specific learning disability is the most misconceived concept till date. In spite of extensive research, parents and teachers are unable to understand the condition. Helikx Open School and Learning Centre started in the year 2000. It has educated and taught closely 750 children in a regular classroom environment. We at the centre follow several instructional methods like Orton Gillingham approach and phonics-based instruction. This gave us a comprehensive experience to design online programs to help others understand these children and help them to lead their life in a positive way.

Course description

In this intensive tutor training program on specific learning disability you will learn about who children are? Why they struggle to understand? Root cause behind their struggles and what troubles them and how to help them.

As an educator or any other instructor having the opportunity to touch an individual's life, it's important we become informed of and understand all the aspect of a child's growth and development.

Participants will get to critically analyse the current research on Specific Learning Disability based on oval chart and find extensive potential strategies to help struggling learners. Each part of this program is carefully designed to deliver an intensive yet simple way to understand the above.

Course includes:

- Online live sessions
- Course materials

- Informal assessments tools
- Oval chart for child's profile portfolio
- Q & A sessions
- Articles
- Certificate on submission of assignments

Outcome of the program

This four week course will help you to develop a conceptual understanding on learning disabilities and remedial Teaching. Course can equip you to work as a remedial tutor or support a child with learning difficulties. Importantly you will learn strategies to teach differently and help your child or a student to learn differently. Curriculum also includes sessions on Child Development, Formal & Informal Assessments, Effective Teaching & Teaching with Technology.

Couse Fees Rs.12,500 per person

Duration 4 weeks

Time 1 hour &30 minutes per session.

One Week Online Certificate Course on Specific Learning Disabilities (Level I)

- Day I: Introduction to Learning Disabilities
- Day II: Oval Chart for Child's Profile Portfolio
- Day III: Information Processing of a Child
- Day IV: Reading Enhancement
- Day V: Reading Enhancement Strategies
- Day VI: Feedback on Assignments
- Day VII: Live Q & A Session

Course Fees Rs.1,750 per person

Duration one week

Time: 1 hour per session.

3 Days – Programs.

1. Reading Enhancement Program

The Reading Enhancement program aims to increase reading appreciation. It hopes to enhance reading aptitude among learners while at the same time promotes healthy independent reading habits among them. The program is designed to complement the formal classroom curriculum with interactive learning sessions and improve the overall language competencies of learners particularly in building vocabulary skills, while refining their knowledge of various concepts in science and values education. READ's main objective is to increase the reading comprehension competencies of elementary primary students.

Outcome of the program

When it comes to mastering the reading process, the following instructional tasks or content strands represent the major thrust of reading acquisition:

- Oral language as a base for learning,
- Phonemic awareness,
- A grasp of phonics,
- Fluency,
- Vocabulary knowledge, and
- Comprehension strategies.

Course fee Rs.1,000 per person

Duration 3 days

Time 1 hour per session

2. Remedial Strategies.

The process of providing additional guidance for children to help overcome their area of deficit by offering intensive and consistent training. It helps struggling learners shore up their skill.

Aim of remedial education

The primary goal of remedial education is to help struggling children to keep up with their expected curriculum.

Especially children with learning difficulties, they have exceptional skills in other areas, working on improving the existing skills and paving way for the children to achieve greater outcomes is another aim of remedial education.

Components of remedial education:

- Remedial teaching is not re-teaching. Remedial instruction is provided to improve the skills that are deficit in the child.
- It focuses on the skill rather than the content. Remedial education is offered to help children improve on their deficit skills by providing structured and intensive remediation
- Remedial teaching can be done in a one-on-one or a small group setting – based on the severity of the challenge

Outcome of Remedial teaching

Remedial classes are research based and uses proven teaching methods

They are directed at student's pace

Focuses more on the basic skills than skipping it

Includes assessments in between to keep track of the child's progress

Provides individual attention.

Duration 3 days

Course fees Rs.1,000

Per session one hour .

3. Multiple Intelligence and Remedial Teaching

Understanding the multiple intelligence of the students with specific learning Disabilities and using it in evaluation and the importance of remedial teaching,

Outcome of the program

Understanding the multiple intelligence.

Understanding the Specific Learning Disabilities

Remedial strategies.

Provides individual attention.

Duration 3 days

Course fees Rs.1,000

Per session one hour .

4.Word mapping strategy.

Word identification strategy

The word identification strategy to help order students quickly attack and successfully identify unknown words in their reading materials. Low achievers need such a strategy because (a) adequate comprehension of most reading assignments is dependent upon the student's ability to handle the large number of content – specific words and other difficult words, and (b) these students do not have the time (or) the motivation to be taught the entire sequence of word- attack skills.

This strategy is based on identifying prefixes, suffixes and stems, and by following three short syllabication rules. “DISSECT” is a seven steps of word identification strategy.

Outcome of the program

The Word Mapping Strategy helps older students learn how to predict the meaning of unknown words. Students learn to identify prefixes, suffixes, and roots and practice predicting the meaning of words using those parts. They also learn to use four strategic steps to identify the parts of a word, determine the meaning of those parts, and predict the meaning of the word.

Duration 3 days

Course fees Rs.1,000

Per session one hour .

5. Technology support to students with specific Learning Disabilities.

Technology tools to students to enhance learning skills.

Course take away.

2D animation,

Microsoft tools

Creative science

Course fee Rs.1,000 per person

Duration 3 days

Time 1 hour per session

6. Remedial math.

Remedial Maths

Introduction

What is Remedial teaching

How math can be taught

Pre math skills – Level (1) and its strategies

- Same object, Different object and comparison of objects.

Pre math skills – Level (2)

- Position with objects with object demo.

Multisensory method(VAKT)

Strategies for multiplication, division, addition and subtraction

Outcome of the program

Understands the Basic shapes, sequencing, sorting, and concepts of time, number, zero and daily life skill. The remedial strategies help in understanding basic maths.
