

Wellington-Alexander CENTER



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SERVICES	WELLINGTON- ALEXANDER CENTER			
Free Initial Consultation	✓			
Language Mini-Assessment (45 min.)	✓			
Comprehensive Speech-Language Assessment	√			
OT Assessment	✓			
Research-Based Intensive Program (3-5 hours/daily, 5 days/week, 4-9 weeks)	√			
Outcomes Available on Website	✓			
Standardized Measurements Used for Pre- and Post-Testing	✓			
Proven Long-Term Results	✓			
One-to-One Ratio for Entire Program	✓			
■ Intensive Offered Year-Round	√			
A+ Rating With BBB (Better Business Bureau)	✓			
Therapy Team Willing to Work With Teacher/School	✓			
Formalized Support Program After Completion of Intensive	√			
Serves Children and Adults	√			
Website with Research and Resources	√			
Certified, Licensed Therapists	√			
Parent Education and Training for Home Support	√			

We've put a little more detail on the back with a handy list of questions you could ask any provider.

Our center specializes in one-on-one intensive dyslexia intervention.

We are the only provider in Arizona with speech-language therapy, occupational therapy and psychological service professionals collaborating daily to ensure your individualized program is a success.

We're here as a resource.

Please call for a complimentary
consultation or visit our website
for our outcomes data,
the latest national research on dyslexia,
or helpful local resources for parents.

Overcoming Dyslexia Together

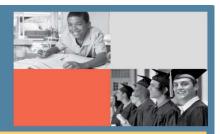
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Who turned their dyslexia

into an advantage? Jennifer Aniston **Vince Vaughn** William Hewlett Keira Knightley Leonardo Da Vinci Walt Disney Harrison Ford **Steven Spielberg** Albert Einstein **Muhammad Ali** Pablo Picasso F. Scott Fitzgerald Whoopi Goldberg Woodrow Wilson Thomas Edison John Lennon **David Boies Andy Warhol George Patton Tommy Hilfiger** Magic Johnson **Alexander Graham** Richard Branson
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Contact Information

- Where are our offices?
- Phone?
- Website?

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Initial Consultation

Do you offer an initial consultation where we can discuss our family's specific concerns? Can we have an office visit? Yes, the Wellington-Alexander Center offers a complimentary consultation and office visit with our Director of Speech-Language Services.

Assessment Services

Are speech-language assessment services available?

Yes, WAC offers a short "mini" assessment that takes about 45 minutes to determine if a more detailed assessment is needed. WAC also offers a comprehensive speech-language assessment, which takes about three hours.

Are occupational therapy assessment services available?

Yes, our OT team can perform a full OT assessment.

Intensive Program

Do you have a research-based program?

Yes, our intensive program is backed by 25 years of research. The Center's founder, Dr. Ann Alexander, is a developmental pediatrician from Duke University.

Is the program fully individualized to my child?

All intensive work is done on a one-to-one basis, fully individualized in all aspects.

How many days/week and hours/day are involved?

Generally, the intensive is 3-5 hours/day for 4-9 weeks.

■ Is intensive offered year-round?

Yes, WAC provides their Intensive program year-round.

Occupational Therapy

Do you have in-house OT services coordinated with the intensive program?

How frequently do they communicate progress with the speech-language team? Yes, our in-house team of OT therapists can provide OT services built-in to the intensive program schedule.

OT therapists communicate daily, even hourly, with speech-language therapists as a part of the team.

Psychological Services

Do you have psychiatrists/psychologists available to coordinate with the speech-language and OT team? Private practice psychiatrists and psychologists are available in our offices to help as needed and are often critical in collaborating and coordinating care.

Additional Questions

- How much does it cost?
- Do you take insurance?
- Will you partner with our family in terms of meeting with the teachers or principals at my child's school? Helping communicate with the school so they know what we're doing and how they can help?
- Do you offer transitional support when my child returns to school, helping work with the teacher to solidify the new skills back at school?
- Do you use standardized testing measures to assess my child's pre- and post-testing?
- Where can I find research on outcomes of intensive programs verses tutoring?

Costs depend on the number of hours required for the individualized intensive program.

We do not accept insurance, but can provide all necessary documentation for you to submit to your insurance provider. Yes, our professional team can be available to meet with your teacher/principal before, during or after the intensive program to discuss details.

Yes, the program includes a 9-10 week transitional program including after school support and weekly progress communication with your child's teachers to solidify the new skills.

Yes, WAC uses only the most current standardized testing measures to assess students and objectively measure progress at completion of the program.

Our Resources page on our Center's website includes links to the most recent peer-reviewed research from renowned institutions showing the long-term outcomes of intensive programs.