

Promoting literacy through research, education, and advocacy.



WHAT IS DYSLEXIA?

"Dyslexia is a specific learning disability that is neurobiological in origin. It is characterized by difficulties with accurate and/or fluent word recognition and by poor spelling and decoding abilities. These difficulties typically result from a deficit in the phonological component of language that is often unexpected in relation to other cognitive abilities and the provision of effective classroom instruction.

Secondary consequences may include problems in reading comprehension and reduced reading experience that can impede growth of vocabulary and background knowledge."

WHO IS IDA AUSTIN?

IDA Austin is a 501(c)(3) non profit organization dedicated to promoting reading excellence for all children through early identification of dyslexia, effective literacy education for adults and children with dyslexia, and teacher training.

The IDA Austin Branch sponsors:

- Helpline (512) 666-8190
- · Conferences and teacher training
- Parent child advocacy and support
- · Digital newsletters with events and resources
- · Speakers and materials to organizations and school districts
- · Legislation of state guidelines impacting dyslexia

BECOME AN IDA MEMBER TODAY!

IDA's individual memberships are a great way to be a part of the thriving dyslexia community while receiving flagship publications and timely alerts.

By joining at the National Level, you are automatically part of your local branch. As a member, you will be in the company of the world's foremost researchers, teachers, professionals, and parents dedicated to helping individuals with dyslexia.

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We're Your IDA!

We are one of three
Texas branches of the
International Dyslexia
Association. Although
named Austin, our
membership expands
far to the east, west,
central, and south Texas.

Connect with us to locate resources, find answers to your questions, and to join us in advocating for dyslexia until everyone can read!

