

## What We Do

The Alcott Center for Cognitive Enhancement works with children of all ages and abilities to help unlock their full potential.

We find and treat the underlying cause of a child's challenges, not just the symptoms. All programs are individually selected based on the child's need and abilities, which are determined through a full Comprehensive Assessment. Each child is different, so we treat them all differently!

Areas of focus include:

- Poor grades
- Learning disabilities
- Reading and spelling
- Dyslexia
- Central Auditory Processing Disorder
- Phonological processing problems
- Speech and language problems
- Working Memory deficits
- AD/HD
- PDD-NOS, Autism, Asperger's
- Sensory Integration Dysfunction

And other delays or disorders that create challenges to learning.



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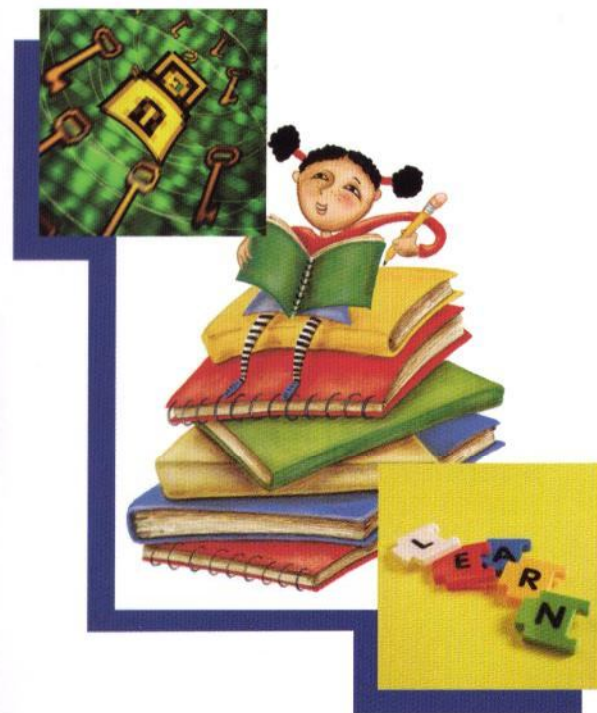
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## Reading and Spelling Programs



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# Individualized Reading and Spelling Programs

Our individualized reading and spelling programs are research-based programs, developed by experts. We offer both home-based and in-clinic one-on-one programs. Long distance programming is also available. Specific program recommendations are provided by our Pediatric Speech-Language Pathologist based on review of our Comprehensive Assessment results, current diagnoses, or reports from medical professionals. We ensure that your child is placed in the best program for his or her needs and abilities.

Programs include:

- PACE (Processing and Cognitive Enhancement)
- Master the Code
- Lindamood-Bell Learning Processes:
  - \* LiPS® : Lindamood Phonemic Sequencing®
  - \* Nancibell® Visualizing and Verbalizing for Language Comprehension and Thinking®
- Learning Ears™
- Fast ForWord™



## One-on-One Programs

### PACE (Processing and Cognitive Enhancement)

PACE is a twelve-week, intensive program for children who demonstrate difficulty with reading, spelling, attention, comprehension and math. PACE strengthens or develops the underlying thinking processes that support academic skills. Unlike other learning disabilities programs that focus on specific academic skills, PACE targets the brain's overall processing abilities.

### Master the Code

Master the Code (MTC) is a unique "sound to code" reading and spelling program modeled after the process by which spoken language is first learned. MTC works in conjunction with PACE to enhance attention, memory, auditory analysis, processing speed, sound blending and segmenting, visualization, and working memory.

### LiPS® : Lindamood Phonemic Sequencing®

LiPS® provides specific instruction for students with weak phonemic awareness. Students who cannot judge the sequence of sound units within spoken words cannot grasp fundamental reading and spelling skills. When reading, speaking or spelling, they often add, omit or reverse sounds in words. Research indicates that strong phonological and phonemic awareness is the foundation for reading and spelling success.

### Nancibell® Visualizing and Verbalizing for Language Comprehension and Thinking®

Visualizing and Verbalizing®, from Lindamood-Bell Learning Processes, successfully stimulates concept imagery. Individuals become able to image gestalts which include color, and even movement. This improves their language comprehension, reasoning for critical thinking, and expressive language skills.



## Home-Based Programs

### Learning Ears™

Learning Ears is an advanced auditory stimulation and training program that incorporates auditory intervention with specialized lessons in audio-vocal training. Through audio-vocal exercises, the learner's voice becomes the ongoing stimulus for the auditory system. The learner develops the ability to monitor his or her own speech, communication, and decoding (for reading). This increases accuracy and self-correction.

### Fast ForWord™

Based on over 25 years of research, Fast ForWord's computer-delivered, interactive, adaptive software targets language and reading skills. Fast ForWord software develops and strengthens memory, attention, processing rate, and sequencing - the cognitive skills essential for learning and reading success. Strengthening these skills results in a wide range of improved critical language and reading skills such as phonological awareness, phonemic awareness, fluency, vocabulary, comprehension, decoding, working memory, syntax, and grammar.