



Turbo Start training is available at both the Lubbock and Amarillo Scottish Rite Learning Center campuses. The *Turbo Start* curriculum provides dyslexia intervention for newly identified students of any age awaiting assignment to an intervention group. **This training is intended for Dyslexia Therapists trained in *Take Flight*.**

- The *Turbo Start* curriculum was developed as a program in which students who are newly identified and ready to begin dyslexia intervention can drop in at any time until a group is formed.
- *Turbo Start* introduces content from the first two books of the *Take Flight* lesson cycle sequence and provides flexibility in the intervention timeline to prepare students to enter dyslexia therapy in a group setting.

Training dates and information as follows:

Date: September 13, 2024

Registration and materials due by September 2, 2024.

Time: 8:30 – 12:00

Locations: Scottish Rite Learning Center of West Texas

Lubbock Campus

1101 70th Street

Lubbock, Tx. 79412

(806) 765-9150 Patti Ford

Also being offered at the Amarillo SRLC Campus

211 SE 17th Avenue

Amarillo, Tx. 79102

(806) 350-7669 Carla Parker

Audience: **Dyslexia Therapists** trained in *Take Flight*

or those who have completed the *Take Flight* Introductory summer training course.

Cost: SRLCWT fee **\$75.00** (Payable to SLRCWT Lubbock Campus) +

Teacher's Guide **\$90.00** (Payable to Scottish Rite for Children in Dallas) = **total \$165.00**

The *Turbo Teachers Guide* must be purchased from *Scottish Rite for Children in Dallas* at the following link:

[Dyslexia \(scottishriteforchildren.org\)](https://www.scottishriteforchildren.org)

Step 1: Create portal at above link.

Step 2: Wait for approval of portal to order *Turbo Start*.

The cost of the Teacher's Guide is **\$90.00** payable through the portal.

Step 3: Click on the Events link at www.srlcwt.org to enroll in **Turbo training for Dyslexia Therapists**.

Training fee is \$75.00 payable on the link.

CEUs = 3.5 hours approved by ALTA

Turbo Registration Form

Name: _____ E-mail: _____

Business or School: _____ School District: _____

Home Work Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone #: _____ Work Phone #: _____

Method of Payment: Check Please make checks payable to Scottish Rite Learning Center of West Texas

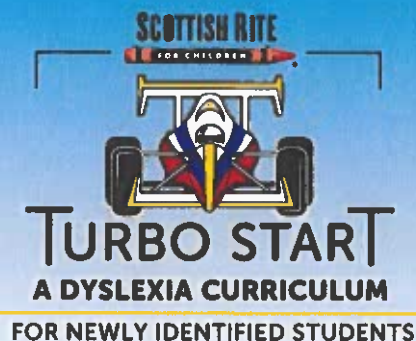
Check # _____ Purchase Order # _____ PayPal via www.srlcwt.org

Return Form and Fee by **September 2, 2024** to: The Scottish Rite Learning Center of West Texas

ATTN: Patti Ford

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Turbo Start: A Dyslexia Curriculum for Newly Identified Students with Dyslexia

Turbo Start: A Dyslexia Curriculum for Newly Identified Students with Dyslexia is a nine-week, evidence-based dyslexia intervention that can be used as part of a standard protocol dyslexia instruction program. The *Turbo Start* program provides a jump start for newly identified students with dyslexia who need comprehensive dyslexia intervention while awaiting placement in an intervention group. *Turbo Start* addresses five specific evidence-based components of reading intervention. Each component is taught developmentally, using a direct, systematic, cumulative, multisensory method of introduction and practice to meet specific needs of newly identified students with dyslexia. *Turbo Start* is a complementary dyslexia instruction program, which provides comprehensive, intensive, evidence-based instruction for students who are identified off-cycle, and addresses characteristic weaknesses of students with dyslexia to support optimal growth once placed in a sequential reading intervention program.



Turbo Start was designed for:

- Newly identified individuals with dyslexia of all ages.
 - One-on-one or small group instruction (no more than six students).
 - Use by a Certified Academic Language Therapist.
 - Four days per week for 60 minutes per day
- or**
- Five days per week for 45 minutes per day.

Five Components of Effective Reading Instruction

Turbo Start contains the five components of effective reading instruction identified by research from the National Reading Panel. *Turbo Start* addresses each component by:

- **Phonemic Awareness** – following established procedures for explicitly teaching the relationships between speech-sound production and spelling-sound patterns.
- **Phonics** – providing a systematic approach for single word decoding.
- **Fluency** – using research-proven, directed practice in repeated reading of words, phrases and passages to help individuals read newly encountered text more fluently.
- **Vocabulary** – featuring multiple word learning strategies (definitional, structural, contextual) and explicit teaching techniques with application in text.
- **Reading Comprehension** – teaching individuals to explicitly use and articulate multiple comprehension strategies in narrative and expository text (i.e., cooperative learning, story structure, question generation and answering, summarization and comprehension monitoring).

Key Features:

- The *Turbo Start* program was developed for use as an off-cycle, drop-in dyslexia program.
- The content of *Turbo Start* is derived from principles of evidence-based dyslexia instruction and provides foundational training in five specific components of reading intervention.
- *Turbo Start* provides flexibility in the intervention timeline to prepare students to enter dyslexia services in a group setting with fidelity.

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For details about the latest research, please view the Luke Waites Center for Dyslexia and Learning Disorders' research summary of *Take Flight: A Comprehensive Intervention for Students with Dyslexia* at scottishriteforchildren.org/dyslexia.

