

# THE SCOTTISH RITE LEARNING CENTER OF WEST TEXAS

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## Dyslexia Therapist Training Course - Lubbock Campus

The Scottish Rite Learning Center of West Texas offers Therapist Training for teachers utilizing the research-based curriculum, *Take Flight: A Comprehensive Intervention for Students with Dyslexia*. Developed at the Texas Scottish Rite Hospital for Children, this curriculum is an Orton-Gillingham-based, structured, multisensory system for teaching basic language skills. The graduate level training course is designed for individuals who desire to become a language specialist working with students with dyslexia.

Content of the course includes information and instruction in the following areas:

- Alphabet/Dictionary
- Graphophonemic Knowledge/ Phonics\*
- Morphology
- Word Recognition
- Reading Fluency\*
- Vocabulary\*
- Reading Comprehension\*
- Phonemic Awareness\*
- Spelling
- Cursive Handwriting
- Current research and legislation relating to dyslexia
- Characteristics of dyslexia including identification and placement
- Multisensory and discovery teaching techniques

#### **2026 TRAINING DATES**

The Introductory Course of the Therapist Training program will be offered on May 26 – June 12, 2026, Monday – Friday, 8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Classes will be held at the Scottish Rite Learning Center, 1101 70th St., Lubbock, Texas.

Please refer to the attached materials for a description of course work, enrollment information, an application form, and cost information.

For additional information please call (806) 765-9150, e-mail <u>info@srlcwt.org</u>, or visit our website <u>srlcwt.org</u>.







<sup>\*</sup> Indicates National Reading Panel Guidelines

#### DESCRIPTION OF COURSE WORK

#### First Year Course Work

- Introductory Course (105 hours), 3 weeks in June, M F, 8:00-4:30
- Four Introductory Seminars and the Lecture Series during the year (35 hours)
- Teaching the curriculum in therapy situations to either an individual and/or small groups during the year
- Must have at least one class begin the *Take Flight* curriculum in Book 1, Lesson 1
- Minimum of five demonstration lessons during the year

#### **Second Year Course Work**

- Advanced Course (56.5 hours), 2 weeks in June; M-F, 8:00-4:30
- Three Advanced Seminars and the Lecture Series during the year (27.5 hours)
- Continuation of teaching the curriculum in therapy situations to either an individual and/or small groups during the year
- Minimum of five demonstration lessons during the year

### **Therapy Experience for Completion of Therapist Training to include:**

- A minimum of 700 hours of clinical teaching under the supervision of the Scottish Rite Learning Center staff
- Beginning the curriculum at least three times
- Experience teaching in the advanced portion of the curriculum through Book 7

Upon completion of the course work and therapy experience, the trainee, holding a Bachelor's Degree, will be eligible to submit an application to sit for The Academic Language Therapy Association (ALTA) Competency Exam for Multisensory Structured Language Education (MSLE) at the therapy level administered by the Academic Language Therapy Association (ALTA). Passing this exam gives the applicant an opportunity to become a member of ALTA as a Certified Academic Language Therapist Candidate (CALT-C). The trainee, holding a Master's Degree, will be eligible to submit an application to sit for The Academic Language Therapy Association (ALTA) Competency Exam for Multisensory Structured Language Education (MSLE) at the therapy level administered by the Academic Language Therapy Association (ALTA). Passing this exam gives the applicant an opportunity to become a member of ALTA as a Certified Academic Language Therapist (CALT). A CALT member, holding a Master's Degree, may apply for a Texas state license as a Licensed Dyslexia Therapist.

#### **ENROLLMENT INFORMATION**

<u>APPLICANTS</u> must have a Bachelor's Degree from an accredited institution and a current teaching certificate to be eligible for training. Teachers who plan on using the program in their classroom should have the approval and support of their school administration.

To apply for Therapist Training, complete and return the following:

- 1. The application form
- 2. A copy of your teaching certificate
- 3. The Compliance Agreement signed by your Principal
- 4. A current photo.

Application and all other documentation must be received by May 1, 2026. No applications will be accepted after that date.

After receiving your application, the center will call you to schedule a date and time for a personal interview. At this time, curriculum, course requirements, and materials will be discussed.

<u>Tuition</u> – Tuition is payable to the Scottish Rite Learning Center of West Texas and is to be received on or before the first day of classes.

<u>Materials</u> – Materials will be ordered by and shipped to SRLCWT. The curriculum materials needed for your training will be available to you on the first day of class.

<u>Graduate-Level Credit</u> - Texas Tech University and Lubbock Christian University in Lubbock, Texas, Midwestern State University, in Wichita Falls, Texas, and West Texas A&M in Canyon, Texas all offer graduate-level credit for the training course at SRLCWT, for an additional fee.

SRLC does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national or ethnic origin, sex, age, or disability.



# APPLICATION FOR DYSLEXIA THERAPIST TRAINING COURSE

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Do you teach any spec	ialties and/or extra-o	curricular activities	?	
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Degree	School			Years Attended
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Upon receipt of the complete application package, an interview will be scheduled.

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1.	Why are you app	olying for this training progr	am'?	

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How do you inte	nd to utilize	the skills as	a Dyslexia The	erapist?	
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PLEASE SUBMIT YOUR APPLICATION, TEACHING CERTIFICATE, SIGNED COMPLIANCE AGREEMENT, AND PHOTO BY MAY 1, 2026, TO:

Scottish Rite Learning Center of West Texas 1101 70<sup>th</sup> St. Lubbock, Texas 79412 or tparrish@srlcwt.org



# APPLICATION FOR DYSLEXIA THERAPIST TRAINING COURSE

Compliance Agreement for Teachers Teaching the Take Flight: A Comprehensive Intervention for Students with Dyslexia Curriculum

I do agree to support	in completing the course
Inse	rt Teacher's Name
requirements in the Dyslexia Therapist Tra	nining Course taught at the Scottish Rite Learning
Center of West Texas.	will be given the opportunity to
	Feacher's Name t one class beginning in Book 1, Lesson 1 of no more than
five (5) students identified with dyslexia d	uring school hours for two consecutive years.
W Insert Teacher's Name	ill be given the opportunity to teach the Take Flight
curriculum in its entirety, through Book 7	with at least one class. The dyslexia class(es) must
be taught for forty-five (45) minutes per	day, five (5) days a week, or sixty (60) minutes per
day, four (4) days a week in order to ma	intain the integrity and fidelity of the Take Flight
curriculum.	
Principal	Date
(Printed Name)	
Signature	School District

Upon receipt of the complete application package, an interview will be scheduled.

## Cost of Introductory Therapist Training,

June 2026 SRLCWT

#### Cost includes:

- Tuition
- Take Flight: A Comprehensive Intervention for Students with Dyslexia First Year Kit
- Supplemental Materials

**Situation Spelling** 

Situation Reading

Alphabet Wall Cards

MAPP Book

No Glamour Cards

Additional Miscellaneous Materials

Total paid to SRLCWT

\$2,159.65

## **School/Teacher purchased Materials**

<u>Multisensory Teaching of Basic Language Skills, 4<sup>th</sup> Edition</u> <u>Activity Book – Multisensory Teaching of Basic Language</u> <u>Skills, 4<sup>th</sup> Edition</u>

\$ 60.00 estimate

\$ 30.00 estimate

Total to purchase materials

\$90.00 estimate

First Year Total

**\$2,249.65** estimate

## **Cost of Advanced Therapist Training**

June 2027 SRLCWT

### Cost includes:

- Tuition
- Take Flight: A Comprehensive Intervention for Students with Dyslexia Second Year Kit

Total paid to SRLCWT

\$1,340.35

**Second Year Total** 

\$1,340.35

First Year Total

\$2,159.65

**Second Year Total** 

\$1,340.35

**Grand Total paid to SRLCWT** 

\$3,500.00

**Estimated Grand Total with Teacher Purchased Materials** S

\$3,590.00