

ExWyZee Remedial Reading

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Dyslexia Watch List 021411

While the ExWyZee Remedial Reading Program was developed as a *reactive* program, for parents to use when some indication of reading difficulty shows up in a child, it can be used *proactively* to monitor a child's performance and look for indications of reading problems.

As a matter of fact, as a matter of good sense, every child should be on a watch list for dyslexia. With a Watch List plan in mind, look at the following items:

Click [Reading Deficits](#), and print a copy. But, don't get bogged down trying to digest all of that. Of the A-Deficits in that list, four of them are like indications your doctor gets from temperature-pulse-respiration readings. Any of the TPRs out of the okay-range tells her to look further.

Starting second semester of grade-one, monitor the student for the four deficits below. These are indicators I look at when starting with any reading impaired student.

Deficit A3: Seeing this deficit in a student who is well along in a reading program is as serious as a temperature of 106. Click [PhonemeBlndgAdvisory](#). This deficit is easy to detect, and relatively easy to treat when caught early. The ExWyZee program has a good supply of exercises for treating it.

Deficit A5: Sounding out 3-letter non-word combinations. It's easy to assess and easy to make exercises for it. ExWyZee program has a good supply of exercises.

Deficit A6: Rhyming deficit. Easy to assess and easy to make exercises for. ExWyZee has a good supply of exercises.

Deficit A1: Snapshot deficit. Although it can be treated with flash cards, that's a bit awkward. ExWyZee has plenty of easy-to-administer exercises.

The ExWyZee program and training to use it are free to parents, presented as a community service as part of The Salvation Army's latchkey program.

If you do see certain indicators of reading problems, you should be aware that much, perhaps most, remedial reading instruction in schools is incident-driven instead of focused. See [Incidental Instruction](#).

Contact me if you see any sign that the ExWyZee Program might be of use to you.

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