



## LEARNING DISABILITIES AND SPEECH RESOURCES

Below is a list of free and fee-for-service organizations in the community.

### LEARNING DISABILITIES

- Learning Disabilities Association of York-Simcoe** [www.ldays.org](http://www.ldays.org)

Provides leadership in learning disabilities' advocacy, research, education and services and aims to advance the full participation of children, youth and adults with learning disabilities.

- Learning Disability of Ontario** [www.ldao.ca](http://www.ldao.ca)

- Scottish Rite** [www.dyslexiabarriemuskoka.com](http://www.dyslexiabarriemuskoka.com)

Barrie program offers free tutoring for children who qualify (requires a diagnosis from a psychoeducational assessment). This program uses the Orton- Gillingham approach.

- International Dyslexia Association Professional Directory** [www.dyslexiaida.org/provider-directories](http://www.dyslexiaida.org/provider-directories)

### SPEECH THERAPY

- Lyndsey Stevenato Children's Therapy Services** 705-792-5272 | [www.childrenstherapy.ca](http://www.childrenstherapy.ca)

The Speech-Language Pathologist (SLP) will complete an assessment which will uncover the individual needs of your child. An assessment may include an interview with you and your child, as well as completion of both formal and informal tests and questionnaires. Depending on your child's needs, the assessment may range from 30 minutes (screens speech and language skills) to several hours (a full language learning assessment).

- Georgian College Harmonize Clinic** 705-722-1561 | [www.madelaineingles.com](http://www.madelaineingles.com)

Focuses on treating communication disorders which affect an individual's ability to comprehend, detect or apply language and speech in conversation. Clients receive speech-language and hearing services at a reduced rate.

- The Speech Clinic** 705-725-1500 | [www.thespeechclinic.ca](http://www.thespeechclinic.ca)

Provides services to children, adolescents and adults with communication and swallowing concerns with communication.

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