



Literacy for Life Dyslexia Practitioner

ABOUT LITERACY FOR LIFE READING CLINIC, INC.

Literacy for Life Reading Clinic, Inc. is dedicated to serving children and adolescents with language-based learning differences like dyslexia. We provide remedial instruction for individuals, training for educators, advocacy, parent workshops, and educational consulting services. Our remedial services for learners include Orton Gillingham instruction using Wilson Language, remedial math, and Educational Therapy. We offer workshops for educators and schools in Orton-Gillingham certified instruction, executive function in the classroom, and inclusive education. We also provide diagnostic assessment and standardized academic assessments. Additionally, we offer consulting and coaching for families to facilitate a clearer understanding of learning profiles and how they can support their learners at home.

JOB DESCRIPTION:

Literacy for Life Reading Clinic Inc. is seeking dynamic, creative, and engaging educators to work with individuals with language-based learning differences in a remote, online-learning setting. You will provide Orton-Gillingham reading intervention to students in a 1:1 or small group setting using Google Meet or Zoom. You will be responsible for planning sessions and materials and delivering instruction and assessments that adhere to the principles of the OG approach to reading, specifically using the Wilson program. Additionally, you will be responsible for communicating with and reporting student progress to your students' families and the Director.

REQUIREMENTS:

- Wilson Level 1 Certification or higher
- Bachelor's Degree in Special Education, Educational Psychology, Psychology or a related field.
- Experience implementing evidence-based methods for learning language and reading skills, such as Orton-Gillingham, Wilson Language, or evidence-based programs accredited by the International Dyslexia Association
- Valid Teaching Certificate (Canada or US)
- Proficiency with Zoom and Google Suite for Education
- Experience teaching children, adolescents, or young adults with Dyslexia, Dysgraphia, and ADHD
- Experience using technology to provide multi-sensory instruction in-person and online
- Excellent oral and written communication skills.
- Ability to establish and maintain effective working relationships with students, parents, and colleagues.

PREFERRED:

- Master's degree in Special Education, Educational Psychology, Psychology or a related field.
- Level B Standardized Assessment certification
- Experience conducting and scoring diagnostic assessments
- Experience using evidence-based math interventions

RESPONSIBILITIES:

- prepare active, engaging, multisensory sessions that align with the principles and practices of the Orton-Gillingham approach in reading and/or math
- provide 50-minute sessions online in a 1:1 or small group setting, 2-3 sessions/week per student
- keep careful documentation of each student to track progress and plan subsequent sessions
- consult with parents and caregivers on a regular basis
- conduct pre-assessments and progress monitor frequently
- conduct year-end assessments and write report detailing growth of students
- a commitment to a minimum 4-12 hours per week
- a minimum one-year commitment from September to June each year (approx.55-60 sessions)

PAY AND BONUSES:

- \$65-\$75 CAD/hour (approx.. \$45USD-\$55USD/hr)
- Opportunity to create social media and blog posts for additional pay
- Opportunity to provide workshops, training, and coaching for additional pay
- Access to shared content and teaching resources through our online portal

BENEFITS:

- Online/work from home
- Flexibility in scheduling
- Minimum planning and prep (initial lessons provided for you to get you started)
- Planning and assessment report templates provided
- No searching for clients; students will be provided
- Additional paid opportunities for social media and blog post writing

NOTE:

This is a private contractor position and thus you will have control over your own schedule and hours, however once you commit to a family, you are expected to see the commitment through to the end of the school year or session commitment. As a private contractor, you will be responsible for your own tax filing and insurance requirements.

Additional requirements

- WISE account (to receive your payment)
- Police clearance check