

GET CONNECTED...

We are here to help!

Whether you are in the early stages of identification, trying to navigate the school system, or dealing with the transition to secondary school, we can provide a helping hand.

The first step is to make a connection. Call or email us and let us know who you are.

Our services are free. Together we can work on a plan that will meet your needs as parents and the needs of your child.

WE ARE ON THE WEB

Visit our website, there you will find resource information as well as our latest newsletter.

www.idasudbury.ca

Learning Disabilities Association of Ontario (provincial chapter)

www.ldao.ca

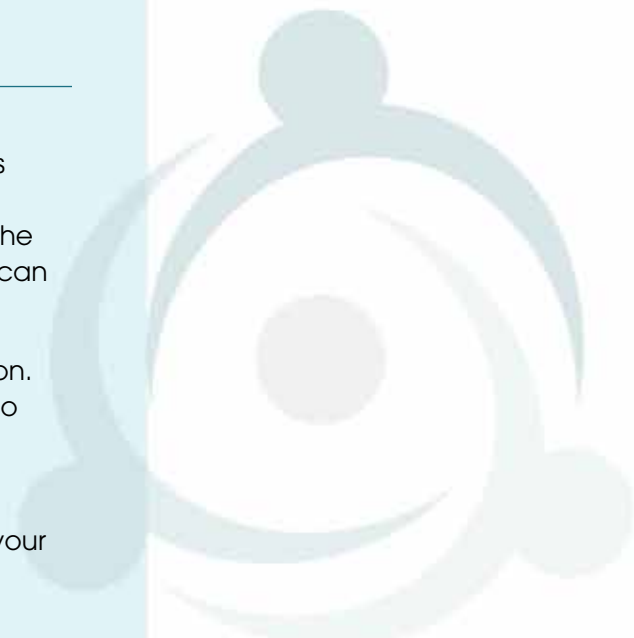
Learning Disabilities Association of Canada (bilingual)

www.ldac-taac.ca

DID YOU KNOW?

Many famous people have learning disabilities:

- Henry Winkler (actor/author)
- Steven Spielberg (director)
- Sir Richard Branson (Virgin Airlines)
- Delos Cosgrove MD (Surgeon)
- Charles Schwab (CEO Schwab Financial)



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WORKING TOGETHER FOR RISING STARS

WHO WE ARE

The Learning Disabilities Association of Sudbury, (LDAS) was first established in 2003 by a group of parents of children with learning disabilities.

Today, we are a team of parents, educators and professionals, all working together for individuals with learning disabilities.

In 2005, we became a chapter of the Learning Disabilities Association of Ontario. In 2009, we became an incorporated charitable organization.

We are proud to be a United Way Member Agency. We work in partnership with the Rainbow District School Board, Sudbury Catholic School Board, Cambrian College, Laurentian University and the Greater Sudbury Libraries.

“People with learning disabilities have average to above average intelligence”



LEARNING DISABILITIES 101

What is a learning disability?

Learning disabilities can affect the way in which a person takes in, remembers, understands and expresses information.

How can a learning disability affect my child?

Learning disabilities can affect a person's ability in the areas of:

- Listening
- Reading
- Mathematics
- Speaking
- Writing
- Organizing

Who is affected with a learning disability?

Of all the children with disabilities in this country, 60% have a learning disability.

When should you seek support?

Early identification and intervention leads to success, but it is never too late.

OUR MISSION

To support all individuals with learning disabilities in reaching their full potential within a community that values their unique contributions and abilities.

“People with learning disabilities can succeed when solid coping skills and strategies are developed”

SERVICES WE PROVIDE

At LDAS we are able to provide services that will help meet your needs through:

- *One-on-one resource support for parents and students*
- *One-on-one advocacy support for parents and students*
- *Support with the development of your child's Individual Education Plan (IEP)*
- *Representation at your child's initial Identification Placement and Review Committee (IPRC) meeting*
- *Workshops for parents, students and educators*