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THE INTERNATIONAL DYSLEXIA ASSOCIATION M E M B E R S H I P

FIRST Name _____ MIDDLE Initial _____ LAST Name _____

ORGANIZATION (if applicable) _____

STREET ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE/PROVINCE _____ ZIP/POSTAL CODE _____

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DATE OF BIRTH ____/____/____

IDA MEMBER # (if renewal) _____

INDIVIDUAL WITH DYSLEXIA? Spouse Self Child Sibling Parent Friend

1 SELECT YOUR MEMBERSHIP CATEGORY

- PARENT/ADVOCATE** \$80
 - Individual Dyslexic
 - General Supporter
 - Parent/Family Member
 - PROFESSIONAL** \$95
 - Professional/Educational
 - Professional/Allied
 - 2-MEMBER HOUSEHOLD/FAMILY** \$135
 - SENIOR/RETIRED** (age 65)..... \$60
 - STUDENT** \$60
 - EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION**..... \$395
 - CORPORATE/BUSINESS**..... \$495
- ⇒ Dyslexic individuals, parents, family members, caregivers, advocates on behalf of dyslexia and general supporters of IDA's work should join this category.
- ⇒ If you are employed in the field of learning disabilities *as an educator*—a teacher, tutor, administrator, academic language therapist, etc.
- ⇒ If you are employed in the learning disabilities field *as a professional*—researcher, attorney, physician, psychiatrist, etc., select "Allied".
- ⇒ The Educational/Institutional category includes non-profit (501(c)3) organizations and businesses—schools, school systems, libraries, professional associations, etc.
- ⇒ The Corporate category includes for-profit organizations and businesses—suppliers, vendors, testing programs, learning centers, assistive technologies, etc.

2 PROFESSIONAL INTEREST (please choose ONE professional interest)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Academic Language Therapist | <input type="checkbox"/> Education/Administrator | <input type="checkbox"/> Parent | <input type="checkbox"/> Researcher/Medical |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Advocate | <input type="checkbox"/> Education/Teacher—K-12 | <input type="checkbox"/> Physician | <input type="checkbox"/> Speech-Language Pathologist |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Attorney | <input type="checkbox"/> Education/Teacher—Special Ed. | <input type="checkbox"/> Psychiatrist | <input type="checkbox"/> Tutor/Certified or Trainee |
| <input type="checkbox"/> College Student | <input type="checkbox"/> Education/Teacher—Post Sec. | <input type="checkbox"/> Reading Specialist | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Corporation/Organization | <input type="checkbox"/> Educational Diagnostician | <input type="checkbox"/> Researcher/Education | |

3 UPPER MEMBERSHIP LEVEL (optional/add'l. fee)

Please consider supporting IDA's mission with an additional contribution by becoming an UPPER-CATEGORY Member.

- SPONSOR** _____ dues level plus \$50 _____ \$50
 - SUPPORTING** _____ dues level plus \$150 _____ \$150
 - SUSTAINING** _____ dues level plus \$500 _____ \$500
 - LIFETIME** _____ \$2500 _____ \$2500
- (add this optional UPPER CATEGORY amount to your dues payment)

4 SPECIAL-INTEREST GROUPS (optional/add'l. fees)

THE FOLLOWING BENEFITS ARE CURRENTLY IN DEVELOPMENT:

Optional SPECIAL-INTEREST GROUPS will offer a suite of customized benefits within a community of like-minded professional interests.

SIG-1 Teachers of Struggling Readers _____ \$30
 Includes a customized "Webcast With An Expert", a searchable "Student Errors Database; 2 additional Live Learning Center sessions.

SIG-2 Reading Intervention Specialist _____ \$40
 Includes a dedicated online list-serv with moderated topics; customized "Webcast With An Expert"; 2 additional Live Learning Center sessions.

SIG-3 Reading Intervention Therapist/Trainer _____ \$50
 Includes a dedicated online "Trainer" list-serv with moderated topics; two additional Live Learning Center sessions; and, a "Professional" Hospitality Suite at the IDA Conference.

5 DUES PAYMENT



Amount from your Membership Category 1 \$ _____

Optional UPPER-LEVEL amount 3 \$ _____

Optional SPECIAL-INTEREST GROUP 4 \$ _____

TOTAL: \$ _____

Check enclosed (payable to IDA) Purchase Order enclosed: P.O. #: _____

Credit Card:

American Express Master Card VISA Discover

Cardholder Name: _____

Account Number: _____

Expiration Date: ____/____/____

Signature of Cardholder: _____



IDA MEMBERSHIP

The International Dyslexia Association is the oldest professional society dedicated to the study, research and treatment of dyslexia and related language-based learning differences, with nearly 11,000 members from the United States, Canada and abroad. We serve individuals with dyslexia, their families, and the professionals in the field—educators, researchers, speech-language professionals—who serve them.

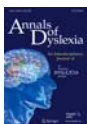
THE IDA MISSION

We believe all individuals have the right to achieve their potential, that individual learning abilities can be strengthened and that social, educational, and cultural barriers to language acquisition and use must be removed.

Our purpose is to pursue and provide the most comprehensive range of information and services that address the full scope of dyslexia and related difficulties in learning to read and write . . . *In a way that creates hope, possibility and partnership* . . . So that every individual has the opportunity to lead a productive and fulfilling life, and society benefits from the resource that is liberated.

IDA MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS

Membership in IDA brings you many unique opportunities to advance your profession and interact with peers in the LD community. We equip you with the latest dyslexia research, developments in the field and best-practices. In addition, your Membership includes:



ANNALS OF DYSLEXIA online

IDA's semi-annual journal of the most current, peer-reviewed dyslexia research. *Annals* (including all back issues) is available online and as an optional (2 volumes/yr.) printed edition.



PERSPECTIVES ON LANGUAGE AND LITERACY print & online

IDA's quarterly publication discusses educational best-practices, curriculum methods, case studies and first-person application of multisensory structured language techniques.



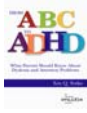
THE JOURNAL OF READING & WRITING online

In addition to online access to *Annals of Dyslexia*, IDA Members also have online access to *Reading & Writing: An Interdisciplinary Journal*.



MEMBERS-ONLY DISCOUNTS AT NATIONAL & LOCAL CONFERENCES

Enjoy Members-only registration discounts when attending IDA's national conference or any local Branch conference.



IDA PUBLICATION DISCOUNTS

Enjoy members-only pricing discounts on LD-related publications and other items purchased in the IDA online bookstore. (www.interdys.org)



INSURANCE, CAR RENTAL & VISA CARD DISCOUNTS

IDA has special member-affinity relationships with Liberty Mutual Insurance, Avis, and VISA, offering IDA-discounted products.



PROFESSIONAL REFERRAL FOR SERVICE DATABASE

IDA Professional members may opt for a contact listing as a Service Provider in the national IDA *Referral For Services* database.

LOCAL BRANCH MEMBERSHIP

Your membership in IDA includes membership and affiliation with any one of 47 IDA local Branches in North America.

EXHIBIT SPACE DISCOUNT AT IDA CONFERENCE

Educational/Institution and Corporate/Business members receive significant discounts on exhibit space at the annual national conference.

SPECIAL INTEREST GROUPS

Any IDA member may opt-in for one of three Special Interest Groups which offer a suite of premium benefits within a dedicated-interest community. (*Special Interest Groups currently under development*)

MEMBERSHIP CATEGORIES

PROFESSIONAL

EDUCATIONAL PROFESSIONAL—Any individual who is trained and working in the field of education—including a K-12 teacher, educator, tutor, school administrator, researcher, educational therapist, etc.

BENEFITS INCLUDE: All IDA standard benefits (at left), plus "Educators" Online Discussion Forum; "Educator" Series of Dedicated Web Seminars. More benefits are under development in 2008-9, including online resume posting, professional liability insurance and more.

ALLIED PROFESSIONAL—Professionals from the medical/legal/scientific professions, psychologists, speech-language pathologists, academic and clinical researchers and others who's interests include dyslexia and language-based learning differences.

BENEFITS INCLUDE: All IDA standard benefits (at left), plus "Professionals" Online Discussion Forum; "Professionals" Series of Dedicated Web Seminars.

PARENT/ADVOCATE

INDIVIDUAL DYSLEXIC—Any individual—adult, teen or child can become part of IDA by joining this category.

PARENT/FAMILY—Parents, siblings and family members who are integral to the dyslexia support network of an individual with dyslexia would benefit from this category of membership.

GENERAL SUPPORTER—Supporters and those who advocate on behalf of educational, research, legal and legislative solutions to learning differences.

BENEFITS INCLUDE: All IDA standard benefits (at left), plus Parent/Individual Online Discussion Forum; dedicated series of Web Seminars; Parent-to-Parent E-Bulletin 6x per year.

EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION

NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATIONS—schools, local or city school systems, libraries, professional associations/societies, etc.

BENEFITS INCLUDE: All IDA standard benefits (at left); discounted advertising rates in IDA publications; IDA mailing list rental discount; free posting on IDA website resource list;

CORPORATE/BUSINESS

FOR-PROFIT ORGANIZATIONS AND BUSINESSES—suppliers, vendors, publishers, testing programs, assistive technologies, and suppliers of products & services into the learning-differences community.

BENEFITS INCLUDE: All IDA standard benefits (at left), plus Conference exhibit-space discount; free, 1x use of 2,500 IDA mailing list names; discounted advertising rates in IDA publications; mailing list rental discount, and more.

Special Membership Levels:

- Student ▪ Senior/Retired ▪ Household
- Sponsoring ▪ Supporting ▪ Sustaining ▪ Lifetime

These qualifying membership levels can apply to ANY category—students, seniors, and families qualify for discounts. The upper-levels of membership recognize those giving at a measure beyond basic dues.