

# The Children's Dyslexia Center of Central Massachusetts

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## Bringing the Joy of Reading to Children with Dyslexia

We are committed to increasing public awareness of dyslexia and offer a graduate level course to adults interested in becoming certified in the Orton-Gillingham method. This course is accredited by IMSLEC.

Program:	Orton-Gillingham Certification
Location:	The Children's Dyslexia Center 1 Ionic Avenue, Worcester, MA 01608
Instructor:	Heather Davenport, Center Director
Date:	Each Academic Year
Accreditation:	IMSLEC
Cost:	Application and materials fee: \$500.00
Requirements:	Bachelor's Degree Access and knowledge of MS Word A strong desire and commitment to help children read Proficiency with speaking, reading and writing in English is required
Commitment:	50 hours of class 100 hours of supervised tutoring
Duration:	Approximately one year
Application:	Completed Trainee Application Resume Two Letters of Recommendation Background Check Proof of Bachelor's Degree or Master's Degree (transcript or copy of diploma)
Description:	Orton-Gillingham is a phonetically-based multisensory method of reading remediation for children with dyslexia. Twenty hours of course work is conducted, prior to the start of tutoring. Course work during the academic year takes place on Saturdays. Practicum requires tutoring two children two days per week during the academic year. Graduate credit is available.

We are accredited by the International Multisensory Structured Language Education Council (IMSLEC).

**Please contact the Center Director regarding Application/ Information.**