

LEARNING DISABILITY IN CHILDREN

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ABSTRACT

Learning disability is an umbrella term for a wide variety of learning problems. A learning disability is not a problem with intelligence or motivation. Children with learning disabilities are not lazy or have low I.Q. Children with learning disability see, hear and understand things differently. This can lead to trouble with learning new information and skills and putting them in use. The most common types of learning disabilities involve problems with reading, writing, arithmetic, reasoning, listening and speaking. Most of the children with learning disabilities are as intelligent as other children. They just need to teach in a way that is tailored to their unique learning style.

There are many children in our society those who have learning disabilities but there is no one to solve their problems. Sometimes they are ill-treated by their family, school as well as society. Many children stop their studies and undergo mental disorder. With the help of this research paper, I have studied different learning disorders among the children. through this research I studied

- Characteristics of learning disabled children
- Common types of learning disabilities like dyslexia, dysphasia, dyscalculia, dysgraphia, dyspraxia, auditory processing disorder, visual processing disorder.
- Prevention of learning disabilities
- Educational programmes

Primary Data

- Interviewed school children having learning disabilities
- Conversation with the official staff from health sector of Jammu as well as school counselor.

Secondary Data

- Report of Govt. of India on learning disability
- National Human Development Report of India.
- Report from the health sector of Jammu.
- Newspaper (The Times of India, The Hindustan Times)
- Websites
- Journals

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