

Learning Disability Checklist:

Does your child have many learning problems? Do you suspect that child may have a Learning Disability?

Check below if your child has any of these characteristics of students with learning disabilities:

Checklist for analysing Writing disability

Sr. No.	Writing	Yes	No
1.	May dislike and avoids writing and copying		
2.	May have delay in learning to write		
3.	Papers are messy and incomplete with many cross-outs and erasures		
4.	May difficulty remembering shapes of letters and numbers		
5.	Frequent letter and number reversals		
6.	Uneven spacing between letters and words		
7.	Omits letters from words and words from sentences		
8.	Inaccurate copying		
9.	Poor spelling (spells phonetically)		
10.	Cannot spot errors in own work		
11.	Difficulty preparing outlines and organizing written work		

Checklist for analysing Reading disability

Sr. No.	Reading	Yes	No
1.	Confuses similar-looking letters (e.g.: takes b for d or p for q or vice versa)		
2.	Difficulty recognizing and remembering basic words		
3.	Frequently loses place when reading		
4.	Confuses similar-looking words (bread and beard)		

5.	Reverses words (e.g.: reads was for saw)		
6.	Has trouble finding letters in words or words in sentences		
7.	Poor memory for printed words (also number sequences, diagrams, illustrations, and so on)		
8.	May poor comprehension of main ideas and themes		

Checklist for analysing Mathematics disability

Sr. No.	Maths	Yes	No
1.	Has difficulty with simple counting and one-to-one		
2.	Correspondence between number symbols and items/objects		
3.	Difficulty mastering number knowledge (e.g. recognition of quantities without counting)		
4.	Has difficulty with learning and memorizing basic addition and subtraction facts		
5.	Has difficulty learning strategic counting principles (e.g. by 2, 5, 10, 100)		
6.	Poorly aligns numbers resulting in computation errors		
7.	Has difficulty estimating (e.g., quantity, value)		
8.	Has difficulty with comparisons (e.g., less than, greater than)		
9.	Has trouble telling time		
10.	Has trouble conceptualizing the passage of time		
11.	Has difficulty counting rapidly or making calculations		
12.	Has trouble learning multiplication tables, formulas and rules		
13.	Has trouble interpreting graphs and charts		

Scoring: If your child has at least 3 or 4 of above symptoms in any category from the start of primary schooling, he/she may be having special problems in reading, writing and mathematics and so may be diagnosed with Learning Disability.