



Occupational Therapy Services for Children

Occupational therapy assists children who have difficulty with:

- * physical skills
- * gross and fine motor skills
- * sensory processing
- * cognitive skills
- * psychosocial skills

Difficulties with these skills may interfere with their ability to function or make progress in school, work, and/or at home. The goal of occupational therapy is to find ways for the child to participate as fully as possible in daily activities:

- * Self-care: self-help skills, toileting, dressing, eating, sleeping, bathing
- * Productivity: performing academic tasks, learning to follow routines, developing autonomy, etc.
- * Leisure: playing on playground equipment, participating in recreational activities, playing games, making crafts, frustration-tolerance, etc.

School-age children learn both academic skills and non-academic or "functional" skills. Academic skills might include sequencing between activities, matching, drawing, colouring, and eventually printing. Functional skills include learning how to get dressed, throwing and catching a ball, fastening buttons and zippers, using scissors and establishing hand dominance.

An occupational therapist can also assess the environment in which the activity is taking place and the activity itself. The occupational therapist will then work with the child, their family and other caregivers to find new ways of helping them to engage and participate in their activities.



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Occupational Therapy Services

Register online at
<http://dsrf.org/register>

Client's Information

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____
 Address: _____
 City: _____ Postal Code: _____
 Phone: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Parent/Guardian's Information

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____
 Phone: _____ Cell: _____
 Work: _____ Email: _____

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Schedule 2019

This program will be offered in blocks throughout the year with weekly one to one-session.

BLOCK 1	January 2 - March 15	11 weeks	Registration starts November 5, 2018
BLOCK 2	April 1 - June 21	12 weeks	Registration starts February 19, 2019
BLOCK 3	July 2 - August 23	8 weeks	Registration starts May 27, 2019
BLOCK 4	September 9 - December 13	14 weeks	Registration starts August 5, 2019
Christmas Break December 17, 2018 - January 1, 2019 Spring Break March 18 - March 22, 2019			

Fee

\$84 per session + \$60 for end of block report (i.e. \$1,068 for a 12 week block with report).

Please contact us about bursary options prior to registration if cost is a barrier to participation.

Some appointments may be scheduled in the home or community with a \$40 minimum additional travel charge for one hour round trips from our Burnaby location, additional billing for longer trips at \$40 minimum extra charge.

Location

DSRF, 1409 Sperling Avenue, Burnaby
The City Centre Building -1, 13737 - 96th Avenue (2nd floor), Surrey



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Cancellation Policy: All withdrawal requests must be received in writing to nimet@dsrf.org one week prior to the start of program.

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