

*Lakshya Centre for Learning Disabilities
[DLF {Gurgaon}, Punjabi Bagh and Lajpat Nagar]*

In collaboration with

*Centre of Special Education
S.N.D.T. Women's University
Mumbai*

Is starting enrollment for the next Batch of

**Certificate Course in Education of
Students with Learning Disabilities**

To,

The Principal/Counselor

Dear Sir/Madam,

Lakshya centre for Learning Disabilities was established in 2004 by Ruchika Sachdev, ex-student and ex-faculty of Centre of Special Education, SNDT University, Mumbai, in order to provide quality services for students with Learning Disabilities. The centre operates from 3 locations in the NCR and strives to provide assessment and intervention services for students with Learning Disabilities by a team of qualified professionals in the field.

The Centre of Special Education, SNDT Women's University has been a pioneer in the field of Learning Disabilities. It is the first of its kind to offer special education training at graduate and post graduate degree level to women graduates to teach and manage students with various exceptionalities.

In the recent years the movement towards Inclusive Education has gathered momentum leading to a larger need of understanding students with Learning Disabilities who study in general schools. Not all the schools are equipped to appoint enough of special educators for these students. This leaves the student with Learning Disabilities ignored in school.

Keeping this in mind Lakshya in collaboration with SNDT is organizing a Certificate Course in 'Educating Students with Learning Disabilities' to impart knowledge of skills to teachers, parents and the concerned community. The course will enable then to effectively and efficiently develop inclusive learning environments in school and at home, thereby preventing students with Learning Disabilities from dropping out or being marginalized in the mainstream.

Enclosed you will find the details of the course along with an application form (which may be copied). We request you to kindly inform those professionals and parents who would be interested in attending the course, about it.

Thank you.

Ruchika Sachdev
[Director-Lakshya, Course Coordinator]

Course details:

- Credits:** 8 credits course, equaling 120 hours
65 hours of Theory and 55 hours of Practicum
- Eligibility:** Graduate in any discipline
- Venue:** Lakshya- DLF, Gurgaon and Lajpat Nagar
- Timings:** 10 A.M. to 1 P.M. and 2 P.M. to 5 P.M. on
Saturdays and Sundays to be completed over a
period of 10 weeks
- Fees:** Rupees 15,000 only [inclusive of course material,
lunch and tea/coffee]

Commencement: 9th August 2008

Last date for Enrollment 15th July 2008

Course Coordinator : Ruchika Sachdev

For enquiries contact

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About the course:

Objectives:

The participants will develop:

- Understanding of the concept of Learning Disabilities
- An awareness of problems of students with Learning Disabilities
- Skills in screening out children 'at risk' for Learning Disabilities
- Skills in intervention of students with Learning Disabilities
- Skills in advocacy

Content:

- Concept of Learning Disabilities
- Theoretical perspectives in understanding Learning Disabilities
- Assessment and Screening
- Intervention (3 R's)
- Trends and Issues
- Advocacy

Practicum:

- Case study
- Preparing an Individualized Education Plan (IEP)
- Visit to a centre for Learning Disabilities
- Observation of lessons

Faculty:

The course will be conducted by faculty from **Centre of Special Education, S.N.D.T.** and other experienced professionals in the field of Learning Disabilities.

Special features of the course:

- Specialized Skill Training
- Interactive Sessions
- Workshops
- “Hands on” Training
- Resources
- Course material
- Internal assessments
- Certification from Centre of Special Education, S.N.D.T.

Payment:

Payment will be accepted through a demand draft or Cheque in the name of Lakshya Centre for Learning Disabilities.

Lakshya Centre for Learning Disabilities
and
Centre of Special Education
SNDT Women's University, Mumbai

**CERTIFICATE COURSE
IN
EDUCATION OF STUDENTS WITH LEARNING DISABILITES**

APPLICATION FORM

- To be filled in by each candidate
- Form may be copied to facilitate applications from more than one candidate from each institution.

1.

Name: _____

Residential Address: _____

Telephone: _____ Mobile: _____

E-mail address: _____

Educational qualifications: _____

Professional qualifications: _____

II A- if a professional in the field of Special Education kindly fill in:

Name of Institution: _____ Designation : _____

Address : _____ Tel. No. _____

Years of Service: _____ classes or levels taught: _____

Brief description of work: _____

II B: if a mother of a child with Learning Disability please fill in:

1. Are you working? Yes No

2. If yes then-

3. Name of the organization: _____

Designation: _____

Address: _____ Tel. No. _____

Years of service:

4. What is your child's specific disability? : _____

5. Age of Child: _____

6. Diagnosed in _____ by _____

7. Attending School: _____ class: _____

8. Nature of difficulties faced in school: _____

9: Does your child receive remedial help? Yes No

if yes, then

Name of organization/ individual who does the remedial work: _____

II C if 'any other' please fill in:

1. Are you working? Yes No

2. If yes then-

Name of organization _____ Designation _____

3. Years of service: _____ Nature of work _____

III . In a few words describe the reasons why you would like to attend the programme:

Date: _____

Signature: _____

Details of the DD or Cheque:

Cheque/DD Number: _____

Drawn on _____