

**WEST RUSK CCISD
DYSLEXIA PROGRAM ANNUAL REPORT
2017 - 2018 SCHOOL YEAR**

The following report reflects services provided to dyslexic students by West Rusk Independent School District during the 2017-2018 school year.

District Support for the Dyslexia Program

Our district continues to participate in the Professional Development Cooperative at Region VII Education Service Center to stay informed about dyslexia services. This enables our dyslexia teacher to stay abreast of current curriculum, as well as developmental and instructional strategies needed to remain in compliance with state guidelines for dyslexic services. Our dyslexia teacher received extensive training at the Luke Waites Center for Dyslexia at the Texas Scottish Rite Hospital for Children in Dallas. She has been trained to use several diagnostic instruments for the identification of dyslexic tendencies in school age children. These diagnostic instruments greatly aid in the identification of students who display characteristics of dyslexia and fit the dyslexic profile. This, in turn, enables our district to better identify and serve dyslexic students through our dyslexia program.

Parental-Guardian Notification

We provide on-going information to parents and guardians of students who are served through our district's dyslexia program. Informational packets about dyslexia are available for all parents during Meet-The-Teacher-Night in August. Parents are encouraged to conference with our dyslexia teacher during the school year and during the course of the year, we make additional materials available to them. The materials broaden everyone's understanding of our program. We strive to enable our students' families to understand the many facets of dyslexia.

Curriculum and Instruction

Students in grades 2-5 are served through the Scottish Rite Reading Program, the Rite Flight Curriculum, and Anita Archer's Phonics for Reading program. Mrs. Elliott monitors Junior High and High School students. As needed, they receive priority instruction in reading and/or English. Accommodations are provided as indicated on students' 504 service plans.

Student/Program Demographic Overview

During the 2017/2018 school year West Rusk CCISD served seventy dyslexic students enrolled in grades 2 through 12. There were fourteen referrals for screening during the school year. All students tested were enrolled at the Elementary and Intermediate campuses. Four students qualified for our dyslexia program. Twenty-nine percent of the students tested qualified for dyslexia services. Two additional students qualified for other services.

Dyslexic Students by Grade Level 2017-2018

2 nd Grade – 6 students	5 th Grade – 10 students	8 th Grade – 6 students	11 th Grade – 6 students
3 rd Grade – 3 students	6 th Grade – 5 students	9 th Grade – 8 students	12 th Grade – 13 students
4 th Grade – 7 students	7 th Grade – 5 students	10 th Grade – 1 student	

2018 Reading STAAR, English I EOC, or English II EOC Results by Grade Level

3 rd Grade – 67% passing rate (2/3 students)	4 th Grade – 86% passing rate (6/7 students)
5 th Grade – 80% passing rate (8/10 students)	6 th Grade – 40% passing rate (2/5 students)
7 th Grade – 40% passing rate (2/5 students)	8 th Grade – 83% passing rate (5/6 students)
9 th Grade – 38% passing rate (3/8 students)	
English I EOC 10 th Grade – 100% passing rate (1/1 students)	
English II EOC 11 th Grade – 50% passing rate (3/6 students)	
English II EOC 12 th Grade – 100% passing rate (13/13 students)	

All seniors passed English I EOC and English II EOC

****One student still needs to pass English I EOC****