

The Dyslexia Guild

The Professional Association for Specialist Teachers, Practitioners and Assessors

The Dyslexia Guild is a network of professionals who are keen to maintain contact and further their specialist teaching, assessment and support for those with dyslexia and other literacy difficulties. The Guild aims to promote discussion, information and research as well as keeping members informed of developments in the field through publication and distribution.

Who is it for?

The Dyslexia Guild is open to all those with a professional or general interest in dyslexia. Professional members hold designatory letters and include primary and secondary teachers, SENCo's and teaching assistants as well as Further and Higher Education support tutors and advisory specialists. Our network is also highly relevant to dyslexia and specific learning disability assessors, librarians and other specialists through Affiliate membership.

Member Benefits

- **Designatory Letters**

Post nominal letters (ADG, ADG FE/HE, or MDG) are available to registered members who are specialist teachers, student support tutors or specialist assessors. Fellowship (FDG) is also available to qualified, experienced professionals who have held the MDG grade for one year and meet Fellow criteria.

- **Member Website and Forums**

The Guild Member's website provides a wealth of information, including an online platform where you can message other members and experts about topics of interest. The forums include subject-specific threads about working with Adults, Assessment and the Assessment Practising Certificate (APC), as well as Exam Access Arrangements.

- **Library membership**

The Guild provides its members with a broad range of information relating to Dyslexia and SpLDs through its online library. The National Dyslexia Resource Centre library holds hardcopy resources and assessment materials can be borrowed by those who hold relevant qualifications and are based in the UK. It also provides a unique collection, covering the fields of Dyslexia and other co-occurring difficulties, through eBooks and eJournals from internationally recognised publishers, all accessible by members 24 hours a day.

- **The Dyslexia Review**

This is the journal of the Dyslexia Guild and is published twice a year for members and other subscribers. The Review provides topical articles and academic features on recent research and areas of interest to those working with learners with dyslexia and specific learning difficulties. Dyslexia Review back issues and other related media are available electronically to all members.

- **Members' Directory** is a list of those who have full membership at Associate FE/HE, Associate, Member or Fellow levels. A great place to advertise your details to those seeking tuition or assessment or study skills support.
- **The Guild Gallery** is an electronic newsletter with topical information on research, courses, publications, continuing professional development and events and is sent to readers four times a year..
- **Assessment Practising Certificate (APC)** for those carrying out assessments and who wish to be registered with the SpLD Assessment Standards Committee (SASC).
- **The Dyslexia Guild Annual Summer Conference** is a vibrant networking event for members and non-members. The Conference explores current and topical areas relating to the field of Dyslexia and SpLD and provides an exhibition of specialist suppliers, all at a preferential rate to members.
- **Dyslexia Action Training** offers a range of online training courses and events suitable for Guild members on current practice and research, some available to Dyslexia Guild members at a reduced rate. See: dyslexiaaction.org.uk
- **Preferential discounts** on selected courses, networking events such as our conference, DELL Computers, the **Dyslexia Action Shop:** dyslexiaactionsop.co.uk and **Professional Indemnity Insurance** are offered to our members.

Join us today

To join the Guild, apply online through the website: dyslexiaguild.org.uk or for more details contact guild@dyslexiaaction.org.uk

Annual subscription rates:

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