

TrainIn

Center-based Applied Verbal Behavior Program

TrainIn is a center-based program which uses the research of Applied Behavior Analysis (ABA) and Applied Verbal Behavior (AVB). The goal of this program is to create cooperative and willing learners, and help children to understand and use language for functional and social communication. Specifically designed for those with a diagnosis of autism spectrum disorders or for children who are experiencing other language and learning challenges, TrainIn is an intensive renewable four-week program, with 2½ hours of intervention per day, 5 days per week, and includes both table and natural environment teaching. Specific to our TrainIn program is the use of the Kaufman Speech-to-Language Protocol (K-SLP) for those children who struggle with vocal and/or unintelligible spoken communication.

Programs are specifically designed to target areas of challenge as identified by informal assessments and standardized testing. Each child's intervention plan and individual teaching assistant is overseen by a Speech Language Pathologist and Board Certified Behavior Analyst. The children have many opportunities for interactional communication throughout play areas of the classroom and in their own sensory-motor gym. Parents and their support team may observe, to become familiar with the teaching procedures.

In addition to one-on-one intervention, tuition also includes the following:

- Two individual one-hour parent conferences: the first to discuss start-up goals and objectives; the second to discuss gains and recommend follow-up goals and objectives.
- One group parent meeting to provide general information on speech, language, and communication development or on the principles and teaching procedures associated with ABA/AVB.
- A summary report providing initial assessment results, intervention gains, and suggested continued treatment goals.
- One hour of follow-up consultation time via conferences, DVDs, phone, or e-mail.

Supplementary programming, including individual speech and language intervention, occupational therapy, and sensory integration at our center, and/or training and consultations for an in-home AVB program as a part of our HomeRun program is also available at additional cost.

For more information about this program and how it may benefit your child, we invite you to contact us by phone at (248) 737-3430, via e-mail at programs@kidspeech.com with a visit to our website at kidspeech.com.