

Fast ForWord®

Fast ForWord® is a computer-based program designed for children who have difficulty with speed of processing, auditory discrimination, working memory, processing morphemes (word elements), following complex and lengthy directions, and understanding spoken conversation. Through intensive, adaptive exercises, this program develops and strengthens brain processing efficiency and the cognitive skills essential for learning, language, and reading success.

The Fast ForWord® program develops and strengthens memory, attention, processing rate, and sequencing. The strengthening of these skills results in a wide range of improved critical language and reading skills such as phonological awareness, phonemic awareness, fluency, vocabulary, comprehension, decoding, working memory, syntax, grammar, and other skills necessary to learn how to build language processing, receptive language, and the foundations for reading success.

Your child may benefit from the Fast ForWord® program if you observe the following:

- Says “huh?” or “what?” too often
- Frequently misunderstand what you say
- Needs to have instructions or requests repeated
- Has slow or delayed responses
- Has problems finding the right words
- Seems reluctant to engage in conversation

The gains children achieve are lasting; the result of enduring positive changes in their processing skills and learning capacity. Many children with language problems realize gains of 1½ years in just 4-8 weeks of experiencing this research-based, brain training program, available to children 5-16 years old.

For more information about the science - and success - of the Fast ForWord Family of Products, please contact Diane Nancarrow, M.A., CCC/SLP at (248) 737-3430, by e-mail at dianen@kidspeech.com, or visit our website at kidspeech.com. For more information regarding research, results, and success at home and school, visit scilearn.com.