

Does your Child Struggle with Handwriting?

~Handwriting Summer Group~

July 10th - Aug 14th 2018

Tuesday 9:45-10:45 am or 11:00-12:00 pm

Active Physical Therapy

2516 Route 35, Manasquan, NJ

- Structured, small group setting instructed by an Occupational Therapist
- Based on the award winning *Handwriting Without Tears* program designed to address letter formation, sizing, spacing, orientation, legibility, reversals and speed
- Group session (one hour per week) for 6 weeks

Group Classes:

- PLAY & PREP: Ages 4-6 years, focuses on pre-writing, capital letters & numbers
- PLAY & PRINT: Ages 6-8 years, focuses on lower case letters, words & sentences
- PLAY & WRITE: Ages 8-10 years, focuses on cursive, speed & creative writing
- Functional Writing: Ages 10-14 years, focuses on cursive signature, completing simple job applications, check writing, days of the week & months of the year

Sessions Include:

- Handwriting workbook
- Direct training in handwriting skills
- Proper pencil grip and desk posture review
- Fine motor strengthening and coordination
- Sensory motor exercise and movement
- Weekly homework & parent training
- Multi-sensory approach to learning
- Games, music and fun activities!

~Total cost for 6 week program is \$315~

Participation Guidelines; Child MUST...

- Be somewhat independent & able to function in a small group of 4-6 peers without one on one support.
- Be able to sit, attend and participate with tabletop activities for 15 minutes at a time.
- Be able to follow verbal directions during large motor movement and fine motor seated tasks.
- Have the ability to smoothly transition between different activities and treatment spaces.

Contact Amy Pearson Forsythe, MS, OTR/L for further information

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