

# *Kankakee Valley School Corporation*

## *Dyslexia Requirements and Report*

Kankakee Valley School Corporation in accordance with Indiana Code 20-35.5, which outlines requirements for schools related to supporting students with learning characteristics related to dyslexia, will provide dyslexia screening and intervention. Students in Kindergarten, Grade 1, and Grade 2 must be screened annually for risk factors of dyslexia using a screening tool approved by the Indiana Department of Education.

KVSC will utilize a universal screener approved by the Indiana Department of Education that includes indicators for dyslexia that include:

- A. Phonological and phonemic awareness
- B. Sound symbol recognition
- C. Alphabet knowledge
- D. Decoding skills
- E. Rapid naming skills
- F. Encoding skills

If a student is determined to be at risk, or at some risk, for dyslexia following this screening, a Level I dyslexia screening will be administered. If a student's dyslexia screening indicates the need for dyslexia intervention services for the student, the dyslexia intervention may include one or more of the following:

- A. Explicit, direct instruction that is systematic, sequential, and cumulative and follows a logical plan of presenting the alphabetic principle that targets the specific needs of the student without presuming prior skills or knowledge of the student;
- B. individualized instruction to meet the specific needs of the student in a setting that uses intensive, highly concentrated instruction methods and materials that maximize student engagement;
- C. meaning-based instruction directed at purposeful reading and writing with an emphasis on comprehension and composition;
- D. instruction that incorporates the simultaneous and use of two or more sensory pathways during teacher presentations and student practice; and
- E. other instructional approaches as determined appropriate by KVSC.

<b>Kankakee Valley School Corporation</b>	<b>2023-2024</b>
<b>Dyslexia Intervention Program Used</b>	<b>NWEA Fluency</b>
<b>The Number of Students Who Received Dyslexia Intervention</b>	<b>27</b>
<b>Total Number of Students Identified as Being at Risk for Dyslexia</b>	<b>27</b>
<b>Total Number of Students Officially Diagnosed with Dyslexia</b>	<b>0</b>