

Davis Dyslexia Facilitator Post-graduate licensing

Our professional training is rooted in our philosophy of embracing neurodiversity, respecting every individual, nurturing growth, and building on strengths to overcome challenges.

This training stream is for licensed Davis Dyslexia Facilitators who are keen to extend their practice and become a licensed Davis Autism and Concepts for Life Facilitator, in order to create inspiring change for individuals with autism, as well as those with executive functioning challenges.

The Post-graduate Licensing Training is a comprehensive training stream, taking into account the existing level of knowledge and expertise you already possess as a licensed Davis Dyslexia Facilitator.

The Davis Dyslexia Post-graduate Training pathway builds on your existing skill-set, with the knowledge, experience and skills required to become a licensed Davis Autism and Concepts for Life Facilitator. As a trainee, you will participate in a practical workshop, complete written assignments and work with individuals during practicums, under the supportive guidance of your personal supervisor.



Pre-requisites

- Currently a licensed Davis Dyslexia Facilitator
- Prior attendance of a Motivation and Responsibility workshop
- Thorough study of the "Nurturing the Seed of Genius workshop" manual and "Autism and the Seeds of Change" by Abigail Marshall with Ronald D. Davis

Training Structure

Step 1: Workshop

There are two workshop options available for trainees in this training stream:

- Option 1: Davis Life Concepts for Autism Workshop (5 days)
 Introduction to the Core Principles and Concepts of the Davis Autism Approach
 Followed by specialized sessions covering Nurturing the Seeds of Genius theory and methods (1 day)
 Cost contact: admin@rdautismfoundation.org
- Option 2: Nurturing the Seed of Genius Workshop (5 days)
 Introduction to the Core Principles and Concepts of the Davis Autism Approach
 Cost \$1595

Step 2: Field Assignment 1

Practice concepts for self (40-60 hours. Due within 6 months) Cost \$1100

In keeping with our belief that "all real knowledge is experiential", you will create all of the Concepts covered in the workshop and explore them in your daily life; photos of these along with your written reflections will be submitted for feedback. You will also complete and document the Establishing Order and Responsibility Exercises and submit your reflections on the process.

You will have up to 3 hours email, phone or video consultation time with an experienced Davis Autism Approach Supervisor throughout this assignment plus written feedback on your reports and reflections.

Step 3: Practicum 2

Conduct two full programs with individuals, who are on the autism spectrum (up to 200 hours. Due within 1 year)

Cost \$1500

In your own professional practice setting, provide at least two complete Davis Autism Approach Programs with individuals on the autism spectrum. You will receive up to 5 hours of supervision and mentoring from an experienced DAA Supervisor, including regular video meetings and feedback on video segments or live links of your work. Case reports of each program must be submitted for review, evaluation and feedback.





Step 4: Field Assignment 3 (10-20 hours. Due within 2 months)

Cost \$300

Present in writing or video some simple explanations - as if speaking to a prospective client/ parent/ caregiver about the various aspects of the Davis Autism Approach and Concepts for Life principles and methods.

NOTE: Any of the training steps may require repeating and in some cases a trainee may be asked to do a personal Concepts Program prior to continuing.

Annual license fee: \$500 for the first year (pro-rated if licensing part way through the year), \$750 thereafter

Annual renewal criteria

Client list and completed research questionnaires along with one case report per annum for the first two years of licensing; followed by periodic submissions of case reports for quality assurance upon request of DAI. Should a second case study be required, a reading fee of \$150 will be charged per case study submitted.

Professional Development Requirement

It is expected that all licensed Facilitators keep up to date with current developments in autism and are required to undergo professional development annually. All Facilitators are required to attend a Davis Autism workshop on working with non-verbal autistics and the very young within two years of licensing.

Please note all costs and fees are in US Dollars.





License benefits:

In addition to being part of a worldwide community, supporting each other, and working together to create inspiring change in the world of autism, you will receive:

- Your business listing on Ron Davis Autism Foundation website.
- Referrals of program enquiries received by Ron Davis Autism Foundation.
- Right to use Davis trademarks in promotion and advertising the Davis Autism Approach Program and Davis Concepts for Life program.
- Right to print copyrighted marketing materials created by Ron Davis Autism Foundation.
- Right to purchase specialized Davis Autism and Concepts for Life materials from authorized vendors.
- Regular professional development opportunities offered by Ron Davis Autism Foundation.
- Subscription to Davis Autism Approach and Concepts for Life Facilitator network for peer support and advice.
- Periodic e-newsletters & technical updates/bulletins from Ron Davis Autism Foundation.
- Consultation with Davis Autism Approach and Concepts for Life Supervisors as needed.
- Right to offer NOIT supervision to families of non-verbal autistic individuals.

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