



# TAKE FLIGHT

A COMPREHENSIVE INTERVENTION  
FOR STUDENTS WITH DYSLEXIA

## RESEARCH AT A GLANCE

### Fast Facts:

- Industry standard, one-on-one or small group dyslexia intervention for children 7 and older.
- Two-year program grounded in previous Scottish Rite curricula.
- Incorporates the five scientifically proven components of effective reading instruction:
  - Phonemic awareness
  - Phonics
  - Fluency
  - Vocabulary
  - Reading comprehension
- Taught by an Academic Language Therapist with two years of specialized dyslexia training.

**Research Purpose:** Assess *Take Flight* intervention effectiveness in children with dyslexia

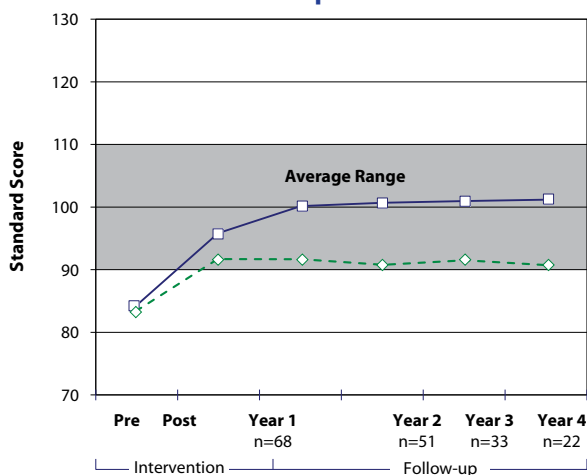
### Participants:

- Seven consecutive graduating groups from Scottish Rite’s Dyslexia Laboratory School.
- Students were tested before and after the two-year intervention and followed annually for up to four years after treatment.

### Results:

- Students who completed *Take Flight* showed significant growth in target skills.
- Students with the lowest reading skills improved the most with *Take Flight* instruction.
- Follow-up research shows students maintained word reading skills and continued to grow in reading comprehension skills during the four years after completing the intervention.
- Additional research in public schools showed comparable student growth in response to *Take Flight* taught by educators with advanced training in learning disorder treatment.

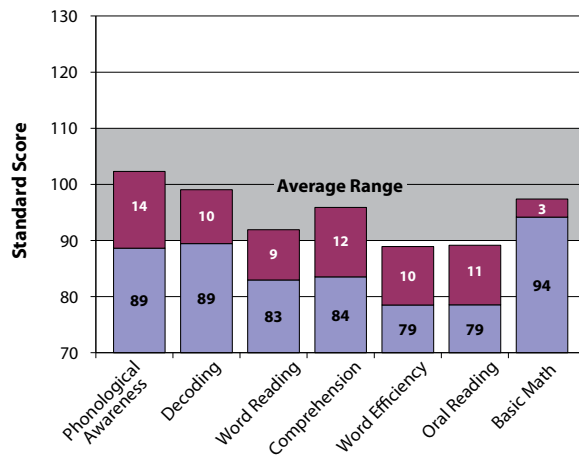
**Follow-up Evaluation**



Reading Comprehension and Word Recognition Four Years After Treatment

KEY: —□— Reading Comprehension    -◇- Word Recognition

**Take Flight Treatment Effects**



Average Baseline Levels and Gain at Post-test

KEY: ■ Baseline    ■ Growth