Advocacy and Navigation

Ensuring that your child is set up for success can be overwhelming and confusing. **Let us help you find the right path!**

We Can Assist With:

⇒ Navigating the **special education** system
⇒ **Understanding** professional assessments, reports, and diagnoses
⇒ **What to do** if you suspect your child has a learning disability or ADHD

Additional Resources and Information:

⇒ www.ldathome.ca
⇒ www.ldatschool.ca
⇒ www.ldao.ca

For more information, contact us and check us out online and on social media!

Volunteers Needed

Our programs and services would not be possible without the support of our volunteers. Please consider donating your time and skills with us today.

We work with the **A.L.L. for Kids** program which may help cover B.E.S.T., and SOAR program fees. Visit www.chatham-kent.ca/allforkids for more information.

MORE ABOUT US

We are proudly affiliated with LDAO

⇒ We are a **not-for-profit charitable organization** committed to helping individuals reach their full potential.

⇒ **Our mission** is to provide leadership in learning disabilities advocacy, research, education and services and to advance the full participation of children, youth, and adults with learning disabilities in today's society.

OUR PROGRAMS AND SERVICES

• Afterschool tutoring • SOAR (Secondary school preparation course) • B.E.S.T Social Skills • Advocacy, information, and referrals • Resource library

LDAC-K • Learning Disabilities Association of Chatham-Kent

The right to learn, the power to achieve

SUMMER 2025

TUTORING

SOCIAL SKILLS

SOAR

**Room 205
285 McNaughton Avenue, East, Chatham, ON.**

519-352-2024

programs@ldack.org

Call or email today for program registration

Tutoring

2-WEEK PROGRAM
Monday – Thursday
8:30am – 11:30am OR 12:30pm – 3:30pm
- **Session #1:** July 7 - 17
- **Session #2:** July 21 - 31
- **Session #3:** August 11 - 21

Program Fee: $300; $50 discount for each additional child per family

- 📌 This program **gives special attention to academic needs**, one-to-one learning environment for elementary students
- 📌 **Subject areas:** reading and comprehension, writing, spelling, and math
- 📌 Provides an opportunity to identify individual learning strategies, **develop academic, organizational and study skills**
- 📌 Each **personalized program** is delivered in a positive environment that promotes and encourages praise, recognition, and self-confidence

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PLEASE NOTE: A minimum non-refundable **payment of $80 is required for all program registration. Full payment due by program start date.**

A SPECIAL NOTE TO OUR COMMUNITY:
If you are interested in any of our programs but are experiencing financial difficulties, we may be able to provide a solution for you. **Contact us for further details.**

SOAR

SOme Assembly Required

2-WEEK PROGRAM
Monday – Thursday
Time: 12:30pm – 2:30pm
Dates: August 11 - 21
Program Fee: $200

Is your child prepared for high school? Do they have the skills they need to succeed, and understand their strengths and needs? Have they learned to advocate for themselves?

- ☺ SOAR is a program for students **grades 7-8** to learn skills to assist in a **smooth transition into secondary school**
- ☺ Through **activities, projects, and discussions as a group, students will learn specific strategies for:** homework completion, completing assignments/presentations/etc., time management, goal setting, class transitions, and organization
- ☺ **Other topics will include** self-advocacy, career choices and job success, types of learning disabilities, **and more!**

B.E.S.T.
Social Skills

Better Emotional and Social Times

2-WEEK PROGRAM
Monday – Thursday
Dates: July 21 - 31
Younger Group: 8:30am – 10:00am
Older Group: 12:30pm – 2:00pm
Program Fee: $150

- 👥 **Elementary-aged students** learn and improve upon their social skills in **a safe and welcoming environment**
- 👥 Supportive environment **encourages friendship and the development of positive social behaviors**
- 👥 Sessions incorporate games, role play activities, discussion, and modeling
- 👥 **Topics may include** bullying, internet safety, conversation skills, making and maintaining friends, dealing with anger/coping strategies, joining into a group, sportsmanship, **and more!**

We would like to thank our generous funders for making our programs possible.