

The Alabama Branch of the International Dyslexia Association

Announces

New Parent Membership Fee and Benefits

To

The International Dyslexia Association

The International Dyslexia Association (IDA) promotes literacy through research, education and advocacy. The IDA's purpose is to pursue and provide the most comprehensive range of information and services to address the full scope of dyslexia and related difficulties in learning to read and write.

As an IDA parent member, you will be provided with a vast amount of information, a network of support with experts and educators as well as access to a community of other parents and family members who face similar challenges on a daily basis.

For \$45.00 a year, your membership includes at the IDA level:

- An Interactive Online Community – an interactive social network
- Dyslexia Connection E-Newsletter – an electronic newsletter written just for parents
- Educational Scholarships – IDA will award five \$1,000 scholarships annually to children of parent members to offset the cost of tuition for students of dyslexia
- Perspectives - an official publication of IDA electronically featuring articles on the identification and intervention of dyslexia and other reading problems
- Special members-only discounts on IDA publications purchased through the online bookstore
- Discounted annual national conference fee
- Travel discounts to IDA members through Avis
- Insurance discounts through Liberty Mutual
- Annals of Dyslexia – a semi-annual interdisciplinary electronic journal dedicated to the scientific study of dyslexia and related language disabilities.

At the state level membership benefits include:

- Discounts on all workshops and conferences offered within the state
- Bi-annual newsletters highlighting events and instructional practices around the state
- ALIDA website announcing events and providing information regarding dyslexia
- The availability of seven regional education groups across the state.

A brochure is available electronically by clicking on this link:

http://www.idaalabama.org/PDFS/Parent_Membership_Brochure_Final.pdf

Please consider a parent membership with IDA. You are able to join by visiting the IDA website at

<https://www.interdys.org/olssecure/JoinorRenew.aspx>

We look forward to seeing you at our workshops, conferences, and regional education groups.