5 Clues
To Recognizing Dyslexia

1

Difficulty Rhyming

Children with dyslexia have a hard time hearing rhymes and making rhymes.

2

Consistently Inconsistent Reading

It is common for a child with dyslexia to show inconsistencies in their oral reading. One day, they may seem like they "have it" and the next day the text can seem brand new and difficult to read. Parents or teachers often think, "We just learned this!? You did this yesterday!?"

3

Writing & Spelling Are Hard

Writing can feel laborious and exhausting. Hearing sounds and placing them in the correct order to spell is very difficult and inconsistent.

4

Struggles With Word Retrieval

Even when it is familiar information, retrieving the words rapidly and presnting them orally in the correct order can be hard. You may hear lots of "thingys" and "ums" in conversation or other hesitations.

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Challenges Memorizing Information

Memorizing math facts and sight words is a real challenge. Producing these pieces of information on demand is even more difficult.