

**Assessments and tuition for dyslexia/dyscalculia –**

**some possible contacts and providers**

* Patoss (Professional Association of Teachers of Students with Specific   
  Learning Difficulties) – hold a national index of qualified dyslexia tutors   
  and assessors <https://www.patoss-dyslexia.org/>
* British Dyslexia Association <http://www.bdadyslexia.org.uk/>
* National Dyslexia Network <https://ndnetwork.org/>
* Leicestershire Dyslexia Association <http://ldadyslexia.org.uk/>
* Some local providers known to the Specialist Teaching Service:

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The suggestions are not exhaustive and there are many providers therefore it is recommended that schools and colleges carry out their own market research

A specialist assessor of dyslexia should have the following qualifications and /or status:

* a Level 7 Post-Grad qualification in assessing and teaching learners with Specific Learning Difficulties/dyslexia and hold a current Assessing Practising Certificate (APC) from a professional association such as PATOSS (Professional Association of Teachers of Students with Specific Learning Difficulties) or BDA (British Dyslexia Association). Some assessors also have Associate Member of the British Dyslexia Association status.

See SASC (SpLD Assessment Standards Committee) http://www.sasc.org.uk