

Our Kids Club Offers an array of social skills classes for children with special needs ages 3-16. These small, structured classes were designed in three phases:

Explain- The preparation phase, in which visual schedules are used to explain the sequence of activities for each activity in each session.

Experience- During this phase learners will engage in activities as specified in the schedule provided.

Express- This final phase ends each session with a review of the activities practiced.



Kids Club

Exciting activities offered in classes:

- Cooking Creations
- Cool Crafts
- Fitness Fun
- Yoga and Meditation
- Sibling Success
- Pals at Play
- Lets Be Social
- Brainy Science Experiences

Community Outreach Services

- Parent Support Groups
- Parent Training
- Home and School Consultation

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Visit our website for more information on each of the classes we offer.



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**Enriching the lives of
children with special
needs.**

Offering an array of social skills classes

Pals at Play

This beginner playgroup was designed for children with special needs ages 3 1/2 - 5. Activities in this group include, circle time, simple game play, obstacle course, music, and cooking. This class focuses on strengthening language and communication, improving attention to task, developing social skills, and building early friendships. It's perfect for learners who are preparing to transition from home instruction to school.

Lets Be Social

This intermediate playgroup was designed for children with special needs ages 8 - 12. Activities in this group focus on teaching specific social skills. Social stories and video modeling will be used to teach each lesson and learners will be provided with opportunities to role-play and practice each specific target skill. This group will also focus on enhancing game skills, such as; turn taking, following game rules, dealing with losing and sharing with peers. Conversational language will be encouraged during the "meet and greet" segment. At this time, the instructor will use conversation starters and topics of interest to help facilitate peer interaction and reciprocal conversation skills. Social language skills are also facilitated through science, cooking, and other team building activities.

Building Buddies

This playgroup was designed for children with special needs ages 6 - 8. Activities in this group include, meet and greet, conversation starters, table games, obstacle course, team building activities, cooking, science and more. This class focuses on strengthening language and communication, improving attention to task, developing social skills, and building early friendships. Social skills are taught through video modeling, social stories, role-play and instructional feedback.

Learning For Life

This group was designed for older students with developmental challenges, starting at age 10. Learning for life, not only encourages fun in the kitchen, but focuses on teaching daily living skills and promotes independence and self-confidence. The first segment of each session focuses on a specific recipe, which is displayed for the learners in picture and written form. The students will identify ingredients, utilize simple measuring utensils, follow recipes, learn kitchen safety and practice food preparation skills. The second segment of this class focuses on daily living skills, fitness, and playing games. Functional communication and other social interactions are encouraged throughout all activities.



New Mommy & Me

This group is intended for children ages 2-3 years old. Designed to introduce "little ones" to play skills and early peer interactions. Activities include circle time, parachute, arts and crafts and music and movement.

