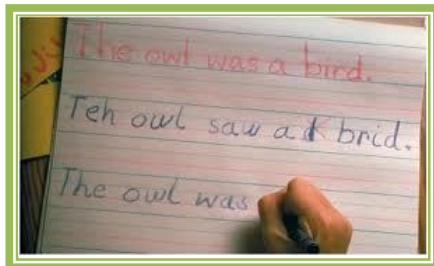




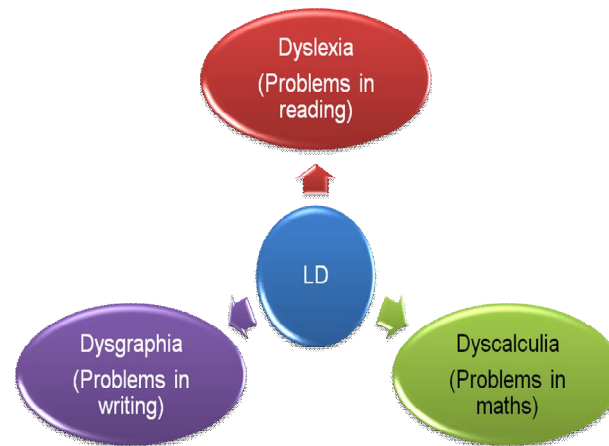
- ✚ **Learning Disability (LD)** is a group of disorders which cause specific problems in reading, writing, speaking and/or mathematics in children.
- ✚ There is a discrepancy between the child's ability and performance



### Look for difficulties in....

- ✚ Writing
- ✚ Reading
- ✚ Listening
- ✚ Speaking clearly
- ✚ Speaking appropriate to age
- ✚ Learning new words
- ✚ Memory
- ✚ Left-right confusions

## SUBTYPES



### The above problems could be due to difficulties in...

- ✚ Auditory processing or
- ✚ Visual processing or
- ✚ Cognitive skills or
- ✚ All of the above

## EARLY SIGNS

**LD can be detected at during the PRESCHOOL age through the following signs...**

### Oral language

- ✚ Speak late
- ✚ Have baby talk beyond 5 years of age
- ✚ Find difficulties in naming/learning new words
- ✚ Have problems describing events, narrating stories

### Early reading

- ✚ Difficulty in saying rhymes
- ✚ Difficulty in holding book appropriately
- ✚ Difficulty in understanding logos/symbols
- ✚ Avoidance to reading and writing activities

### Cognition

- ✚ Memory problems
- ✚ Attention problems
- ✚ Difficulties in understanding their mistakes and making self-corrections