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## **Consultation Agreement**

I understand that the consulting done by Julie Holcomb will determine whether or not my child fits the dyslexic profile, but it will NOT qualify my child for Special Education services or a 504 Plan in the public school system.

I know that Julie Holcomb is NOT in the medical field. Dyslexia is NOT considered a medical condition. Julie Holcomb does not accept medical insurance as payment for screening. Medical insurance does not cover anything having to do with dyslexia because dyslexia is not considered a medical condition.

I know that Julie Holcomb is NOT a psychologist, and that Julie Holcomb will not be conducting an intelligence test or any of the normed standardized tests typically required to qualify for special education services or to receive a formal diagnosis of Reading Disorder or Learning Disability.

**This process is **not** intended for use in determining eligibility for school-based intervention. The report is not intended to be shared with your public school site. Ms. Holcomb is in no way acting on behalf of any school district.**

However, the dyslexia consultation process will determine, with a high degree of accuracy, whether or not my child fits the classic profile of dyslexia, and if so, it will reveal which type of research-based intervention (tutoring) is needed. I know it will be my responsibility (and not the school's) to provide that type of tutoring. A list of classroom accommodations will also be provided.

I know this consultant specializes solely in dyslexia. If my child has more than just dyslexia, the consultant will not be able to identify any additional conditions he/she may have.

The results cannot be used in a court of law or to force someone else to pay for tutoring.

I will pay for the consultation personally. I want the following service (circle one):

- Consultation plus CTOPPS, \$600 (\$300 due with return of this form.)
- Consultation plus Screening Tests plus short Written Report, \$850.00 (\$425 due with the return of this form.)

Enclosed is the initial deposit of \$ \_\_\_\_\_. The remaining half is due at the beginning of the final meeting.

I have also enclosed:

- † Copies of all report cards, starting at Kindergarten
- † Copies of all prior testing, including:
  - Special Education eligibility reports, the IEP itself (if issued),
  - Student Study Team reports (may have other names)
  - Progress reports from Reading Specialist
  - Any speech-language assessments or reports
- † Copies of all independent testing reports, including:
  - Speech-language reports
  - Occupational Therapy (OT) reports
  - Vision testing or therapy reports
  - Auditory Processing testing or therapy reports
  - Testing done by any tutoring center
  - Progress reports from any tutor or tutoring center
- † 3 current schoolwork samples including at least:
  - 2 composition assignments (written with no help from teachers or parents)
  - 1 spelling test or spelling activity

If necessary, Julie Holcomb has my permission to share those records with one colleague, Susan Barton, solely for the purpose of determining whether my child needs a different type of evaluation.

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Parent's signature

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Date