

Characteristics of Dysgraphia Checklist

- ☐ Slow or labored written work
- ☐ Poor formation of letters
- ☐ Improper letter slant
- ☐ Poor pencil grip
- ☐ Inadequate pressure during handwriting
 - ☐ too hard
 - ☐ too soft
- ☐ Excessive erasures
- ☐ Poor spacing between words
- ☐ Poor spacing inside words
- ☐ Inability to recall accurate orthographic patterns for words
- ☐ “b” and “d” reversals beyond developmentally appropriate time
- ☐ Inability to copy words accurately
- ☐ Inability of student to read what was previously written
- ☐ Overuse of short familiar words such as “big”
- ☐ Avoidance of written tasks
- ☐ Difficulty with visual-motor integrated sports or activities
- ☐ Impaired handwriting
- ☐ Illegible handwriting
- ☐ Impaired handwriting that interferes with
 - ☐ spelling
 - ☐ written expression
- ☐ Difficulty with unedited written spelling
- ☐ Low volume of written output