



Autism is a complex brain disorder that affects over 2 million Americans. It impacts how a person thinks, learns and experiences the world.

AUTISM & LEARNING

OVERVIEW

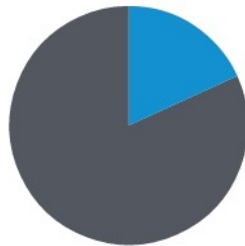


STATISTICS

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) estimates that 1 in 68 children in multiple communities in the United States has been identified with autism spectrum disorder (ASD)



ASD is almost five times more common among boys than girls: 1 in 42 boys versus 1 in 189 girls.



If you suspect that your child may have ASD:

- Talk to your child's doctor about your concerns.
- At the same time, call your local early intervention program or school system for a free evaluation.
- It's never too late to get help for your child.

DIAGNOSIS & LEARNING



Children cannot outgrow autism, but studies show that it is treatable with early diagnosis and early intervention. Here's what to look for:

EARLY SIGNS



Lack of or spontaneous play



Lack of or delay in spoken language



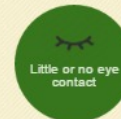
Fixation on parts of objects



Lack of interest in peer relationships



Repetitive use of language and/or motor movements



Little or no eye contact



If you or your child with autism needs help, let us see how we can help you or your family. Check out our website at:

www.childrensacademyct.com

