Learning Disability

* Dysfunction in the processing of information found in language based activities
* Have average to above average intelligence
* Have a difficult time learning how to read, write ,and /or do math
* Biggest category represented in special education

Educational Problems

* Decoding skills weak
* Difficulty understanding words and word meaning in isolation and in context
* Lack of reasoning skills , generalizing, and comprehension of material
* Some may have fine motor impairments
* Unorganized
* Lack of interest in school

Accommodations and Modifications

* Break apart large assignments into meaningful chunks
* Clearly state directions and clarify
* Provide multiple modalities of learning