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Spectrum Social Group Enrollment and Tuition Rates

About Spectrum's Social Skills Groups:

Spectrum offers group experiences for clients seeking to improve their skills, knowledge and abilities in the social world including home, community, work and school.

Spectrum's groups are offered as either one hour or two hour groups. The length of the group is based on the content and intent of the group. Any group that includes community based instruction (travel in the community) will be a two hour group. Groups that do all of their work on-site will be one hour groups.

Instructional / Therapeutic Groups – one hour on-site programs focused on instructional and therapeutic interventions for skill acquisition, development and progress in need areas.

Community Based Groups – two hour programs for students who benefit most from instruction, practice, and application of social and daily living skills within natural contexts in the community. These groups are designed for applicants ages 18 and over.

Applicants are offered the group(s) we believe will best meet your needs and help you progress toward your goals based on the information you provide.

You can find more detailed descriptions on our website – spectrumsocial.net

Enrollment:

Spectrum group sessions typically align with the public school calendar as that is the most convenient for the majority of our clients.

Applications may be submitted at any time and will be reviewed as soon as possible after receipt. As a general rule, applicants can expect to receive a reply to their application within one week of submission.

New groups will be formed and will start whenever we have enough applicants working toward the same goals.

Spring 2018 Session Dates:

Spring Session One: January 8th – March 9th

No groups week of Spring Break

Spring Session Two: March 19th – May 25th

Registration and Deposit:

The attached schedule form must be filled out completely and returned even if you have attended sessions at Spectrum in the past to be considered for enrollment.

New Clients: Complete and submit an interest application. After reviewing your application, we will schedule an initial assessment – ONLY if we believe we may have a group suitable for you based on the information you provided. A $100 assessment fee is due on the date of the assessment.

Attendance and Group Schedules:

We work hard to find common times for clients with similar social and learning needs, interests, and abilities to be scheduled together. This is a labor intensive process. To help with the process, please fill every square on the attached schedule. Provide as many possible times and days to allow the most options when scheduling. This significantly increases the chances you will be placed in a group. We may not be able to place you if we cannot accommodate your schedule.

Group work is dependent upon all group members attending as many sessions as possible. When you miss a session, you not only miss the content and work of that week, but your group members miss out on the unique contributions to the learning opportunities you offer the group. It is our belief that you will make the most progress when you are consistently present, so to encourage regular attendance and maintain consistency in group participation and makeup, we offer our groups in session packages.

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SPRING 2018 TUITION RATES

Group Dates:

Spring Session One– begins the week of January 8th and ends the week of March 9th for a total of 9 instructional weeks.

There are **no group** meetings the week of March 12th through 16th during Spring Break.

Spring Session Two– begins the week of March 19h and ends the week of May 21st for a total of 10 instructional weeks.

Tuition Rates
Tuition is due the first day of class and can be paid by cash, check, or credit card. Tuition fees not paid in full the first day of class will be automatically put on our payment plan option at the higher rate.

One hour instructional groups - Tuition is $585 (9 weeks Spring One) and $650 (10 weeks Spring Two)

Two hour community groups - Tuition is $675 (9 weeks Spring One) and $750 (10 weeks Spring Two)

Payment Plan
Families who wish to pay their tuition in smaller payments over the course of the session may use our payment plan option. Spectrum adds a $60 administrative fee for tuition not paid in full the first day to cover the added costs of collections, billing, etc.

One hour instructional groups - Tuition is $645 (9 weeks Spring One) and $710 (10 weeks Spring Two)

Two hour community groups - Tuition is $735 (9 weeks Spring One) and $810 (10 weeks Spring Two)

Social Skills Groups Payment Plan Due Dates and Rates – Spring One 2018		
Payment Due Week of:	ONE Hour Group $645 total	TWO Hour Group $735 total
First Day of Class	$215	$245
February 2nd	$215	$245
March 2nd	$215	$245

Social Skills Groups Payment Plan Due Dates and Rates – Spring Two 2018		
Payment Due Week of:	ONE Hour Group $710 total	TWO Hour Group $810 total
First Day of Class	$250	$270
February 2nd	$250	$270
March 2nd	$210	$270

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Schedule Availability

Return form as soon as possible. Groups are created and scheduled as applications are received.

Please Print Clearly **Date Completed:** _____

Student's Name

Other Contact Name (Legal Guardian / Next of Kin)

Home Phone

Mobile Phone

Email

Age DOB Grade

READ THESE IMPORTANT DETAILS

- Most social groups will be scheduled between 10:00 and 7:00 Monday through Friday. These are approximate times and will be adjusted based on student, teacher and facility availability to accommodate each group. Saturday and Sunday groups available on a limited basis.
- If the student is available for sessions before 1:00, (such as students who work during the evening or are homeschooled) please write this on the schedule (see example below).
- Please be aware that receipt of your schedule preference does not guarantee placement in a group, nor does prior enrollment at Spectrum automatically guarantee space. Group placement is primarily based on matching similar students together for the best possible group interaction and a time when the group can meet together.
- **Please use the following system to fill in every square on the schedule.**
  - **Write a "0"** if the student can absolutely NOT attend during that time.
  - **Write a "1"** if you would like this as a preferred time.
  - **Write a "2"** if this is a possible, but not a preferred time.
- It is important that you be as precise as possible. This part of scheduling is complicated and we rely on the information you provide to us. We will make every attempt to meet your needs. If your schedule changes and you are not available during the time you originally marked it is possible, we may not be able to get you in to a group.
- Those who do not make it into one of the initial groups will be placed on the waiting list and contacted when an opening occurs. We are generally able to place the majority of applicants in groups when we receive applications early.
- **Groups will be scheduled as applications are received. Space in groups is limited.**

Example Schedule Box: "0" indicates the student CANNOT COME

	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri
3:00	0	0	1	1	0
4:30	1	1	1	2	2
5:30	1	0	1	2	2
6:30	2	0	1	2	2

	Mon	**Tues**	**Wed**	**Thurs**	**Fri**
10:00 – 11:00					
11:00 – 12:00					
12:00 – 1:00					
1:00 – 2:00					
2:00 – 3:00					
3:00 – 4:00					
4:00 – 5:00					
5:00 – 6:00					
6:00 – 7:00					
7:00 – 8:00					