



VISION

What is it?

Visual processing is the brain selecting and responding appropriately to visual input. This requires effective visual processing and eye movements.

Problems you may see

- 🚩 Limited eye contact.
- 🚩 Use their finger when reading.
- 🚩 Repeatedly lose their place when copying from the boards.
- 🚩 Struggle to judge distances and bump in to furniture.
- 🚩 Distracted by pictures and people within the room.
- 🚩 Cover their eyes to shield from florescent lighting.
- 🚩 Complain of headaches, rub eyes or squint.

Strategies to help

- 🚩 Use a marker to help them with reading.
- 🚩 Use a typo scope when reading (cut out a window in a piece of card to show only what is needed to be read).
- 🚩 Provide a quiet, soft, comfortable corner or tent that children can use as needed. It should be softly lit and filled with pillows and soft blankets.
- 🚩 When outdoors or in busy environments, allow your child to wear a floppy hat or sunglasses to cut down on visual stimuli.

