

Cool Hands

Let's get ready to write!

Give your child a helping hand on his/her pre-writing skills with our fun, six-session summer program **starting June 13, 2018!**



Who is Eligible to Attend

The group will be held for children ages 5 through 7 who will be entering kindergarten or first grade in August 2018. A copy of the child's IEP/ISP will be required (if applicable) with completed registration form.

Program

Cool Hands is designed to provide intervention by occupational therapists to small groups in order to develop the underlying or foundational skills needed for learning to write. While the therapists do work on printing of letters, this program is not meant to teach handwriting. Some of the skills that will be addressed may include hand strength, finger and hand dexterity, eye-hand coordination, motor planning and visual scanning. Activities may include games, crafts and small group instruction.

Children who may benefit from the group often have difficulty with some or all of the following skills:

- Copying/forming shapes (visual-motor coordination)
- Printing letters with appropriate letter size, baseline placement, and spacing
- Using both hands to complete a task (bilateral coordination)
- Gripping the pencil with a functional grasp
- Manipulating small objects (in-hand manipulation)

When and Where

June 13 through July 25, 2018 | Wednesdays | 8:30 a.m. - 10 a.m. (no session July 4)

Sessions will take place once a week for six weeks, at Easterseals Crossroads main location (52nd and Keystone) at 4740 Kingsway Drive, Indianapolis, IN 46205.

Other Details

All sessions are provided by occupational therapists. Cost of the six-session series is \$169 per child; \$50 deposit is required with completed registration form and balance is due on June 13, 2018.

Contact Karen Kelley at kkelley@eastersealscrossroads.org or 317.479.3236 to register.

**SPOTS ARE FILLING!
SIGN UP TODAY!**



2018 Registration Form

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Child's Name _____

Date of Birth _____

Parents' Names _____

Address _____

City, State, ZIP _____

Phone Numbers (Cell & Home) _____

Emergency Contact Info _____

Grade (as of August 2018) _____ School Attending _____

General Information | My child (please select all that apply):

- likes to color/draw prints letters from memory prints words from memory
 copies shapes copies letters copies words

What concerns or goals do you have regarding your child's hand function or ability to write/draw?

Has your child ever received occupational therapy? Yes No If yes, where? First Steps outpatient school

Does your child enjoy sensory activities, such as finger painting, playing with sand, gluing crafts, etc? Yes No

Can your child follow multi-step directions (i.e., "Get the ball and car" or "Put the ball on the floor and the car on the table?") Yes No

Can your child sit at a table and stay with a group activity for 15-20 minutes? Yes No

If your child has a medical diagnosis or needs accommodations, please list here.

Is there anything else you would like us to know about your child's abilities or skills?

Parent / Guardian Signature

Date

2018 Payment Form

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Child's Name _____

Total cost for the Cool Hands program is \$169 per child. A deposit of \$50 per child is due with registration form; the balance is due the week of June 13, 2018. Limited scholarships are available.

At this time, I would like to pay the following amount:

\$50
deposit only

\$169
full payment

Credit Card Type Visa MasterCard Discover American Express

Card Number _____

Exp. Date _____ CSC # (3 or 4 digit code) _____

Billing Address _____

Printed Name _____

Signature _____

I would like to pay by check; please make check payable to Easterseals Crossroads

I would like to provide my credit card information by phone. Please call me when you receive this form.

Please send registration form, current IEP and payment to:

Easterseals Crossroads
Attn: Karen Kelley
4740 Kingsway Drive
Indianapolis, IN 46205

Phone: 317.479.3246 | Fax: 317.479.3235 | Email: kkelley@eastersealscrossroads.org