



ACADEMIC RISK FACTORS (RED FLAGS) CHECKLIST

- Refusal to do homework.
- Easily frustrated.
- “Forgets” to turn things in.
- Pattern of physical complaints, or sleep disturbance on school nights or mornings that go away, or don’t exist during other times.
- Very disorganized.
- Doesn’t stay on task, easy distracted.
- Seems to lack direction.
- Doesn’t work to their potential, chronic under-achiever.
- Just needs to “apply” him/herself, “lazy”.
- Academics used to come easy, but recently they seem to have “hit a wall.”
- No interest in reading for pleasure.
- Hates to read, hesitant to or won’t read aloud.
- Declining grades.
- Chronically late.
- Lacks interest/motivation in any post-high school education (applies to High School or older students only).
- Poor test taker (does well on homework, but under-performs on tests).

The more risk factors identified, the greater the likelihood of a learning disorder. If you, a family member, student, or client exhibits risk factors (red flags) identified above (or similar), than we can help by determining the cause/s and recommend customized solutions.

In general, if school work is more than a challenge, then it is worth having the causes identified by a professional via a learning assessment.