

# Tampa Pinnacle Academy is now offering After-School Services!

## **Social Skills (Small Group):**

The Social Experience is a unique program, which combines an array of proven social development methods to address core deficits and enhance social engagement for all ages. Our Masters level therapists have extensive training and specialize in the treatment for children adolescents, and adults who have social-communication delays. We recognize that challenges in socialization can lead to frustration, isolation, and impacts in academics and vocational success.



## **Tutoring Services (Individual Sessions):**

Our tutors are certified instructors who have extensive teaching experience and have been trained in proven, research-based methods such as Linda-Mood Bell, Orton Gillingham, and Wilson Reading. In addition, they integrate supplemental, kinesthetic materials to compliment these teaching methods and motivate students, including games, stories, movement, and visual teaching aids.

Tutoring focuses to measurably improve:



- Reading fluency
- Decoding & encoding
- Reading comprehension

- Writing
- Math concepts & word problems
- Focus & organization
- Summarizing
- Test taking & note taking
- Study strategies
- SAT and other test preparations
- Motivation

Students may experience difficulty in one or several of the following areas, which helps to explain why they have trouble with learning and performance:

● **Executive Functioning**

We recognize that each child’s learning style is different. Our tutors teach effective strategies to build your child’s thinking skills, teach organizational strategies, and develop an ability to plan, start, and finish work. Children with executive functioning difficulties often feel overwhelmed, are challenged by homework, and lack appropriate study skills. Tutoring emphasizes development of your child’s skills in:

- \* *Working memory*
- \* *Organizing materials*
- \* *Planning tasks*
  
- \* *Self regulation*
- \* *Monitoring*
- \* *Shifting attention*

● **Processing**

When problems exist with auditory or visual perception, the student has difficulty making sense of information as it travels through the eyes and ears. They may have trouble differentiating shapes, symbols, and objects based on their characteristics. Reading and math are two subjects where accurate perception and understanding of spatial relationships are very important. Both of these subjects rely heavily on the use of symbols (letters, numbers, punctuation, math signs).

● **Integration**

Integration describes the ability to organize and sequence information. This process allows the student to seek out meaning and organize pieces of information into complete thoughts.

● **Memory**

The ability to store and recall information that is given orally or visually allows the student to retrieve, categorize, and assimilate information into short and long term memory banks.

● **Information Output**

The student is able to write, draw, speak, or gesture information as it comes from the brain.

Service Type	Social Skills Group	Tutoring Services
Price per hour	\$45 a child	\$65