Brain imaging for research study of the effect of reading intervention training

Who: Children 8-12 years old, with reading difficulties and children without reading difficulties, with no history of mental illness or head trauma may be eligible to participate.

What: This is a study to establish the effect of an intervention program on reading and brain activation in children with and without reading difficulties. The study includes an eligibility screening via parent phone interview, two on-site visits lasting several hours and paper and pencil tests. Some participants will also receive a Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI) scan as part of the research. The reading training program lasts eight weeks in the participant’s own home using a computer through the internet.

Compensation: Participants will receive:
- Visit 1 testing - $25
- Visit 1 MRI - $50
- Training Sessions - $.50 per session
- Visit 2 testing - $25
- Visit 2 MRI - $50

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