

*Sign me up!*

Please take this pamphlet to our front desk or call 655-1070 or toll free 1-877-405-0042 to register for one of the sessions below.

Sessions:

Thurs. June 2nd, 2011	1:00 - 3:30 p.m.
Thurs. Sept. 22nd, 2011	1:00 - 3:30 p.m.
Thurs. Nov. 24th, 2011	1:00 - 3:30 p.m.
Thurs. Mar. 8th, 2012	1:00 - 3:30 p.m.
Thurs. May 31st, 2012	1:00 - 3:30 p.m.

Please allow time to register at the front desk before attending.

Each session is held at the Alvin Buckwold Child Development Program in the Kinsmen Children's Center.



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**Alvin Buckwold Child Development Program**

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*Helping things make sense for parents.*

*Learn About  
Sense-ational  
Kids!*



*Alvin Buckwold Child  
Development Program*



## *We're here to help.*

This group educates parents and caregivers about sensory processing issues in children. If your child is between two and six years old and an occupational therapist has indicated they might be experiencing sensory processing challenges, you are encouraged to attend this group.

*“Everyone know how it feels to be annoyed by loud music, accosted by overly bright lights, and bothered by crowds. Most people ignore irritating sensations and focus on the task at hand. But some people can't tune out the harmless sensations and instead react to them with irritation, anger, alarm and some even experience pain.”*

## *What can I expect?*

This one time session provides an informal educational opportunity to help you better understand your child's sensory development.

We'll discuss how each of the different sensory systems works to help your child interact with the world around them. We'll also talk about how kids with sensory processing issues experience the world as well as come up with some techniques you and your child can use as coping strategies.

You'll learn more about:

- How the different sensory systems function
- How challenges with sensory processing might appear
- What occupational therapist can do to help



## *How does the group work?*

This group mixes discussion with slides and video, and participants will also take part in a demonstration activity.

We create groups of no more than 10 people to ensure lots of time for questions. The session lasts about two and a half hours.

This session is aimed at parents and caregivers only. Please arrange care for your child outside of ABCDP.

*Sharing knowledge, developing strategies.*