

Phase 1 & 2 TREATMENT

When it is required, a two-phased treatment approach is used to allow for correction of skeletal and oral/dental problems as a child grows. The total active treatment time is generally the same; however, it is split into two phases with a break in between to allow for eruption of teeth.

Age 7-9
Mixed Dentition
(Permanent & Baby Teeth)

FIRST PHASE

Active Treatment
Appx. 8-15 Months

Correction of Crowding, Dysfunctional Habits, Thumb Sucking/Tongue Thrust, and Narrow Jaw.

**Eruption of
Permanent Teeth**

GROWTH
Evaluation Period

**Permanent
Dentition**

SECOND PHASE

Active Treatment
Appx. 6-18 Months

Final Correction of Tooth Position,
Functional and Skeletal Problems.