

Special Education Plan Update Working Group

TOPICS	MONTH
	November
Staff Allocation for Special Education	2019
Background	
Staff Allocation Process	
Opening a Special Education Class (Intensive Support Program) in a School	
Moving a Full Time Special Education Class	
Closing a Full Time Special Education Class	
Special Education Staff Allocation for 2019-2020	
Allocation of Special Education Support Staff	
Allocation of Special Needs Assistants	
Placement of Staff in Special Education Programs	
Targets and Standards for Special Education ISP Staffing	
Special Education Staff Allocation as of July 31, 2019	
Professional Support Services Staff Allocation as of June 30, 2019	
Staff Organization and Responsibilities	
Learning and Leadership Department Roles and Responsibilities	
Associate Director - Leadership, Learning and School Improvement	
Superintendent – Special Education Services	
Centrally Assigned Principal – Central	
Centrally-Assigned Principal – Special Education Learning Centre	
Centrally Assigned Principal - CTCC	
Vice Principal – CTCC- Elementary and Secondary	
Central Coordinator – Autism Services	
Central Coordinator – Processes, Practices and Procedures (SEA/SIP)	
Special Education Coordinator – CTCC	
System Coordinators – Deaf/Hard of Hearing, Blind/Low Vision	
Special Education Inclusion Coordinators	
Consultants	
Special Education Inclusion Consultant	
Special Education Consultants – ASD Team	
Special Education Consultant – Assistive Technology (SEA)	





Special Education Itinerant Teachers	
Special Education Itinerant Teacher – Behaviour (Elementary & Secondary)	
Special Education Itinerant Teacher – Assistive Technology (SEA)	
Special Education Itinerant Resource Teachers – Secondary Alternative Programs	
School-Based Special Education Teaching Staff	
Paraprofessional Support Staff	
Professional Support Services Department Roles and Responsibilities	
Occupational Therapy and Physiotherapy Services	
Psychological Services	
Social Work and Attendance Services	
Speech-Language Pathology Services	
Forly and Ongoing Identification and Intervention	December 2019
Early and Ongoing Identification and Intervention	2019
TDSB Developmental History Form	
Universal Screening Process for Grade 3 Students	
Transition Planning for School Entry	
Entry Plan for Students with Special Needs	
Early Years Intervention Programs	
Diagnostic Kindergarten Program (DK)	
Eligibility for the Diagnostic Kindergarten Program	
Kindergarten Intervention Program (KIP)	
Eligibility for the KIP Program	
Kindergarten Early Language Intervention (KELI)	
Eligibility for the KELI Program	
Exceptionalities: Categories, Definitions and Special Education Programming	
Identifying the Needs of Exceptional Pupils	
Behaviour Exceptionality	
Ministry Definition	
IPRC Determination of Exceptionality: Behaviour	
Special Education Programming	
Communication Exceptionalities	
Autism	
Ministry Definition	





IPRC Determination of Exceptionality: Communication (Autism)	
Special Education Programming	
Learning Disability	
Ministry Definition	
IPRC Determination of Exceptionality: Communication (Learning Disability)	
Special Education Programming	
Language Impairment	
Ministry Definition	
IPRC Determination of Exceptionality: Communication (Language Impairment)	
Special Education Programming	
Speech Impairment	
Ministry Definition	
IPRC Determination of Exceptionality: Communication (Speech Impairment)	
Special Education Programming	
Deaf and Hard of Hearing	
Ministry Definition	
IPRC Determination of Exceptionality: Communication (Deaf/Hard of Hearing)	
Special Education Programming	
Intellectual Exceptionalities	
Developmental Disability	
Ministry Definition	
IPRC Determination for Exceptionality: Developmental Disability	
Special Education Programming	
Giftedness	
Ministry Definition	
TDSB "Universal Screening Process" and Identification of Giftedness	
IPRC Determination for Exceptionality: Giftedness	
IPRC Determination of Giftedness for English Language Learners (ELL)	
IPRC Determination of Giftedness (for Students with Learning Disabilities)	
Special Education Programming	
Mild Intellectual Disability	
Ministry Definition	
IPRC Determination for Exceptionality: Mild Intellectual Disability	
Special Education Programming	





Multiple Exceptionalities	
Ministry Definition	
IPRC Determination of Multiple Exceptionalities	
Special Education Programming	
Physical Exceptionalities	
Blind and Low Vision	
Ministry Definition	
IPRC Determination for Exceptionality: Blind and Low Vision	
Special Education Programming	
Physical Disability	
Ministry Definition	
IPRC Determination of Physical Disability Exceptionality	
Special Education Programming	
	January
Requesting Regional Support Services	2020
Regional Autism Team Services	
Requesting Regional Autism Team Services	
ASD Professional Learning (PL)	
Tiered E-Learning Opportunities	
Tier 1 – Suggested for ALL	
Behaviour Regional Services (BRS) Team	
Blind and Low Vision Itinerant Support	
Deaf and Hard of Hearing Itinerant Support	
Care, Treatment, Custody, and Corrections (CTCC)	
Structure of TDSB Care and Treatment	
Special Equipment Amount (SEA)	
Special Incidence Portion (SIP)	
Specialized Health Support Services	
Special Needs Strategy	
Toronto Region Coordinated Service Planning Model	
Policy/Program Memorandum No. 81 (PPM 81)	
Clarification of PPM 81 Re: Catheterization and Suctioning	
Model for Provision of Specialized Health Support Services	





Transportation for Students in Special Education TDSB Transportation Policy and Procedures Method of Transportation Service Requirements and Responsibilities Changes to Transportation Arrangements Pick-up and Drop-off Driver Responsibilities Seat Belts, Seat Belt Covers, Car Seats, Booster Seats, Safety Vests Transportation for Students in Wheelchairs or with Severe Mobility Limitations Cancellation of Service Due to Inclement Weather September Start-up Transportation Safety Appeal Process	February 2020
Appeal Process Transportation Company Contact Information	
Partnerships Coordination of Services with Other Ministries and Agencies TDSB Early Intervention Initiatives Kindergarten Early Language Intervention (KELI) Program Toronto Partnership Autism Services (TPAS) Community Services Connections: Supporting Seamless Transitions for Students with ASD Transition from Toronto Preschool Speech and Language Services (TPSLS) External Partnerships with Community Agencies and Services Professional Learning Framework for Professional Learning Overview of Staff Professional Learning 2019-2020 Priorities for Professional Learning Safety – Management of Risk-of-Injury Behaviours	March 2020
Introduction to TDSB Special Education Plan Inclusion and Special Education Multi-Year Strategic Plan	April 2020





TDSB Learning Centres Facilitate Inclusion Accessibility Background **TDSB Accessibility Committees AODA Working Group Barrier Free Committee AODA Capital Committee Capital Spending on Accessibility** Assessment **Educational Assessment by Teachers** Kinds of Educational Assessment **Diagnostic Assessment Tools for Teachers** Individual Assessment by Qualified Professionals **Purpose and Goals** Standards for the Provision of Individual Assessments **Occupational Therapy and Physiotherapy Assessments Psychological Assessments Social Work Assessment** Speech Language Assessments Sharing Professional Assessment Information Consultation **TDSB Consultation Process Consultation on the Special Education Plan Continuum of Supports, Programs and Services** How Student Needs Are Addressed How Teachers Access Special Education Supports and Services How Individual Student Needs Are Identified Identification, Placement and Review Committees (IPRC) Steps to Student Support and Services Elementary School Community Based Resource Model (CBRM) **Special Education Resource** Home School Program (HSP) Secondary School Support **Special Education Resource**





Special Course Options	
Secondary Resource Program (RSE)	
 Secondary Learning Strategies (GLE) 	
Locally Developed or Optional Credit Courses	
Special Education Classes – Elementary and Secondary	
Ministry of Education	May 2020
Special Education Roles and Responsibilities	
The Ministry of Education:	
The District School Board:	
The School Principal: Special Education Advisory Committee (SEAC):	
The Teacher:	
The Special Education Teacher:	
The Parent(s)/Guardian(s): The Student:	
Provincial Schools and Demonstration Schools	
Demonstration Schools	
Provincial Schools for the Deaf	
Provincial School for Visually Impaired, Blind and Deafblind Students	
Special Education Advisory Committee (SEAC) The Role of SEAC	
2019 - 2020 Meeting Dates and Times	
SEAC Membership Membership Selection Broadures	
Membership Selection Procedures	
SEAC Input for 2019 - 2020	
SEAC Recommendations to the Board	
SEAC Input into the 2019 TDSB Special Education Plan	
Communication with SEAC	
SEAC Association Representatives	
SEAC Community Representatives	





Identification and Discoment in Special Education	September 2020
Identification and Placement in Special Education	2020
The Identification Placement and Review Committee (IPRC)	
IPRC Decisions about Exceptionality IPRC Decisions about Placement	
Regular Class Placement	
Special Education Class Placement	
External Options for Full Time Support	
IPRC Recommendations about Special Education Services or Programs	
IPRC Structure	
Learning Network and Original IPRCs	
Central IPRC	
School-Based IPRC (for the Annual Review)	
The IPRC Process	
IPRC Referral Steps	
Documents Required for an IPRC	
Attendance at the IPRC	
Presentations to an IPRC	
Functions of the IPRC	
Deferral of IPRC Decisions	
Process for Annual Review IPRCs	
Resolving Disputes	
Appeal Process	
Special Education Program Recommendation Committee (SEPRC)	
SEPRC Structure	
The SEPRC Process	
SEPRC Referral Steps	
Documents Required for a SEPRC	
Attendance at and Presentations to a SEPRC	
Functions of the SEPRC	
Required Follow-Up to the SEPRC	
Appeal Process	
In-School Team (IST) and School Support Team (SST): Consultation and Support	
Addressing Student Needs	





A Tiered Approach to Prevention and Intervention Individual Learning Profile (ILP) The In-School Team and School Support Team (IST/SST) Role of Professional Support Services at SST Meetings Parental and Student Involvement in IST/SST Processes Secondary School Team Meetings Appendix A: Guide to Special Education for Parent(s)/Guardian(s) Appendix H: TDSB Special Education Brochures Appendix D: Parent Concern Protocol	
Individual Education Plan (IEP) Accommodations, Modifications and Alternative Expectations Consultation in IEP Development Ministry Standards for Implementation TDSB Guidelines for Individual Education Plans IEP Accommodations and Modifications in Secondary School Settings The IEP Transition Plan Requirements for Transition Plans A Tiered Approach to Transition Planning Education Transitions Filing and Storage of the IEP Process for Dispute Resolution Appendix B: Individual Education Plan Appendix C (1): Consent for Release of Confidential Information Appendix C (2): Individual Learning Profile (Elementary) Appendix C (3): Individual Learning Profile (Secondary) Appendix C (4): Professional Support Services Referral Form	October 2020

