

Special Education - Personnel

Consistent with Teacher Standards and Practices Commission requirements, district personnel are appropriately and adequately prepared to implement special education and related services and have the content knowledge and skills to serve children with disabilities.

The district takes measurable steps to recruit, hire, train and retrain highly qualified personnel to provide special education and related services to children with disabilities.

The district's plan for providing personnel development programs in the district is found in Board policy GCL/GDL - Staff Development.

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

Assistance to States for the Education of Children with Disabilities, 34 CFR Sections 300.221 and 300.380 - 300.382 (2000). Education of the Handicapped Act of 1975, as amended, 20 U.S.C. Sections 1400-1427, as amended and renamed Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA), P.L. 101-476, 104 Stat 1103 (1990), as amended P.L. 105-17 (1997), as amended 108-446 (2004). [P.L. 94-142 is a well-known "short" reference to this federal legislation.]