

Special Education Acronyms

ACRES	American Council on Rural Special Education	ECSE	Early Childhood Special Education
ADA	Americans with Disabilities Act	ED	Emotionally Disturbed
ADD	Attention Deficit Disorder	EDGAR	Education Department General Administrative Regulations
ADHD	Attention Deficit Hyperactive Disorder	EHA	Education of the Handicapped Act
APE	Adapted Physical Education	EI	Early Intervention
APR	Annual Performance Report	ELL	English Language Learner
ASHA	American Speech-Language-Hearing Association	ELP	English Language Proficiency
ASD	Autism Spectrum Disorder	ENT	Ear, Nose and Throat
ASL	American Sign Language	ERIC	Educational Resource Information Center
AT	Assistive Technology	ESA	Educational Service Agencies
AU	Autism	ESEA	Elementary and Secondary Education Act
AYP	Annual Yearly Progress	ESL	English as a Second Language
BD	Behavior Disorder	ESY	Extended School Year
BIE	Bureau of Indian Education	FAPE	Free Appropriate Public Education
BIP	Behavior Intervention Plan	FBA	Functional Behavior Assessment
CD	Cognitive Delay	FERPA	Family Educational Rights Privacy Act
CEC	Council on Exception Children	FM	Focused Monitoring
CFR	Code of Federal Regulations	FRRC	Federal Regional Resource Center
CHADD	Children and Adults with Attention-Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder	GPA	Grade Point Average
CI	Cognitive Impairment	GPRA	Government Performance Review
CIFMS	Continuous Improvement and Focused Monitoring System	GT	Gifted and Talented
CIMP	Indicator 13 – Continuous Improvement Monitoring Process	HH	Hard of Hearing
CO-AD	Comprehensive Advocacy, Inc.	HI	Hearing Impaired
COP	Community of Practice	HIPAA	Health Insurance Portability Accountability Act
COTA	Certified Occupational Therapist Assistant	IAA	Idaho Alternate Assessment
CP	Cerebral Palsy	IAESP	Idaho Association of Elementary School Principals
CSPD	Comprehensive System of Personnel Development	IASA	Idaho Association of School Administrators
D	Deaf	IASEA	Idaho Association of Special Education Administrators
DB	Deaf-Blindness	IASSP	Idaho Association of Secondary School Principals
DD	Developmental Disabilities	IATP	Idaho Assistive Technology Program
DHW	Department of Health and Welfare	IBEDS	Idaho Basic Education Data System
DJC	Department of Juvenile Corrections	IBI	Intensive Behavior Intervention
DMA	Direct Math Assessment	ICC	(Idaho Infant Toddler) Interagency Coordinating Council
DOC	Department of Corrections	IDEA	Individuals with Disabilities Education Act 2004 Amendments
DOE	Department of Education	IDLA	Idaho Digital Learning Academy
DOH	Department of Health	IDOC	Idaho Department of Corrections
DPH(O)	Due Process Hearing (Officer)	IDVR	Idaho Division of Vocational Rehabilitation
DSM-IV	Diagnostic and Statistical Manual IV	IEA	Idaho Education Association
DWA	Direct Writing Assessment	IEE	Independent Education Evaluation
ECR	Early Complaint Resolution	IEP	Individual Education Program

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IFSP	Individual Family Service Plan	OI	Orthopedic Impairment
IHCP	Individual Health Care Plan	OIS	Occupational Information System
IHE	Institutions of Higher Education	O&M	Orientation and Mobility
IMHCA	Idaho Mental Health Counselors Association	OMB	Federal Office of Management and Budget
IPUL	Idaho Parents Unlimited, Inc	OSEP	Office of Special Education Programs
IRI	Idaho Reading Indicator	OSERS	Office of Special Education and Rehabilitation Services
IRI	Idaho Reading Initiative	OT	Occupational Therapy
ISAT	Idaho Standards Achievement Test	P&A	Protection and Advocacy
ISCA	Idaho School Counselors Association	Part B	Services for School age Children with Disabilities
ISDB	Idaho School for the Deaf and the Blind	Part C	Services for Children Birth Through Two Years
ISHA	Idaho Speech/Language Hearing Association	Part D	Discretionary Programs
ISIMS	Idaho Student Information Management System	PBS	Positive Behavioral Support
ISPA	Idaho School Psychologist Association	PDD	Pervasive Development Disorders
ISSA	Idaho School Superintendents Association	PGI	Performance Goals and Indicators
ITP	Infant Toddler Program	PIR	Plan for Improving Results
JDC	Juvenile Detention Center	PL	Public Law (Federal)
JFAC	Joint Finance and Appropriations Committee	PLAAFP	Present Levels of Academic Achievement and Functional Performance
LA	Lead Agency	PLOP	Present Level of Performance
LAC	Legislative Affairs Committee	PPRA	Protection of Pupils Rights Amendment
LD	Learning Disability	PT	Physical Therapist
LEA	Local Education Agency	PTA	Parent Teacher Association
LEP	Limited English Proficiency	PTAC	Parent Technical Assistance Center
LI	Language Impaired	PTI	Parent Training and Information Center
LOA	Letter of Authorization	PTO	Parent Teacher Organization
LRE	Least Restrictive Environment	RBM	Results Based Model
MD	Multiple Disabilities	RCCI	Residential Child Care Institutions
MDT	Multidisciplinary Team	RCCP	Residential Child Care Program
MOA	Memorandum of Agreement	RFP	Request for Proposal
MPRRC	Mountain Plains Regional Resource Center	RRC	Regional Resource Center
MR	Mentally Retarded	RTI	Responsiveness to Intervention
NAEP	National Assessment of Educational Progress	SA	Self-assessment
NASDSE	National Association of State Directors of Special Education	SAT	Student Assistance Team
NCLB	No Child Left Behind Act	SDE	State Department of Education (Idaho)
NCSEAM	National Center for Special Education Accountability Monitoring	SEA	State Education Agency
NECTAS	National Early Childhood Technical Assistance System	SEAP	Special Education Advisory Panel
NWEA	Northwest Evaluation Association	SI	Sensory Integration
NWREL	Northwest Regional Education Laboratory	SIG	State Improvement Grant
OCR	Office for Civil Rights	SILC	State Independent Living Council
ODD	Oppositional Defiant Disorder	SIP	School Improvement Plan
OESE	Office of Elementary and Secondary Education (USDOE)	SIS	Student Information System
OHI	Other Health Impairment	SLP	Speech Language Pathologist
		SPED	Special Education

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SPDG	State Personnel Development Grant	USDE	United States Department of Education
SPP	State Performance Plan	VI	Visually Impaired
SSN	Social Security Number	VR	Vocational Rehabilitation
STO	Short Term Objective	WRRC	Western Regional Resource Center
TA	Technical Assistance	504 (Section)	“Nondiscrimination on the basis of disability” portion of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973
TAP	Tests of Achievement and Proficiency	619 (Section)	Special Education—3–5 Years Old (preschool)
TAT	Teacher Assistance Team		
TBI	Traumatic Brain Injury		
TDD/TTY	Telecommunications Device for the Deaf (Teletypewriter)		