

ACRONYMS

SPECIAL EDUCATION ACRONYMS

AAC	Augmentative and Alternative Communication
AB	Assembly Bill (State Legislation)
ADA	American with Disabilities Act
ADHD	Attention Deficit Hyperactive Disorder
ADR	Alternative Dispute Resolution
APE	Adaptive Physical Education
ASD	Autism Spectrum Disorder
AT	Assistive Technology
BIP	Behavior Intervention Plan
BSP	Behavior Support Plan
CAA	California Alternate Assessment
CAC	Community Advisory Committee
CBI	Community-Based Instruction
CCEIS	Comprehensive Coordinated Early Intervening Service
CCS	California Children Services
CDE	California Department of Education
CEC	Counseling Enriched Classroom
COE	County Office of Education
DB	Deaf/Blind
DHH	Deaf and Hard of Hearing
DIS	Designated Instructional Service / Related Services
DOR	Department of Rehabilitation
EC	Education Code (state)
ED	Emotionally Disturbed
ERMS	Educationally Related Mental Health Services
ESL	English as a Second Language
ESN	Extensive Support Needs
ESY	Extended School Year
FAPE	Free and Appropriate Public Education
FFH	Foster Family Home
FI	Full Inclusion
FIEP	Facilitated Individual Education Plan
FTE	Full Time Equivalent
HH	Hard of Hearing
HI	Hearing Impaired
ID	Intellectual Disability
IDEA	Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (PL 94-142)
IEP	Individualized Education Program
IFSP	Individualized Family Service Plan

IPP	Individual Program Plan (used in other agencies)
ISP	Individual Service Plan
ITP	Individual Transition Plan
LD	Learning Disability
LEA	Local Educational Agency
LEP	Limited English Proficiency
LP	Local Plan
LRE	Least Restrictive Environment
MD	Multiple Disabilities
MMSN	Mild/Moderate Support Needs
NCLB	No Child Left Behind
NPA	Non-Public Agency
NPS	Non-Public School
O&M	Orientation and Mobility
OCR	Office of Civil Rights
OHI	Other Health Impaired
OI	Orthopedically Impaired
OSEP	Office of Special Education Programs (US)
OSERS	Office of Special Education and Rehabilitative Services
OT	Occupational Therapy
PE	Physical Education
PLOP	Present Levels of Performance
PT	Physical Therapy
PTA	Parent Teacher Association
RCEB	Regional Center of East Bay
RS	Resource Specialist
RSP	Resource Specialist Program
RT	Recreational Therapist / Recreational Therapy
SB	Senate Bill (state legislator)
SD	Standard Deviation
SDC	Special Day Class
SEA	State Educational Agency
SELPA	Special Education Local Plan Area
SLD	Specific Learning Disability
SLH	Speech, Language, Hearing
SLP	Speech and Language Pathologist
SSI	Supplemental Security Income
SST	Student Success Team
TBI	Traumatic Brain Injury
TDD	Telecommunication Device for the Deaf
TTY	Telewriter (connected to a telephone)
VE	Vocational Education
VI	Visual Impairment / Visually Impaired