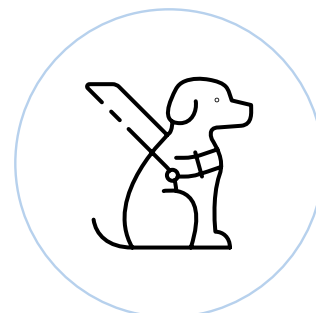
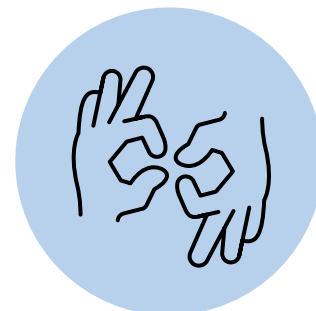
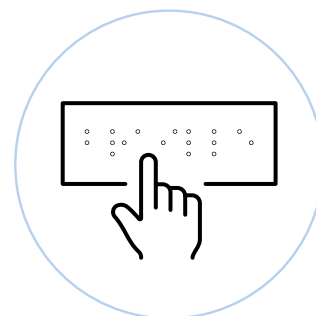


# Special Education Resources

## Students with Disabilities in NYC Public Schools

The success of every child is a top priority for NYC Public Schools. We are committed to creating a safe and welcoming environment where all children can learn, grow and thrive.

If your child has a known disability, or if you have concerns about your child's development, learning, or behavior, NYC Public Schools is here to help. Our schools are open to all students, and we are dedicated to providing supports so your child can succeed. A team of school professionals including teachers, psychologists, physical therapists, counselors, and others will meet with you to discuss how we can best create a welcoming learning environment for your child. Together we will determine if your child is eligible for free special education services, supports, and programs.



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# Steps for Disability Supports and Services in NYC Public Schools



Do you have any documents, or other information about your child's disability, health, development, or learning? We want to know about it! Please share this information.

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A Comparable Service Plan (CSP) will be created for your child by the new school or the Committee on Special Education (CSE), using information shared by you or the Family Welcome Center. This plan will ensure immediate support for your child.



Once your child is attending school, a team will begin the evaluation process for a formal Individualized Education Program (IEP). You will be asked for written consent for evaluations, so providers can determine the most appropriate supports, programs, and services. Together you will create a personalized plan to ensure your child has full and equal access to public education.

## Special Education Services

Students with disabilities who require special education services have Individualized Education Programs (IEPs). The links below will guide you to detailed information and resources about the special education process. To learn more scan the links below.



**Preschool  
Family Guide**



**School Age  
Family Guide**



**The IEP  
Process**



**Assistive  
Technology**



**Special Education  
in NYC**



**Life After  
High School**



**Specialized  
Programs**

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