

Sec. 1. CHILD FIND

IDEA Public Schools shall ensure that all children residing within IDEA Public Schools' boundaries who have disabilities, regardless of the severity of their disabilities, and who are in need of special education and related services are identified, located, and evaluated. This requirement applies to all children with disabilities, including:

1. Homeless children;
2. Children who are wards of the state;
3. Children attending private schools;
4. Highly mobile children (including migrant children); and
5. Children who are suspected of being in need of special education but who are advancing from grade to grade.

20 U.S.C. 1412(a)(3)(A); 34 CFR 300.111(a)(1)(i), (c).

Sec. 2. PRIVATE SCHOOL STUDENTS

IDEA Public Schools shall coordinate with home school districts, who are primarily responsible for consulting with private school representatives regarding the child find process and the provision of special education and related services to children enrolled in private schools within IDEA Public Schools' boundaries.

IDEA Public Schools shall undertake activities similar to those undertaken for public school children and shall complete the child find process for children enrolled in private schools in a time period comparable to that for other students attending the public schools within IDEA Public Schools' boundaries.

20 U.S.C. 1412(a)(10)(A)(ii)–(iv).

Sec. 3. PRESCHOOL STUDENTS

IDEA Public Schools shall develop a system to notify residents within IDEA Public Schools' boundaries with children who are at least three but younger than six and who are eligible for enrollment in a special education program of the availability of such programs.

Education Code 29.009.

Sec. 4. STUDENT RECORDS

IDEA PUBLIC SCHOOLS BOARD POLICY MANUAL
POLICY GROUP 6 - SPECIAL EDUCATION
CHILD FIND DUTY

After each student is enrolled in IDEA Public Schools, IDEA Public Schools will promptly request all student records from the student's previous school.

Sec. 5. CERTIFICATION

The Undersigned, being the Secretary of the Corporation, hereby certifies that the foregoing represents a true copy of the Special Education Child Find Duty Policy, as originally adopted by the Board on December 10, 2021, which Policy is in full force and effect and has not been revoked or amended.

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Anthony Ryan Vaughan, Board Secretary

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Date Certified