

Blackhawk School District

Public Awareness and Child Identification Survey

The Blackhawk School District offers a full continuum of special education programs and services to students eligible for such services. Special Education programs and services are available for students with disabilities between the ages of three (3) and twenty-one (21). Services for eligible children ages three (3) to school entry age may be requested by contacting the Beaver Valley Intermediate Unit at 724-774-7800. Services for eligible students of school entry age through twenty-one (21) years of age may be requested by contacting your child's building principal, classroom teacher, or Director of Special Education. All eligible students are entitled to a free, appropriate public education.

In order for us to improve our services we are asking you to answer the following questions and return this survey with the parent forms.

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| 1. Are you aware that: | (Please circle one) | |
| A. the district conducts routine vision and hearing screening? | YES | NO |
| B. the district conducts periodical speech and language screening? | YES | NO |
| C. the district conducts periodical physical and dental exams? | YES | NO |
| D. the district conducts annual Kindergarten screening? | YES | NO |
| 2. Are you familiar with the Academic Instructional Module (AIM) process that is available for students in grades K through 7? | YES | NO |
| 3. Are you familiar with the Elementary Student Assistance Program/Student Assistance Program (ESAP/SAP) that is available for students in grades K through 12? | YES | NO |
| 4. Are you aware that: | | |
| A. speech and language support is a special education program? | YES | NO |
| B. the district provides special education services for students in all grades? | YES | NO |
| C. school district staff screen results of group achievement tests, reading development tests, and student grade reports in order to determine possible need for further intervention and/or need for possible special education services? | YES | NO |
| 5. Did you receive the <u>Public Notice and Screening Information</u> either via the Beaver County Times, BSD website or student agenda book? | YES | NO |

If you need any information regarding screening for special education services, or if you answered NO to any questions above and would like more information, please call one of the building School Counselors (listed on the back) or the Special Education Office. Space is also provided on the back of this page for your comments or suggestions.

Name (optional) _____ Phone Number _____

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COMMENTS OR SUGGESTIONS:

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Mr. Bob Abel

Northwestern Primary @ Blackhawk Intermediate School 724-843-5050
Mr. Bob Abel

Blackhawk Intermediate School 724-843-5050
Mr. Bob Abel

Highland Middle School 724-843-1700
Ms. Kelley Engle

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Mr. Sami Hanna Ext. 2007
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Elizabeth Altenhof – Director of Special Education
Kristen Wallace – School Psychologist
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