



## **SPECIAL EDUCATION DEPARTMENT**

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Welcome to the Special Education web page. Our office can help you with questions you may have concerning Special Education.

### **SPECIAL EDUCATION PROGRAM**

- *The Office of Special Education promotes collaboration among parents, educator, students, community and other agencies to make available the full range of personnel, programming, and placement options, including early intervention and transition services, required to assure that all children with disabilities have available to them a free and appropriate public education.*

### **WHAT IS SPECIAL EDUCATION?**

- *Students between the ages of 3-21 who are approved by the District's Committee on Special Education (CSE) can receive special education services and participate in programs appropriate for their needs. This also includes resident students who attend private schools or are home-schooled. These programs and services are determined by the Committee on Special Education and outlined on the Individualized Education Plan (IEP). These include special classes, inclusion programs, resource room, consulting services, as well as related services of speech therapy, occupational therapy, physical therapy, and counseling services. Program modifications and testing accommodations may also be available to your child.*
- *Sackets Harbor Central School District employs appropriately trained and certified special education staff members to insure that all special education services as indicated on the student's IEP are provided.*



## **SPECIAL EDUCATION NEWS**

- *For juniors and seniors: Have you filled out your ACCESS VR (Adult Career and Continuing Education Services-Vocational Rehabilitation) application yet? This program may provide services to help individuals learn skills to obtain employment. The agency also provides referral and links to community agencies that assist with independent living. Call the special program office if you need help.*

## **OFFICE OF SPECIAL SERVICES INFORMATIONAL LINKS**

### **Student and Family Resources**

[Parent's Guide to Special Education](#)

[A Parent's Guide to Resolving Concerns about Special Education](#)

[Information for the Parent of Preschool Children](#)

[Special Education Mediation](#)

[Transition Resources](#)

[U.S. Department of Education](#)

*NOTE: Please be aware that information is available to parents about special education upon entry to school through the New York State Education Department's (NYSED's) website. This website explains parental rights regarding the referral and evaluation of your child's entry into public school. Information is entitled "A Parent's Guide to Special Education." If you have questions, please contact Carol Barkley, CSE Chairperson at Sackets Harbor Central School (315) 646-3575.*