

**Policy**

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAMS

The regular curriculum of the district's schools is designed to accomplish the district's educational goals and objectives for a thorough and efficient system of education for all pupils.

When necessary, the regular program shall be altered or supplemented or other means used to provide for the identified needs of the following pupils:

- A. The classifiable educationally disabled;
- B. The gifted and talented;
- C. Those requiring compensatory or remedial programs;
- D. ~~The disaffected and alienated~~ **students at risk for school failure;**
- E. Pregnant pupils;
- F. Pupils requiring home instruction;
- G. The physically disabled;
- H. ~~Those with limited English proficiency~~ **Students who are English language learners;**
- I. ~~The disruptive.~~

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Key Words

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<b>Legal References:</b>	<u>N.J.S.A. 10:5-1 et seq.</u>	Law Against Discrimination
	<u>N.J.S.A. 18A:35-4.9</u>	Pupil promotion and remediation; policies and procedures
	<u>N.J.S.A. 18A:35-15</u>	
	through -26	Bilingual Education Programs
	<u>N.J.S.A. 18A:46-1 et seq.</u>	Classes and Facilities for Handicapped Children
	<u>N.J.S.A. 18A:46A-1 et seq.</u>	Auxiliary services
	<u>N.J.A.C. 6A:8-3.1 et seq.</u>	Implementation of the New Jersey Student Learning Standards
	<u>N.J.A.C. 6A:14-1.1 et seq.</u>	Special Education
	<u>N.J.A.C. 6A:15-1.1 et seq.</u>	Bilingual Education
	<u>N.J.A.C. 6A:30-1.1 et seq.</u>	Evaluation of the Performance of School Districts
	<u><del>No Child Left Behind Act of 2001, Pub. L. 107-110, 20 U.S.C.A. 6301 et seq.</del></u>	
	<u>Every Student Succeeds Act of 2015, PL. 114-95, 20 U.S.C.A. 6301 et seq.</u>	

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAMS (continued)

**Possible**

<b><u>Cross References:</u></b>	*6142.2	English as a second language; bilingual/bicultural
	*6171.1	Remedial instruction
	*6171.2	Gifted and talented
	*6171.3	At-risk and Title 1
	*6171.4	Special education
	*6172	Alternative educational programs
	*6173	Home instruction
	6174	Summer school
	*6178	Early childhood education/preschool

\*Indicates policy is included in the Critical Policy Reference Manual.