

Billings School District 2

COMMUNITY RELATIONS

Accommodating Individuals with Disabilities

The District will assure that individuals with disabilities are provided an opportunity to participate in all school-sponsored services, programs, or activities on a basis equal with those without disabilities and that they will not be subject to illegal discrimination.

The District may provide auxiliary aids and services when necessary to afford individuals with disabilities equal opportunity to participate in or to enjoy the benefits of a service, program, or activity.

The Board designates the Superintendent as the Americans with Disabilities Act Title II Coordinator and, in that capacity, the Superintendent:

- (a) will oversee District compliance efforts, will recommend necessary modifications to the Board, will maintain the District's final Title II self-evaluation document and will keep it available for public inspection for at least three (3) years after its completion date; and
- (b) will institute plans to make information regarding Title II protection available to any interested party.

An individual with a disability should notify the Superintendent or a building principal of a disability that will require special assistance or services and, if so, what services are required. An individual with a disability should provide notification of need as far as possible before a school-sponsored function, program, or meeting.

Individuals with disabilities may allege a violation of this policy or of federal law by reporting it to the Superintendent, as the Title II Coordinator, or by filing a grievance under the Uniform Complaint Procedure.

Cross References: 1700 Uniform Complaint Procedure
4311 Complaints Against District Employees

Legal References: Americans with Disabilities Act, 42 U.S.C. §§ 12111, et seq., and 12131, et seq.; 28 C.F.R. Part 35.

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