

COMMON ACRONYMS

Schools/Departments/Divisions			
ABE	Adult Basic Education	OT	Occupational Therapy
ACHIEVE	Program for students who have significant emotional and behavioral challenges and who require special education services in a separate site	PI	Physical Impairment
		PT	Physical Therapy
CBVAT	Community-Based Vocational Assessment and Training; a career and technical education program for high school students with special needs	Section 504	Student Accommodation Plan
		Skills	Program for students with cognitive challenges related to a disability
CIES	Department of Curriculum, Instruction & Educational Standards	Strategies	Program for students with emotional and behavior challenges and significant educational needs
DLTL	Division of Leadership, Teaching, and Learning		
ECFE	Early Childhood Family Education	Job-related acronyms	
ECSE	Early Childhood Special Education	BIT	Behavior Intervention Teacher
I2T2	Instructional and Information Technology Team	ESP	Educational Support Professional
OALC	Osseo Area Learning Center	SEBC	Special Education Building Coordinator
OSTC	Osseo Secondary Transition Center; a program for young adults, ages 17-21, who have a range of abilities and disabilities and who need assistance in making the transition from school to life in the community	FTE	Full-Time Equivalency
RAA	Department of Research, Assessment & Accountability		
		Testing/Accountability/School Improvement	
Special Education		AYP	Adequate Yearly Progress
CI	Cognitive Impairment	MCA	Minnesota Comprehensive Assessment
CONNECT	Program serving students with autism and communication and interaction disorders	MAP	Measures of Academic Progress (NWEA test)
DAPE	Developmental Adapted Physical Education	SIP	School Improvement Plan
DCD	Developmental Cognitive Disability	WBWF	World's Best Workforce
DHH	Deaf/Hard of Hearing		
EBD	Emotional Behavior Disorder	Other common acronyms	
IEP	Individualized Education Program	DPAC	District Program Advisory Council
		EL	English Learners
		FRP	Free/Reduced-Price Lunch; benefit available to students from low-income households
		PBIS	Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports
		PSEO	Post-Secondary Education Options
		Organizations	
		EM-O	Education Minnesota-Osseo
		MDE	Minnesota Department of Education
		MSHSL	Minnesota State High School League