Special Education Acronyms

AAR	Academic Achievement Record
AB	Adaptive Behavior
ADA	American with Disabilities Act
ADD	Attention Deficit Disorder
ADHD	Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder
AI	Auditory Impairment
APE	Adapted Physical Education
ARD	Admission, Review, and Dismissal
ARDC	Admission, Review, and Dismissal Committee
ASD	Autism Spectrum Disorder
AT	Assistive Technology
AU	Autism
AYP	Annual Yearly Progress
BIL	Bilingual Education
BIP	Behavior Intervention Plan
CBA	Curriculum Based Assessment
CBI	Community Based Instruction
CBVI	Community Based Vocational Instruction

CPR	Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation
СТЕ	Career and Technology Education
DAEP	Discipline Alternative Education Program
DB	Deaf Blindness
DRA	Developmental Reading Assessment
DNQ	Does Not Qualify
ECI	Early Childhood Interventions
ECSE	Early Childhood Special Education
ED	Emotional Disturbance
ELL	English Language Learner
ESC	Education Service Center
ESL	English as a Second Language
ESY	Extended School Year
FAPE	Free Appropriate Public Education
FBA	Functional Behavior Assessment
FERPA	Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act
FIE	Full and Individual Evaluation
HID	High Incidence Disability
HQ	Highly Qualified
ID	Intellectual Disability
IDEA	Individual with Disabilities Education Act
IEE	Independent Educational Evaluation
IEP	Individualized Education Plan
IHPT	In Home/Parent Training
IQ	Intelligence Quotient

JJAEP	Juvenile Justice Alternative Education Program
LD	Learning Disability
LEA	Local Education Agency
LEP	Limited English Proficiency
LPAC	Language Proficiency Assessment Committee
LRE	Least Restrictive Environment
MD	Multiple Disabilities
MDR	Manifestation Determination Review
MODS	Modifications
NCEC	Non Categorical Early Childhood
OCR	Office of Civil Rights
O&M	Orientation and Mobility
OHI	Other Health Impairment
OI	Orthopedic Impairment
OT	Occupational Therapy
PBS	Positive Behavior Supports
PEIMS	Public Education Information Management System
PLAAFP	Present Levels of Academic Achievement and Functional Performance
PT	Physical Therapy
PWN	Prior Written Notice
REED	Review of Existing Evaluation Data
RTI	Response to Intervention
SDI	Specially Designed Instruction
SHARS	School Health and Related Services
SAMA	Satori Alternatives to Managing Aggression

SI	Speech Instruction
SOP	Summary of Performance
SPP	State Performance Plan
SSI	Student Services Initiative
STAAR	State of Texas assessment of Academic Readiness
STAAR ALT	STAAR Alternate 2
TBI	Traumatic Brain Injury
TEA	Texas Education Agency
TEKS	Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills
TSBVI	Texas School for the Blind and Visually Impaired
TSD	Texas School for the Deaf
VAC	Vocational Adjustment Class
VI	Visual Impairment