

Salinas City Elementary School District

Mission & Goals

Policy #0430

COMPREHENSIVE LOCAL PLAN FOR SPECIAL EDUCATION

The Governing Board desires to provide a high-quality education for all students, including those with disabilities. The Board recognizes that all individuals with disabilities have the right to receive a free and appropriate public education.

The district shall provide special education instruction and services for individuals with exceptional needs in accordance with the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act.

Modifications and/or special services and aids shall also be provided as needed for students who are eligible for services under Section 504 of the federal Rehabilitation Act of 1973, the Americans with Disabilities Act and related federal regulations.

The Board shall approve a plan to meet the needs of individuals with disabilities residing in the district. This plan shall be developed with representation from special education teachers, regular education teachers, and parents/guardians selected by the groups they represent.

In addition, the plan shall describe procedures by which the Board shall establish a SELPA community advisory committee. This committee shall make suggestions for the development, amendment and review of the local plan, recommend annual priorities, promote parent/guardian and community involvement, assist in parent/guardian education and support activities on behalf of individuals with exceptional needs. (Education Code 56190-56194)

Information shall be provided concerning the number of individuals with exceptional needs who are being provided special education and related services. (Education Code 56195.8) This information may be included as part of the SELPA plan.