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Child Find Notice

Dear Parents and Guardians

At the Westport Community Schools, we are committed to serving our community by identifying and supporting children between the ages of 3 through 21 who may have disabilities, regardless of their severity. It is our responsibility to evaluate these students to determine their eligibility for special education or related services under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) or 603 CMR 28 (Massachusetts Special Education Regulations).

Early intervention is a priority for us, and we strive to identify children before their third birthday, ensuring that early intervention services are available for three to four year-olds. If you have any questions or concerns about your child's development, or if you suspect that your child, regardless of age, may need an evaluation for special education services, we encourage you to request an evaluation at no cost at your child's school or through our district Special Education Office.

Your partnership in this process is invaluable as we work together to support every child's unique needs and educational journey.

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