

## **Special Education Programs and Locations for 2025-2026**

**Foundational Skills Class (FSC)** (K-12): These programs provide specialized instruction in smaller classes for special education students who require highly individualized instruction due to significant cognitive and adaptive impairments. Academic instruction in the FSC will supplement general education curriculum, with a focus on functional daily living skills and independence. Inclusion in general education will be emphasized; additionally, this program provides training in behavior, social and communication skills.

*Program Locations: K-5 Lafayette, K-2 Oak Grove, 3-5 Oak Grove, K-3 Meadow Ridge; 4-8 Timber Ridge; 6-8 Memorial & Calapooia Middle; 9-12 South and West Albany High Schools*

**Learning Resource Centers (Resource)** (K-12): Each neighborhood school has a special education learning resource program that provides specially designed instruction for students with disabilities. It is through these programs that approximately 85% of special education students receive services.

*Program Locations: All Schools*

**Social Learning Center (SLC)** (K-12): This program is designed for students who are significantly impacted by their ability to communicate, both functionally and socially. These classes focus on the development of communication and social skills, while increasing students' independence. Students in these programs will still spend the majority of their day in the general education environment for peer modeling, pro-social interactions, and academic instruction.

*Program Locations: K-2 Tadena; 3-5 Liberty; 6-8 Memorial MS; 9-12 West Albany High School*

**Structured Support Classes (SSC)** (K-12): This program provides a behavioral system that fosters growth and learning through identifying the functions of disruptive and dangerous behaviors, teaching positive alternatives and personal responsibility. Behavioral support focuses on a collaborative problem solving method. Students in these programs will still spend the majority of their day in the general education environment for peer modeling, pro-social interactions, and academic instruction

*Program Locations: K-2 Periwinkle, 3-5 Periwinkle; 6-8 North Albany Middle; 9-12 West & South Albany High*

**Community Transition Program (CTP):** Provides transitional and functional life skill instruction and support to students in the 18 - 21 age range in both classroom and community settings.

*Program Locations: WAHS modular, LBCC Campus (6500 Pacific Blvd SW, Albany)*