



Comprehensive Assessment and Report Writing in Speech-Language Pathology

Course Overview:

This self-study Canvas online course is designed for speech-language pathologists to strengthen their skills in conducting thorough assessments and writing legally compliant evaluation reports. Participants will learn the procedures outlined in the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) and California Education Code, with a focus on eligibility criteria for speech and language impairments and the essential components of comprehensive evaluation reports. The course also covers legal and ethical considerations in assessment and report writing, offering practical exercises such as self-assessing written reports and analyzing case scenarios to avoid common pitfalls.

Objectives:

- Describe special education evaluation procedures as outlined in the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA).
- Interpret California Education Code regulations and explain how they align with and implement IDEA requirements.
- Define eligibility criteria for speech or language impairment according to California Education Code.
- Conduct a self-assessment of a written evaluation report to verify inclusion of all legally required components.

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Registration:

Please register [online on OMS](https://sbcss.k12oms.org/52-278375)
(URL: <https://sbcss.k12oms.org/52-278375>)

Audience:

Speech-language pathologists, interns, and site administrators.

Location:

Virtual, a link will be provided once registration is confirmed.

Date & Time:

Self-paced online course offered through Canvas

Cost:

Free

Level of Course Content:

Beginner

Continuing Education Units for SLPs and SLPA's:

This self-study course meets the qualifications for three hours of continuing professional development credit for Speech Language Pathologists as required by the Speech Language Pathology, Audiology, and Hearing Aid Dispensers Board (SLPAHADB). The provider is California Association of Health and Education Linked Professions License# 444. Due to SLPAHADB requirements, participants must complete the entire three-hour Canvas course in order to receive continuing education credit and email Annette Chavez. Please mail the \$5.00 payment, payable to SBCSS, with this CE credit form to the Desert Mountain SELPA, c/o Annette Chavez, 17800 Highway 18, Apple Valley, CA 92307. Please include your name as you want it displayed on the certificate, your state license number, and email address.

Special Accommodations:

Please submit any special accommodation requests at least fifteen working days prior to the training by notating your request when registering.

