



2026/27 Special Education Department Contacts

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Parents with questions/concerns regarding their child's special education services should contact the child's case manager at school. If your concern persists, please contact the special education coordinator overseeing your child's program.

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