

Special Education Plan 2022 – 2023 Summary of Amendments – March 2023

The following amendments are reflected in the Special Education Plan 2022 - 2023. The Special Education Plan is in alignment with the [2020-2025 Strategic Plan](#): Learning Together and reflects the recommendations made in the Ministry document – *Special Education in Ontario Kindergarten to Grade 12 Policy and Resource Guide 2017*.

Section	2021 - 2022	2022 - 2023
Introduction		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> EQAO data included.
1.0 Consultation Process		
Special Education Reviews		The following reviews were undertaken: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Transitions/Early Years in collaboration with community partners; Individual Education Plan (IEP) Development Support Document; System Programs and Education and Community Partnership Programs; Therapeutic Crisis Intervention Recertification; Educational assistant data review and allocation process; Special Incident Portion review.
2.0 Special Education Programs and Services		
2.4 The Identification, Placement and Review committee (IPRC) Process and Appeals		
Referrals, Reviews and Appeals Statistics	See statistics below	See statistics below

Hastings and Prince Edward District School Board gathers IPRC data from the board’s student information system and from individual schools.

The following data is isolated at October 31, 2022.

Note: For students with an exceptionality of Multiple, the data also reflects the Exceptionality 2 and Exceptionality 3 information in the totals.

2022-2023	B	CA	CH	CL	CS	CLD	IG	IMD	IDD	PD	PV	M	Total
Elementary	63	270	17	98	3	195	3	37	126	21	7	117	957
Secondary	68	172	6	43	2	281	6	55	154	24	9	162	982
Total	131	442	23	141	5	476	9	92	280	45	16	279	1939

B - Behaviour	IG - Intellectual Gifted
CA - Communication Autism	IMD - Intellectual Mild Disability
CH - Communication Hearing	IDD - Intellectual Developmental Disability
CL - Communication Language	PD - Physical Disability
CS - Communication Speech	PV - Physical Blind
CLD - Communication Learning Disability	M – Multiple

	2021 - 2022	2022 - 2023
<i>2.8 Special Education Placements Provided by HPEDSB</i>		
Special Education Placements and Admission Criteria Updated program names and locations		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Elementary Special Education Resource Program Placements and Locations 2022-2023 summary included Secondary Special Education Regional Program Placements and Locations – 2022-2023 summary included
<i>Provincial and Demonstration Schools in Ontario</i>		
Updated statistics	See below	See below

	2021 - 2022	2022 - 2023
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2021-2022

Sir James Whitney School for the Deaf	25
Sagonaska	11
W. Ross MacDonald	1
Trillium Provincial School	0

2022-2023

Sir James Whitney School for the Deaf	20
Sagonaska	8
W. Ross MacDonald	1
Trillium Provincial School	0

Section	2021-2022	2022-2023
2.11 Staff Development		
Ministry of Education Funded Professional Learning Experiences		New Ministry of Education Professional Learning experiences were updated.
6.0 Appendices		
All appendices will be updated and referenced throughout the Special Education Plan where relevant.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Appendices are posted to the Special Education Services website > <i>Quick Links</i> > <i>Special Education Plan</i> for reference 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Appendices are posted on the website www.HPEschools.ca > Community & Families > Services > Special Needs Support > Special Education Plan

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