

**IDD-R Special Programs**

9/27/12

**RATIONALE/OBJECTIVE:**

The Cobb County School District (District) complies with federal and Georgia requirements regarding the provision of programs and services for students with identified academic deficiencies. Organizational structures exist to facilitate the delivery of instruction to these students and for the efficient operation of those services that support the delivery of special instruction within the school day.

**RULE:****A. PROGRAMS:**

The District provides the following instructional programs for students with identified academic deficiencies in accordance with state and federal guidelines:

1. Remedial Education Program (REP) as established by Georgia Board of Education Rule IDDB (Remedial Education Program) (Rule 160-4-5-.01) and in consultation with *Georgia Department of Education Remedial Education Program Guidelines*.
2. Early Intervention Program (EIP) as established by Georgia Board of Education Rule IDDH (Early Intervention Program [EIP]) (Rule 160-4-2-.17) and in consultation with *Georgia Department of Education Early Intervention Program Guidelines*.
3. Student Support Team (SST) as outlined by Georgia Board of Education Rule IGB (Student Support Team) (Rule 160-4-2-.32) and in consultation with *Georgia Department of Education Student Support Team Resource Manual*
4. Special Education Programs as established by Georgia Board of Education Rules IDDF (01-21) (Special Education) (Rules 160-4-7-.01 through 160-4-7-.21). The District program shall be outlined in the Special Education Comprehensive Plan as approved by the Cobb County Board of Education. The District has established a goal of providing full educational opportunity to all children with disabilities. To that end, the District will offer a free, appropriate public education opportunity for students with disabilities.
5. Programs for Students with Limited English Proficiency as established by Georgia Board of Education Rule IDDG (Language Assistance: Program for Students with Limited English Proficiency [LEP]) (Rule 160-4-2-.38).

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## Legal Reference

O.C.G.A. 20-02-0159	Special education services for students in home study programs
O.C.G.A. 20-02-0152	Special Education Services
O.C.G.A. 20-02-0300	Implementation and funding authorized
Rule 160-4-7-.05	Eligibility Determination and Categories of Eligibility
Rule 160-4-7-.07	Least Restrictive Environment (LRE)
Rule 160-4-7-.21	Definitions