

2700 SERVICES TO NONPUBLIC SCHOOL PUPILS

The Board of Directors shall provide, in accordance with law and to the limit of State aid available for such purposes, services to pupils enrolled in nonpublic schools located within this Commission in which a child may legally fulfill compulsory school attendance requirements and which complies with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964.

Remedial Services N.J.S.A. 18A:46-19.1 et seq.
N.J.A.C. 6A:14-3.1 et seq.

The Board shall provide services for the identification, referral, evaluation, and determination of eligibility for special education and/or related services, the development of individualized education programs, and speech correction for articulation disorders.

The eligibility of pupils in nonpublic schools for such services shall be determined by the criteria established by rules of the State Board and used to determine the eligibility of pupils enrolled in this Commission for the same services. Services shall be provided only upon the written consent of the parent(s) or legal guardian(s) of the pupil and shall include procedural safeguards provided to pupils of this Commission under N.J.A.C. 6A:14.2 et seq. and Policy No. 2460 and Regulation No. 2460.6 Special Education, Procedural Safeguards.

Remedial services will be supplied by appropriately certified personnel who are not employees of the nonpublic school, except that speech correction may be provided by employees of the nonpublic school. Such services shall be provided only upon consent of the parent(s) or legal guardian(s) of the pupil. Services may also be provided under contract with a public or private agency approved by the Commissioner for the provision of remedial services. The location in which services are provided will be determined by the Board and will comply with rules of the State Board.

Auxiliary Services N.J.S.A. 18A:46A-1 et seq.
N.J.A.C. 6A:14 et seq.

The Board shall provide supportive services for acquiring communication proficiency in the English language for children of limited English speaking ability, supplementary instruction services, and home instruction services. Auxiliary services will be provided only upon the written consent of the pupil's parent(s) or legal guardian(s).

A nonpublic school pupil whose parent(s) or legal guardian(s) objects in writing to the receipt of nursing services shall not be compelled to receive such services, except for a physical examination to determine whether the pupil is ill or infected with a communicable disease.

Other Services

In addition, the Board may provide Child Study Team Services, technology services, pull-out aides and speech services.

Delivery of Services

The Board shall provide any transportation necessitated by the provision of services under this policy.

Funds spent on services delivered under this policy in any one nonpublic school shall not exceed the amount allocated to that school on a per pupil basis, less the cost to this Commission of administrative services directly attributable to the provision of such services. A maximum of six percent of the allocated amount may be spent on administrative costs.

Records regarding individual pupils receiving services under this policy shall be kept in accordance with State Board rules and Policy No. 8330 on Pupil Records.

The Board shall, file with the Commissioner a report on the number of nonpublic school pupils identified as eligible to receive services at a time and in a form required by the New Jersey Department of Education.

N.J.S.A.18A:40-23 et seq.; 18A:40A-17(c);
18A:46-19.1 et seq.; 18A:46A-1 et seq.;
18A:58-37.1 et seq.
N.J.A.C.6A:14-1.1 et seq.; 6:20-6.1;
6:29-8.1 et seq.

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