



# Special Education Acronym Quick Reference Guide

## Frequently Used

<b>ARD</b>	Admission, Review, and Dismissal
<b>AT</b>	Assistive Technology
<b>BIP</b>	Behavior Intervention Plan
<b>ECI</b>	Early Childhood Intervention
<b>ESY</b>	Extended School Year
<b>FAPE</b>	Free Appropriate Public Education
<b>FBA</b>	Functional Behavioral Assessment
<b>FERPA</b>	Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act
<b>FIE</b>	Full and Individual Evaluation
<b>IDEA</b>	Individuals with Disabilities Education Act
<b>IEP</b>	Individualized Education Program
<b>LRE</b>	Least Restrictive Environment
<b>OT</b>	Occupational Therapy
<b>O&amp;M</b>	Orientation and Mobility
<b>PT</b>	Physical Therapy
<b>PLAAFP</b>	Present Levels of Academic Achievement and Functional Performance
<b>SLP</b>	Speech Language Pathologist
<b>TEKS</b>	Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills

## Disabilities

<b>AU</b>	Autism
<b>DHH</b>	Deaf/Hard of Hearing
<b>DB</b>	Deaf-Blindness
<b>ED</b>	Emotional Disturbance
<b>ID</b>	Intellectual Disability
<b>MD</b>	Multiple Disabilities
<b>NCEC</b>	Noncategorical Early Childhood
<b>OI</b>	Orthopedic Impairment
<b>OHI</b>	Other Health Impairment
<b>SLD</b>	Specific Learning Disability
<b>SI</b>	Speech Impairment
<b>TBI</b>	Tramatic Brain Injury
<b>VI</b>	Visual Impairment

## Resource



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