

Special Services Update- Reported by Amy Martino

As of **August 1, 2026, 1,722 of the 7,646 enrolled** Bristol students are identified as requiring Special Education programming. This enrollment reflects **22.52%** of the total BPS student population.

As of **August 1st, 121** students with disabilities required out-of-district placements at private special education school programs. There were **89** students requiring special education programming services at other public out-of-district schools, including magnet schools.

During the month of **July 2026, 46% (31 of 68)** of the newly registered students were identified as students with special education programming needs at the time of registration with. **None** of the newly registered students required programming and services at an out-of-district special education school program.

During the month of July, there were no 211 or 911 calls.

Per request, the yearly trends by month have also been included to view changes across each month from 2019-2026.

Please note that enrollment fluctuates drastically during July and August, which impacts enrollment numbers.