



GOVERNING BOARD
SPECIAL EDUCATION REPORT
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Special Education will be conducting a Child Find on July 10, 2014. We expect to screen 20 students for entry into the special education program.

Construction on the new elementary building is moving forward and is expected to be ready for occupancy by the end of July. The classroom furniture is scheduled to be delivered and setup during the week of July 14-18. Teachers return on July 21, 2014. Students return on August 6, 2014.

We have moved special education staff within the program to better cover the services that are needed. The 2014-15 year will have 3 teachers in the self-contained program and two full time speech therapists. We will also begin providing special education services to the Alternative School students.

We are currently meeting with Head Start, St. Charles, Peridot Lutheran and the Tribal child care staff to establish times and locations for providing services to their students.

The Extend School Year was cancelled as the teaching staff removed the ESY needs from the students IEP's. We do have one student attending summer school due to receiving additional sign language instruction.

We have proposed to move one Special Education teacher into a SPED coordinator position to better cover the required recordkeeping of services delivered. The coordinator will attend the IEP meetings to insure services are discussed and schedule according to the needs of the students.

The Special Education department is looking forward to a positive new school year