

Board Report for Special Education

139 total Special Education Students currently enrolled.

K-6 (SLD, ASD, DCD, OHD) 50

K-6 EBD 12

Speech only 24 (17 shared caseload speech students)

7-12 (SLD, ASD, DCD, OHD) 43

7-17 EBD 10

There have been a total of 9 children ages Birth - 5 referred to Help Me Grow thus far for the Medford School District for the 24/25 school year.

Help Me Grow connects families to resources that help young children develop, learn and grow. They are looking for developmental milestones to determine if young children are meeting them. If not, they are referred for a comprehensive, confidential screening or evaluation at no cost.

5 were ages 3 or older: all which have been referred by their preschool or Headstart providers.
4 were ages Birth -2 : 2 were Provider referred- 2 1 was Social worker referred and - 1 was parent referred.

These students are serviced by either Faribault or Owatonna Early Childhood Programs.

MDE reports are current. There has been zero seclusions or holds this year thus far to report.

The second Special Education Advisory Council will meet on March 19th. Gayle Reuvers and I will be connecting with the council members at the end of February.

Outside contracts that are held are for services for:

Occupational Therapy (Mankato Clinic)

Speech (Joann Bergman and Speech Partners)

Deaf and Hard of Hearing (State School of Deaf)

Mobility (Owatonna)

Audiologist (Jill Wolemdorf Goodhue County Education District)