

Special Education Services in the Middle Schools

Special education services are provided to identified middle school students with Individualized Education Plans (IEPs). The particular services that students receive depend upon need and are specified within the IEP. These services generally focus on reading, writing, math, organization and study skills and are designed to help students access the general education curriculum through specialized instruction that meets their individualized needs. Services are provided by special education teachers themselves or paraprofessionals who work under the guidance of a special education teacher. They take place in both regular education classrooms and study centers.

Students with IEPs may also receive related services. These include:

- Counseling
- Speech and Language
- Occupational Therapy
- Physical Therapy

A Note from CJ Gladstone:

As the Coordinator of Middle School Special Education, I work at both Brown and Polson Middle Schools. I chair PPT meetings and am a resource to special education teachers, administrators and parents. Generally, my schedule is as follows:

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