# FROM PRESCHOOL TO KINDERGARTEN

#### THE TRANSITION PROCESS



# What Happens at the Next Meeting?

- It will be the last CPSE Annual Review.
- When does CPSE end and CSE begin?
- You will attend your child's first CSE meeting.
- Who are the participants at my meeting?
- What does the CSE know about my child?

# Eligibility

- CPSE: Preschool Child with a Disability/a significant delay in one of the five developmental delays
- CSE: The 13 classification categories/ a significant deficit that has significant educational impact

#### Classifications

**Autism** 

Deafness

Deaf-blindness

**Emotional Disturbance** 

**Hearing Impairment** 

Learning Disability

**Intellectual Disability** 

Visual Impairment including Blindness

**Multiple Disabilities** 

Orthopedic Impairment

Other Health Impaired

Speech or Language Impairment

Traumatic Brain Injury

#### Declassification

- What is declassification?
- How does declassification happen?
- Who decides if my child will be declassified?
- What should I do if my child begins to struggle once he/she is in school?

# Support

- What support services are available for my child if he/she is not classified with an educational disability?
- Response to Intervention (RtI) or MTSS
- Consultation from building level service providers
  - AIS Support
  - Occupational Therapy
  - Physical Therapy
  - Speech/Language Teacher
  - Behavior Consultant
  - Reading Teacher/Math Specialist
  - ENL Teacher

### The Continuum of CSE Services

- Related Services
- Resource Room (min 3 hours/week)
- Integrated Co-teaching Program (2 hours daily)
- Special Class (12:1+1 2 hours 45 minutes Integrated Co Teaching 1 hour 40 minutes)
- Special Class (8:1+4)
- Out of District Placements

# Creating an IEP

- Who creates the IEP?
- Who writes the goals?
- When do I get my IEP?
- Who in the school has access to my child's IEP?

#### Least Restrictive Environment

- POB is responsible for providing an appropriate education for each student.
- Services must be provided in the Least Restrictive Environment (LRE).

#### The Role of the Parent

- Parents are considered important members of the CSE.
- Help prepare the IEP
- Communicate
- Observe, Listen, Advocate
- Review IEP
- Monitor
- Join SEPTA

# CSE meetings in Kindergarten

- Requested Review Meeting
- Re-evaluation Review
- Annual Review Meeting
- May be requested by a parent or team member

## Who is My Contact Person?

- Teacher(s)
- Related Service Providers
- School Psychologist
- Principal or Assistant Principal
- CPSE Chairperson
  - Rachel Singer 516-434-3020
- Assistant Director of Pupil Personnel Services
  - Jennifer Lott 516-434-3020
  - Kristin Durante 516-434-3020

#### QUIZ

How many new acronyms did you learn?