

MEMORANDUM

To: Indiana State Board of Education  
 From: Dr. Nancy Holsapple, Director of Special Education  
 Date: January 28, 2020  
 Re: Special Education Child Count

Indiana Code 20-43-4-4 provides that the State Board shall monitor changes that occur in the number of students enrolled in programs for students with disabilities.

This memo provides the count of students by primary disability. The first table lists the unduplicated special education Adjusted Pupil Count (APC) taken from the DOE-SE and DOE-SV data reported on December 2, 2019. The second table lists the Preschool Count taken from the DOE-SE reported on December 2, 2019. Both tables provide comparisons to the totals between this year's counts and the counts taken on November 30, 2018.

<b>ADJUSTED PUPIL COUNT COMPARISONS (NOVEMBER 30, 2018 AND DECEMBER 2, 2019)</b>			
<b>SOURCE: DOE-SE AND DOE-SV</b>			
<b>AGES 5B-22</b>			
<b>UNDULICATED STATE TOTALS BY DISABILITY</b>			
<b>Primary Exceptionality Category</b>	<b>11-30-18 Count</b>	<b>12-2-19 Count</b>	<b>Increase/Decrease</b>
Multiple Disability	2,020	1,961	-59
Orthopedic Impairment	1,404	1,378	-26
Blind or Low Vision	938	924	-14
Deaf or Hard of Hearing	2,268	2,293	25
Emotional Disability – Full Time	6,804	6,766	-38
Emotional Disability – All Other	6,107	6,019	-88
Specific Learning Disability	54,739	54,379	-360
Developmental Delay (Ages 5B-8)	2,171	5,187	3,016
Language/Speech Impairment	33,443	33,170	-273
Mild Intellectual Disability	9,773	9,417	-356
Moderate Intellectual Disability	3,435	3,336	-99
Severe Intellectual Disability	342	308	-34
Deaf-Blind	31	28	-3
Autism Spectrum Disorder	16,057	16,413	356
Traumatic Brain Injury	459	429	-30
Other Health Impairment	25,921	27,183	1,262
<b>Total Unduplicated Count</b>	<b>165,912</b>	<b>169,191</b>	<b>3,279 (+1.98%)</b>

**PRESCHOOL CHILD COUNT COMPARISONS (NOVEMBER 30, 2018 AND DECEMBER 2, 2019)**

**SOURCE: DOE-SE**

**AGES 3-5A**

**UNDUPLICATED TOTALS BY DISABILITY**

<b>Primary Exceptionality Category</b>	<b>11-30-18 Count</b>	<b>12-2-19 Count</b>	<b>Increase/Decrease</b>
Multiple Disability	97	110	13
Orthopedic Impairment	130	113	<b>-17</b>
Blind or Low Vision	49	55	6
Deaf or Hard of Hearing	191	157	<b>-34</b>
Emotional Disability – Full Time	3	1	<b>-2</b>
Emotional Disability – All Other	0	2	2
Specific Learning Disability	22	14	<b>-8</b>
Developmental Delay	4,989	5,306	317
Language/Speech Impairment	6,764	6,875	111
Mild Intellectual Disability	60	50	<b>-10</b>
Moderate Intellectual Disability	31	33	2
Severe Intellectual Disability	3	4	1
Deaf-Blind	3	2	<b>-1</b>
Autism Spectrum Disorder	658	635	<b>-23</b>
Traumatic Brain Injury	12	16	4
Other Health Impairment	273	258	<b>-15</b>
<b>Total Preschool Count</b>	<b>13,285</b>	<b>13,631</b>	<b>346 (+2.60%)</b>