

Special Education Local Plan Area Morongo Unified School District

The Morongo Unified School District provides special education services for eligible students through a variety of specialized programs.

Student needs, whether education, medical, emotional, or behavioral are the focus when developing an Individual Education Plan (IEP) to promote student success within the school setting. While not all Special Education Programs are located at each of the 17 school sites; appropriate services are available for each student as determined by their (IEP). This may require a child to attend a school outside their regular attendance area. In these situations, the District will provide the transportation.

Although the Morongo Unified School District has many programs, the District does have to contract out for some designated services. For example, if a child needs services from an Occupation Therapist (OT), the service would be provided through contracts with outside agencies. The agencies would provide services for the student's needs and the School District covers the cost.

Below are some of the specialized services offered by Morongo Unified School District or via interagency agreements followed by the District's Elementary Level Special Education Programs as well as where the services are located.

Specialized Services

- ◆ Individual and Group Counseling
- ◆ Crisis Management
- ◆ Morongo Basin Mental Health/Pacific Clinics
- ◆ California Children's Services (OT/PT)
- ◆ Staff and Parent Training
- ◆ Vocational Career Counseling
- ◆ Dept. of Rehabilitation
- ◆ Special Education Assessment
- ◆ 504 Accommodation Plan
- ◆ Home/Hospital Teaching
- ◆ Independent Study Contracts
- ◆ Alternative Education Programs
- ◆ Community Day School
- ◆ Non-Public School
- ◆ Consultation/Collaboration
- ◆ Clustering/Pull-Out
- ◆ Mainstreaming/Inclusion
- ◆ Specialized Academic Instruction
- ◆ Transition/Workability
- ◆ Adapted Physical Education
- ◆ Resource Specialist
- ◆ Special Day Class for Learning Disabled

- ◆ Special Day Class for Autistic
- ◆ Blended Resource Specialist Program/Learning Disabled
- ◆ Special Day Class for Emotionally Disabled (2 Elementary and 2 Secondary)
- ◆ Special Day Class for Deaf and Hearing Impaired
- ◆ Non-Public School for Emotionally Disabled
- ◆ Early Childhood Program (birth to 5 years old)

Below is a table that outlines the Special Education Programs at each of the elementary schools within the School District (Morongo Valley, Landers, Yucca Valley, Joshua Tree and Twentynine Palms) during the 2008-2009 school year. Future years may find changes to this list.

School Name	Location	Services	Point of Contact
Condor Elementary	2551 Condor Road Twentynine Palms, CA 92277	Resource Specialist K-6 Learning Disability K-3/4 th Grade	760.366.3812 ph 760.366.1144 fax
Friendly Hills Elementary	7252 Sunny Vista Rd Joshua Tree, CA 92252	Resource Specialist Emotionally Disabled K-6 Hearing Impaired K-6	760.366.3812 ph 760.366.1061 fax
Joshua Tree Elementary	6051 Sunburst Dr. Joshua Tree, CA 92252	Resource Specialist K-6 Learning Disabled K-6	760.366.8459 ph 760.366.5364 fax
Landers Elementary School	56450 Reche Road Landers, CA 92285	Resource Specialist K-6 Learning Disabled K-6	760.364.2382 ph 760.364.1397 fax
Morongo Valley Elementary	10951 Hess Blvd. Morongo Valley, CA 92256	Resource Specialist Learning Disabled K-6	760.363.6216 ph 760.363.8185 fax
Oasis Elementary	73175 El Paseo Dr. Twentynine Palms, CA 92277	Resource Specialist K-6 Severely Disabled 5 th /6 th Grade	760.367.3595 ph 760.367.2103 fax
Onaga Elementary	58001 Onaga Trail Yucca Valley, CA 92284	Resource Specialist Learning Disabled 4-6 Grade	760.369.5333 ph 760.369.6329 fax
Palm Vista Elementary	74350 Baseline Twentynine Palms, CA 92277	Resource Specialist K-6 Severely Disabled 5 th /6 th Grade	760.367.7539 ph 760.367.6766 fax
Twentynine Palms	74350 Playa Vista	Resource Specialist K-6	760.367.3545 ph

Elementary	Twentynine Palms, CA 92277	Learning Disabled K-3/4 th Grade	760.367.9801 fax
Yucca Mesa Elementary	3380 Avalon Yucca Valley, CA 92284	Resource Specialist K-6 Learning Disabled K-3 Austic K-6 Severely Disabled K-6	760.228.1777 ph 760.365.2467 fax
Yucca Valley Elementary	7601 Hopi Trail Yucca Valley, CA 92248	Resource Specialist K-6	760.365.3381 ph 760.369.6329 fax