

**INSTRUCTION**

2161

Special Education

The District will provide a free appropriate public education and necessary related services to all children with disabilities residing within the District, as required under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA), provisions of Montana law, and the Americans with Disabilities Act.

For students eligible for services under IDEA, the District will follow procedures for identification, evaluation, placement, and delivery of service to children with disabilities, as provided in the current *Montana State Plan under Part B of IDEA*.

The District may maintain membership in one or more cooperative associations which may assist in fulfilling the District's obligations to its disabled students.

Legal Reference:       Americans with Disabilities Act, 42 U.S.C. § 12101, et seq.  
                              Individuals with Disabilities Education Act, 20 U.S.C. § 1400, et seq.  
                              § 20-7-Part Four, MCA   Special Education for Exceptional Children

Policy History:

Adopted on: 8/24/2013

Reviewed on: 2/17/2015

Revised on: