

## **OUR MISSION**

Our schools create an educational choice for all students. Our staff connects with students to empower and inspire them to achieve their goals and make their dreams a reality.

For more information on the availability of special education services, A student's right to a free and appropriate public education (FAPE), confidentiality protections, or the referral process please contact us.

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## CHILD FIND

OPPORTUNITIES FOR LEARNING WILLIAM S. HART

# WHAT IS CHILD FIND?

Sec. 300.111. if IDEA 2004 requires that the state have policies and procedures to ensure that:

All children with disabilities residing in the State, including children with disabilities who are homeless or are wards of the State, and children with disabilities attending private schools, regardless of the severity of their disability, and who are in need of special education and related services, are identified, located, and evaluated.

A practical method is developed and implemented to determine which children are currently receiving needed special education and related services.

# IDENTIFYING STUDENTS:

- Parents may make a request to the school if they suspect their child has a learning disability.
- Schools must evaluate any child that it knows or suspects may have a disability.

## STUDENT SUCCESS TEAM MEETING

A Student Success Team of qualified individuals will be assembled to review and discuss concerns, educational history, and interventions in the general education program.

The SST will determine if additional screening is necessary.

If necessary, a Student Screening Report will be completed by qualified team members.

# SCREENING AND EVALUATING

If the screening indicates there is a suspected disability, the Student Study Team will assemble again to discuss concerns, interventions, and possible assessment of a disability to determine eligibility for special education services.

Parents or adult students may contact the school for more information on services and early interventions available.

Eligibility determination: Results of the screening are compared to the state's eligibility guidelines, which must be consistent with federal regulations.