

## REFERRAL FOR SPECIAL EDUCATION EVALUATION

## **Purpose**

The purpose of this form is to assist parents, district staff, public agencies, or other people with information about a student to request a special education evaluation (also called a "special education referral"). This form is <u>not required</u> – any written request for evaluation is valid. It is important to note that the 25-day timeline described below starts as soon as the request is received, whether or not this form is used.

## **Process**

Once Central Kitsap School District receives a written request for evaluation in any form/format, we have <u>25 school days</u> to review information about the student, including school and medical records and information from parents. The team will use all available information to determine whether to evaluate the student for special education eligibility. If it is determined to move forward with an evaluation, we will need to obtain written and informed consent from the parent prior to beginning the initial evaluation. See below for a timeline flow chart.

Timelines for Referral, Initial Evaluation, and Initial Individualized Education Program (IEP)

**Referral** for special education evaluation

25 school days to **decide** whether to evaluate, send written notice re: decision

Written parental **consent** for evaluation

35 school days to complete evaluation and determine eligibility

If student determined **eligible** 

30 calendar days to **develop IEP**, parent **consent** for services

As soon as possible, services begin

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Date:	
I would like to request a special education ev	aluation for the following student:
Student legal first/last name:	
Student birthdate: Gend	ler: Current grade:
Student current address:	
Parent/guardian phone:	
If yes, when and where was the evaluation?	□ I do not know
My concerns for the student are: (check all th	at apply)
Academic Concerns	Physical/Behavioral Concerns
<ul><li>☐ Reading or understanding what is read</li><li>☐ Writing (putting thoughts/ideas into written words and sentences)</li></ul>	<ul><li>☐ Attention and concentration</li><li>☐ Complying with adult directives</li></ul>
<ul> <li>□ Math (calculating or problem solving)</li> <li>□ Following directions</li> <li>□ Putting thoughts into spoken words (expressive communication)</li> <li>□ Understanding spoken words (receptive communication)</li> <li>□ Pronouncing words and sounds (articulation)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>□ Easily frustrated</li> <li>□ Extreme mood swings</li> <li>□ Social/peer interaction skills</li> <li>□ Motivational issues</li> <li>□ Physical/motor concerns (e.g., holding a pencil, walking upstairs, bouncing a ball, etc.)</li> <li>□ Adaptive skills (e.g., toileting, hygiene, personal safety skills, managing money, etc.)</li> <li>□ School attendance issues</li> </ul>
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evaluate.	
Tell us more about your con	cerns for the student. Where do you see the student struggling?
What has already been tried	I to help the student? Examples could include interventions implemented as
	upports (MTSS), Learning Assistance Program (LAP), Title I, etc.
Support	How did this support help the student?
□ Tutoring	
☐ Small group instruction	
☐ Behavior plan	
□ Other:	
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Is there medical or health in student take any medication	formation about the student that the district should know? Does the
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Is there any other information	on you would like to share? Is there any paperwork or other records
you can share?	

In the sections below, please provide additional information that you would like the district to know. This information is not required, but would be helpful to the district when determining whether to

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