



School District 19
(Revelstoke)

Revelstoke Board of Education

Policy Manual

3.5 Student Support Services for Students with Diverse Learning Needs

The Board of Education believes that every child has a fundamental right to a quality education. All students must be afforded equitable opportunities to develop to their full potential in the most inclusive environment possible. An inclusive education program is one in which all students are fully participating members in a community of learning. Educational programs are to be developed based upon individual students' strengths and needs.

Guidelines

1. The Board acknowledges the need for meaningful parental/caregiver consultation and the important role that parents/caregivers play in a child's education.
2. Student support services are a continuum, designed on an individual basis to allow students with a range of abilities and challenges to thrive.
3. Services and supports for students are based on the principle of early identification and early intervention.
4. Consultation and collaboration with community service providers is essential to ensure student success in and out of school.