

Special Education Required Postings to LEA Website

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To assist local education agencies (LEAs) in maintaining compliance with required special education website posting requirements, TEA has developed this checklist to ensure all documents and statements are posted according to the Texas Education Code (TEC) and the U.S. Department of Education’s Office of Special Education Programs (OSEP) requirements. This document will be updated periodically to include any new requirements.

Check Completed	Post/Publish Requirement	Statutory Authority
<input type="checkbox"/>	Student Handbook Statement: English Texas Education Agency Student Handbook Statement: Spanish Texas Education Agency	TEC §26.0081
<input type="checkbox"/>	Texas Transition and Employment Guide (English/Spanish)	TEC §29.0112(e)
<input type="checkbox"/>	SB 139 Notice to Families (English Version) SB 139 Notice to Families (Spanish Version)	OSEP Requirement 2
<input type="checkbox"/>	A direct link to Resources Texas Education Agency Provides families with information regarding IDEA, Dyslexia, MTSS, and Section 504.	OSEP Requirement 3
<input type="checkbox"/>	Compensatory Services Servicios Compensatorios Additionally, LEAs must be sure to provide this information to families of students with disabilities without internet access in the most appropriate manner for their local communities.	OSEP Requirement 4
<input type="checkbox"/>	Dyslexia Handbook 2021 Update Important Changes Actualización del manual de dislexia 2021 Update all websites, materials, static resources, and information available to parents and staff to reflect the revised Dyslexia Handbook 2021	OSEP response to Texas Corrective Action
NEW <input type="checkbox"/>	By August 31, 2022: Post the logo, hyperlink, description, and contact information for SPEDTex (preferably on the special education website) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Items to be posted can be found here on SPEDTex site Using the provided link, go to the bottom of the SPEDTex Educator’s Page Find the tab under Required Posting to Local Education Agency (LEA) Website for items to be posted 	IDEA-B Requirements and SPEDTex

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<input type="checkbox"/>	<p>Recommended Post: Publicly Report (recommendation to post on the LEA website) if: Significant Disproportionate (SD Year 3) and upon review any revision of policies, practices, and procedures used in the identification or placement in particular education settings, including disciplinary removals are made.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Significant Disproportionality State and Federal Activity Updates • Disproportionality (texas.gov) 	34 C.F.R. §300.646(c)
<input type="checkbox"/>	<p>Recommended Post: Consider posting (recommended but not required): Notice of Procedural Safeguards (esc18.net) Pro Safeguards SPAN.pdf (esc18.net) Additional languages can be found at Procedural Safeguards - SPEDTex</p>	34 C.F.R. §300.504(b)
<input type="checkbox"/>	<p>Recommended Post: Consider posting (recommended but not required): ARD Guide ENG.pdf (esc18.net) ARD Guide SPAN.pdf (esc18.net) Additional languages can be found at Parent's Guide to the ARD Process - SPEDTex</p>	20 U.S.C. Section 1415(b)

Questions regarding the above requirements should be directed to sped@tea.texas.gov.