Overview:

Revised IEP Form

Special Education Directors Webinar February 11, 2020



Mississippi Department of Education

VISION

To create a world-class educational system that gives students the knowledge and skills to be successful in college and the workforce, and to flourish as parents and citizens

MISSION

To provide leadership through the development of policy and accountability systems so that all students are prepared to compete in the global community



State Board of Education Goals FIVE-YEAR STRATEGIC PLAN FOR 2016-2020



All
Students
Proficient
and Showing
Growth in All
Assessed
Areas



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Every
Student
Graduates
from High
School and
is Ready for
College and
Career



3

Every
Child Has
Access
to a HighQuality Early
Childhood
Program



4

Every
School Has
Effective
Teachers and
Leaders



5

Every
Community
Effectively
Uses a
World-Class
Data System
to Improve
Student
Outcomes



6

Every
School and
District is
Rated "C" or
Higher





Identifying Information

INDIVIDUALIZED EDUCATION PROGRAM (IEP)

School Year:	_Public Agency/S	chool District:		
Student's Name:		MSIS:		
IEP Committee Meeting Date:	1 1	Projected Annual Review Date:	1	I
		Projected End Date:(Projected date when services and programmer programmer)		
Date of Birth: / /	Age:	Primary Eligibility:		
Gender: Female Male	Ethnicity:	Secondary Eligibility:		
Grade: School:		Current Eligibility Date:	1	1
		Projected Re-evaluation Date:	1	1
Parent/Guardian Name(s):				
Address:				
Phone Number:				
Email:				



IEP Committee Participants

IEP COMMITTEE PARTICIPANTS (Signatures are not required.)										
Initial (Written Parental Permission for Initial Placement must be signed before implementation.)										
Name	Position	Name	Position							
Names and	Position of Excused IEP Com	nmittee Members (Attach docu	iment to IEP)							
Name	Position	Name	Position							
	cted via alternate means of te		P meeting was recorded:							
☐ Video Conferencing ☐ Co			No							
EVALUATIONS										
Check any evaluations or follow-ups to determine special education services and/or related service needs.										
Functional Behavioral Assessment (FBA) Assistive Technology Assessment										
Occupation or Physical Therapy Evaluation List other evaluation(s)/follow-up(s)										



PLAAFP – Strengths, Preferences, and Interests

PRESENT LEVELS OF ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT AND FUNCTIONAL PERFORMANCE

Student's Strengths, Preferences, and Interests

Levels of performance should reflect the following and include current data sources: 1) the student's current performance in math and reading, 2) the strengths, both academic and functional, of the student; 3) a description of the student's social, behavioral, and/or emotional skills; 4) the student's interests; 5) the student's preferences; 6) If the student is 14 years or older, how the student's level of academic and functional achievement will affect the pursuit of postsecondary goals. If preschool, include developmentally appropriate activities.



PLAAFP – Impact of Disability and Student Needs

Impact of Disability and Student Needs (Critical Skills and Behaviors or Developmentally Appropriate Activities)

Levels of impact and needs should reflect the following and include current data sources: 1) the direct impact of the student's disability in accessing or progressing in the general curriculum (reading and math curriculum, behavior, and functional activities (if the student has a reading deficit, the student's Individual Reading Plan content should be included); 2) the gap for the student in academics, functionally, and/or developmentally and how this compares to his peers; 3) any needed accommodations and/or modifications; 4) If preschool, age-appropriate developmental skills the student is lacking compared to peers; and 5) transition skills—describe how the effects of the disability will impact postsecondary transition.



Individual Reading Plan (IRP)

Individual Reading Plan Checklist							
following the identification of a reading deficiency, intensive reading instruction and intervention must be documented for each student in an individual reading plan, which includes, at a minimum, the ollowing:							
(a) The student's specific, diagnosed reading skill deficiencies as determined (or identified) by diagnostic assessment data;							
(b) The goals and benchmarks for growth;							
(c) How progress will be monitored and evaluated;							
(d) The type of additional instructional services and interventions the student will receive;							
(e) The research-based reading instructional programming the teacher will use to provide reading instruction, addressing the areas of phonemic awareness, phonics, fluency, vocabulary and comprehension;							
(f) The strategies the student's parent is encouraged to use in assisting the student to achieve reading competency; and,							
(g) Any additional services the teacher deems available and appropriate to accelerate the student's reading skill development							



Individual Reading Plan (IRP)

Note: The Individual Reading Plan correlates with the Multi-Tiered System of Supports (MTSS) student documentation required for Tier III (Intensive Intervention). These pages may be used when meeting with the Teacher Support Team for each K-3 student who did not respond to Tier II Interventions; 4th grade students requiring Intensive Intervention after Good Cause Exemption promotion; or for intensive reading interventions for Special Education students (K-4) and English Language Learners (ELLs).



Is the IRP now a requirement in addition to the IEP?

 Yes. In accordance with Section 37-177-1, the IRP is required for students (K-3) who, at any time, exhibit a substantial deficiency in reading, as well as students who were promoted to 4th grade with a good cause exemption. The IRP is not a part of the Individualized Education Program (IEP).



Who is responsible for implementing the IRP for students with disabilities?

The teacher providing reading instruction to the student is responsible for implementing the IRP. A student with a disability may receive reading instruction from the general education teacher and the special education teacher, including Inclusion and/or Resource. In this case, the student's general education teacher and special education teacher should work together to implement the IRP.



If a student has a 504 Plan and receives intensive therapy in the dyslexia program, does he/she still need the IRP?

 Yes. All public school students (K-3) who, at any time, exhibit a substantial deficiency in reading, as well as students who were promoted to 4th grade with a Good Cause Exemption are required to have an IRP.



Is an IRP required for K-3 students receiving special education services who are classified as having a Significant Cognitive Disability (SCD) and who take the alternate assessment?

 No. Students classified as having a Significant Cognitive Disability qualify for Good Cause Exemption (GCE) B for "students with disabilities whose Individualized Education Program (IEP) indicates that participation in the statewide accountability assessment program is not appropriate, as authorized under state law". Therefore, a student who meets the criteria for GCE "B" would not be required to have an IRP.

What is the role of the Speech-Language Pathologist and/or the special education teacher on the IRP team, when the student also has an Individualized Education Program (IEP)?

• It is recommended that the development of an IRP be a team approach. In addition, it is recommended that the Speech-Language Pathologist and/or the special education teacher be an integral part of the team that writes the IRP for a student with an Individualized Education Program.



 For more information on completing the IRP, go to https://mdek12.org/Literacy



Age 3-5: Annual Goal Baseline Data

INDIVIDUALIZED EDUCATION PROGRAM (IEP) Ages 3-5

School Year:	Public Agency/S	School District:
Student's Name:		MSIS:
	ANNUAL GOA	L BASELINE DATA
	c) the condition under which the	e: (a) a data source, (b) a clear description of the observable e "target" skill or behavior can be observed, and (d) the <u>current</u>
	AREA OF	ANNUAL GOAL
Social Emotional Skills a Social Emotional	<u> </u>	
Knowledge and Skills: Communication P	re-Academic Cognitive	Other:
Appropriate Behavior to Gross/Fine Motor Skills	Meet Needs: Adaptive/Daily Living Skills	Other:



Age 6-20: Annual Goal Baseline Data

INDIVIDUALIZED EDUCATION PROGRAM (IEP) Ages 6-20

School Year:	Public Agency/Scl	hool District:
Student's Name:		MSIS:
	ANNUAL GOAL	BASELINE DATA
	the condition under which the "	a) a data source, (b) a clear description of the observable target" skill or behavior can be observed, and (d) the <u>current</u>
	AREA OF AN	NNUAL GOAL
Academic: Reading Math		
	☐Emotional ☐Behavioral	Gross/Fine Motor Skills Adaptive Daily Living Skills
Other: Other		



Annual Goal Baseline Data

- The only information that should be here is the baseline for the corresponding annual goal on the same page.
- The baseline statement has four components:
 - Behavior what the student can do currently
 - Condition under what circumstances (i.e. small group, independently, when given grade-level material, etc.)
 - Criteria how well the student can perform the task currently
 - Data source



Annual Goal Baseline Example

According to classroom assessment data, when presented with a grade-level reading passage, Kirby is able to answer ten questions about the passage with 40% accuracy.

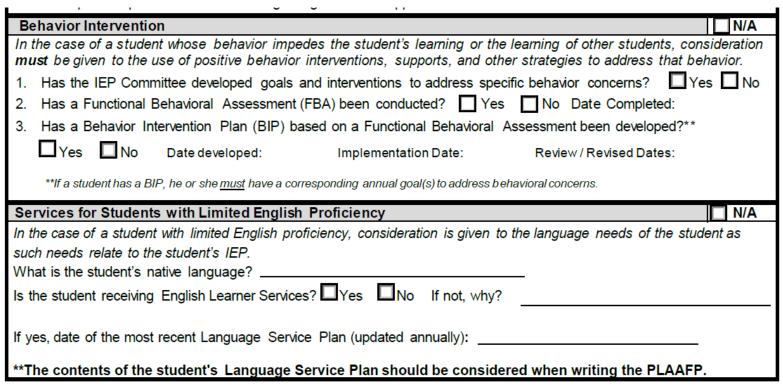


Special Considerations

SPECIAL CONSIDERATIONS*				
Communication (Required)				
Does the student have special communication needs?				
Assistive Technology (Required)				
Does the student need assistive technology services or devices to maintain or improve functional capabilities?				
Does the student need assistive technology assessment?				
Service for Students who are Blind or Visually Impaired				
In the case of a student who is blind or visually impaired, provide for instruction in and the use of Braille unless the IEP				
Committee determines, after an evaluation of the student's reading and writing media, Braille instruction is not appropriate.				
Instruction in Braille considered? Yes No Evaluation Date:				
Instruction in Braille appropriate?				
Yes No				
Were the parents provided information regarding the Mississippi School for the Blind?				
Service for Students who are Deaf or Hearing Impaired				
In the case of the student who is deaf or hearing impaired, consider language and communication needs, opportunities				
for direct communication needs, academic level, and full range of needs, including direct instruction in the student's language and communication mode.				
Student's language and communication mode:				
Is direct instruction in the student's language and communication mode needed?				
Is direct instruction in the student's language and communication mode needed?				
Were the parents provided information regarding the Mississippi School for the Deaf? Yes No				



Special Considerations



^{*} Indicate all relevant Special Considerations in the PLAAFP.



Language Service Plan for ELL

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APPENDIX B Language Service Plan (for Students with Limited English Proficiency)							
This form should be completed by the individual responsible for providing the instructional program for the EL students and the classroom teacher. This form should be updated annually. Person completing this form							
STUDENT NAME							
PRIMARY LANGUAGE SPOKEN			LANGUAGE(S SPOKEN IN HOMI	-			
ADDITIONAL LANGUAGE(S)	1	DATE FIRST ENROLLED IN A U.S. SCHOOL		IMMIGRANT STATUS (< 3 yrs)			
PARENT/GUARDIAN NAME							
PHONE (home)		(work)		(cell)			
HOME/SCHOOL COMMUNICATION to parent/guardian is requested in: English OR Native Language: Oral OR Written							
ACADEMIC HISTORY PRIOR TO ENTERING CURRENT DISTRICT							
Age Started School	Years in Preschool/K Years in grades 1-5 Years in grades 6-12						
Last grade completed	☐ Interrup	oted Formal Education	on Limited Schoo	oling No Formal schooling			
Has the student been refe for Special Education?	erred Yes No	Does the child have an IEP?					

Special Education and Related Services

SPECIAL EDUCATION AND RELATED SERVICES						
Special Education						
Service	Area	Location	Start Date	End Date	Duration/Frequency	
Related Services						
Service	Area	Location	Start Date	End Date	Duration/Frequency	



Accommodations and Modifications

Duration and frequency of modifications, accommodations and supports for personnel have been removed.

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Program Modifications				
Service	Area	Location	Start Date	End Date
Instructional/Functional Accom				
Service	Area	Location	Start Date	End Date
0				
Supports for Personnel				
Service	Area	Location	Start Date	End Date
		Area		
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A. Reading F. Science	K. Musi	С		T. Other:



Assessment: Students with SCD

STATE- OR DISTRICTWIDE ASSESSMENT FOR STUDENTS WITH A SIGNIFICANT COGNITIVE DISABILITY

Indicate any assessments the student will complete during the current year, specifying the edition, if applicable. NOTE: The IEP Committee may not remove the requirements for English Learners to be assessed in all four (4) domains of the ELPT. If the student is unable to participate in fewer than four (4) domains, the ELPT score will be based on the remaining domains in which it is possible to assess the student.

	Grade Level (Age for non-graded students) For non-graded students (coded 56, 58, 72, 74, or 78), peer grades are based on the student's age as of Sept. 1 of the applicable school year.											
	PK	K-2 (5-7 yrs.)	3 (8 yrs.)	4 (0 yrs.)	5 (10 yrs.)	6 (11 yrs.)	7 (12 yrs.)	8 (13 yrs.)	9 (14 yrs.)	10 (15 yrs.)	11 (16 yrs.)	12 (17, 18 yrs.)
MKAS2/Kindergarten Readiness Assessment												
Third Grade MAAP ELA Assessment												
MAAP-A (ELA)												
MAAP-A (Mathematics)												
MAAP-A (Science)												
MAAP-A EOC (English II)												
MAAP-A EOC (Algebra I)												
MAAP-A EOC (Biology)												
English Language Proficiency Test (ELPT)												
ACT (American College Test)												
Other:												
Other:												



Assessment: Students Without SCD

PARTICIPATION IN STATEWIDE ASSESSMENT PROGRAM

STATE- OR DISTRICTWIDE ASSESSMENTS FOR STUDENTS WITHOUT A SIGNIFICANT COGNITIVE DISABILITY

Indicate any assessments the student will complete during the current year, specifying the edition, if applicable. NOTE: The IEP Committee may not remove the requirement for English Learners to be assessed in all four domains because he/she is unable to participate in fewer than four. The student's ELP score must be based on the remaining domains in which it is possible to assess the student.*

						Gr	ade L	evel				
	PK	K-2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
MKAS ² / Kindergarten Readiness Assessment												
Third Grade MAAP ELA Assessment												
MAAP (English Language Arts/Literacy)												
MAAP (Mathematics)												
MAAP (Science)												
MAAP-EOC (Algebra I)												
MAAP-EOC (Biology I)												
MAAP-EOC (English II)												
MAAP-EOC (U.S. History)												
MS-CPAS2												
ACT (American College Test)												
English Language Proficiency Test (ELPT)*												
Other:	_											



English Learner Example

Provided in 34 C.F.R. §200.6(h)(4)(ii):

- A non-verbal English Learner (EL) who, because of an identified disability, cannot take the speaking portion of the ELP assessment.
- The EL is not precluded from the domain because he or she has a disability;
 rather, there is not an appropriate accommodation to enable the student to
 access the test.
- The IEP Team nor the 504 Team can exempt an English learner (EL) from taking the test.
- For more information, contact Sharon Prestridge in the Office of Student Assessment (601-359-1970).



Transition: Exit Options

Exit Options Exit options must be reviewed with the parent and the student, as appropriate, before completing this section. Check the exit option determined appropriate for the student.						
Traditional Diploma Career and Technical Endorsement Academic Endorsement Distinguished Academic Endorsement High School Equivalency (GED)	Alternate Diploma is and option ONLY available to students that meet the criteria for Significant Cognitive Disabilities. Certificate of Completion Mississippi Occupational Diploma (MOD) is an option ONLY available to students that entered ninth grade prior to the 2017-18 school year.					
	he IEP Committee M <u>ee</u> ting					
The student was invited to the IEP meeting.	∕es □No					
Interagency Linkages	(Participating Agencies)					
List any agencies/person(s) (a) currently involved with the student or family, (b) able to provide needed information to the IEP Committee, and/or (c) likely to become involved in providing support or services after the student exits high school and transitions to the community, employment, and/or postsecondary education/training. Written parental consent must be obtained before inviting any agencies/person(s) likely to be responsible for providing/paying for transition services. Education/Training: Employment: Independent Living:						
Lucion/Haming.	in independent Living.					



Course of Study

Course Of Study				
Select the course of study that supports the Student's postsecondary goal(s):				
□ Agriculture, Food and Natural	Education and Training	 Law, Public Safety, and Security 		
Resources] Finance	☐ Manufacturing		
☐ Architecture and Construction	Government and Public Administration	☐ Marketing		
□ Arts, Media, and	Health Science	□ Science, Technology,		
	Hospitality and Tourism	Engineering and Mathematics		
□ Business Management and [Human Services	 Transportation, Distribution, and 		
Administration [Information Technology	Logistics		
Additional options (SCD only): ☐ Supported Employment ☐ Daily Living Activities ☐ Customized Employment				
List the general and special education class(es) in the student's course of study for the previous, current, and projected				
year selected on the basis of the studer	t's strengths, interests, preferences and de	esired postsecondary goals.		
Previous Year's Class(es)	Current Year's Class(es)	Projected Year's Class(es)		



Least Restrictive Environment

The circumstances must be explained if the "No" box is checked on any question. The last box must be checked as an assurance by the IEP Committee that the entire continuum of placement options was considered.

PLACEMENT CONSIDERATIONS AND LEAST RESTRICTIVE ENVIRONMENT (LRE) DETERMINATION			
Placement Option(s) Considered			
□Yes □ No	Is this placement based on the student's educational needs documented in this IEP? 3CFR300.114		
If No, explain			
□Yes □No			
If No, explain			
□Yes □No	If removal from the regular environment is necessary, is it based on the nature and severity of the student's disability and not the need for modifications in the general curriculum? 34CFR300.114		
If No, explain			
	Is the educational placement as close as possible to the student's home? 34CFR200.116(b)(3)		
ii No, explain			
☐Yes ☐ No	Is the educational placement in the school the student would attend if the student did not have a disability? 34CFR300.116(c)		
If No, explain			
Consideration: The IEP team considered all placement options and related services in conjunction with discussing any needed supplementary aids and services, accommodations/modifications, assistive technology and/or accessible materials, and supports for school personnel as well as potential harmful effects on the student.(300.116(d)) The IEP team also considered the potential harmful effects of the placement of the child and whether it would impede the ability of the child or other children to learn.			



Documenting the Placement Decision

Placement Decision		
Check the selected Placement Decision in the section below.		
Preschool Age LRE Environment (Least restrictive to most restrictive)		
(Check one for students ages 3-5)		
Early childhood setting		
Early childhood special education		
Part-time early childhood/Part-time early childhood special education		
Home		
Itinerant services outside the home		
Residential facility		
Separate school		
School Age LRE Environment (Least restrictive to most restrictive) (Check one for students ages 6-20)		
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 Inside general education with no supplementary aids and services Inside general education with supplementary aids and services—includes itinerant instruction and resource 		
room instructional support		
Special classes—full- or part-time self-contained		
Separate school—residential or day treatment		
Home instruction		
Correctional facilities		
Parentally placed in private schools		



Least Restrictive Environment

Special Transportation		
Is special transportation needed in the selected LRE?		
MSIS Classification for LRE Time Student Receives Special Education Outside of the General Education Classroom		
Preschool LRE Classification (Check one below for students ages 3-5)		
□ PC/Home □ PI/Regular program ten (10) or more hours per week and served in the regular program □ PF/Separate School □ PJ/Regular program ten (10) or more hours per week and served in another location □ PG/Separate Class □ PK/Regular program less than ten (10) hours per week and served in the regular program □ PK/Regular program less than ten (10) hours per week and served in another location □ PL/Regular program less than ten (10) hours per week and served in another location		
School-age LRE Classification (Check one below for students ages 6-21)		
SA/Inside general education class 80% or more of the day SB/Inside general education class 40% to 79% of the day SC/Inside general education class less than 40% of the day SD/Separate School SF/Residential Facility SH/Home-Hospital SI/Correctional Facilities		
SJ/Parentally Placed in Private Schools		



Signature Page

SIGNATURE PAGE FOR IEP

INITIAL OR ANNUAL SIGNATURES		
WRITTEN PARENTAL PERMISSION FOR INITIAL PLACEMENT		
My rights and those of my child, as outlined in the Procedural Safeguards Notice, have been fully explained to me. I understand that my child has a disability, and I know my child's eligibility category. I hereby give consent for my child to receive special education services as recorded on this Individualized Education Program (IEP).		
Parent/Guardian Signature: Date:		
PROCEDURAL SAFEGUARDS NOTICE		
I have received a copy of the Procedural Safeguards Notice, and my rights and those of my child have been fully explained. The public agency has informed me of whom I may contact if I need additional information.		
Parent/Guardian Signature: Date:		



Signature Page

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF STATE TESTING		
ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF REQUIREMENTS FOR PARTICIPATION II	N THIRD GRADE MAAP ELA ASSESSMENT	
I understand that if my child does not meet the minimum cut score on the Mississippi Academic Assessment Program (English Language Arts) he or she will be required to participate in the Alternative Third Grade MAAP ELA Assessment.		
Parent/Guardian Signature:	Date:	
ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF REQUIREMENTS FOR PARTICIPATION II	N HIGH SCHOOL SUBJECT AREA TESTS	
I have had the Mississippi Statewide Assessment System fully explained to me. I understand that all students will be assessed in some way, but only students who meet the graduation requirements under State Board Policy Chapter 36, Rule 36.4 and 36.5 will be eligible to receive a traditional high school diploma.		
Parent/Guardian Signature:	Date:	



Wrap Up

- The revised IEP form is currently available on the MDE website and has been provided to vendors who have requested access.
- IEP Institutes will be held in March and April, 2020 around the State to train staff on the new form.
- The new form will not be required for use until August, 2021.



Resources

- <u>IEP Form</u> (revised 02-01-20)
- Webinar will be posted to the MDE website as soon as it is available.







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