

Services To All Districts

The San Joaquin County **Special Education Local Plan Area (SELPA)** is made up of 10 school districts as indicated in this brochure. Support is provided to these districts upon request and may include consultation and/or direct service. An important function is to act as an interagency liaison and bridge between community resources and student needs.

San Joaquin SELPA, one of three in San Joaquin County, has been in operation providing support since 1981. There are currently close to 6,800 students with identified special education needs within the SELPA region, ranging in age from birth to 22. Staff and services available include but are not limited to the following:

Program/Educational Specialists may be requested to consult with teachers/administrators on individual students providing technical assistance regarding Individualized Education Program (IEP) or Individual Transition Plan (ITP) development; behavioral interventions; curricular resources and program recommendations. Networking and staff development are major components and are provided at the District, SELPA, and Regional levels.

Psychologists consult regarding special education issues and Student Study Team functions in small districts and court schools. They provide assessment and follow-up recommendations, for students referred for special education services in county programs, court schools, and small districts. The Psychologists may furnish counseling to students with special education needs in the county special education programs and small districts.

Career Vocational Staff provide consultation to school site staff in areas of vocational screening, career exploration, life skills curriculum, and community based instruction. Information on local resources such as public transportation, the Department of Rehabilitation, Social Security Administration, Private Industry Council and Valley Mountain Regional Center is also available. Job training and coaching to assist with the transition to independent employment is provided to students, when appropriate, through the Limited Work Internship and Workability I Grants.

MIS (Management Information System) is the computerized system that tracks all special education students and services in the consortium. The MIS provides mandated information for state and federal reports generated from the districts.

How To Access

If you need assistance regarding services, consult your District Special Education Administrator listed in this brochure.

**Check the SJCOE Online Calendar
for upcoming staff development
opportunities:**

www.sjcoe.org

Who We Are

We are a regionalized services office, providing special education services to the San Joaquin County Special Education Local Plan Area (SELPA) school districts. Our goal is to provide support to district personnel leading to improved programs and resources for special education students.

Where We Are

The SELPA Regionalized Services Office is located in the Fredrick Wentworth Education Center, at the San Joaquin County Office of Education, 2707 Transworld Dr., Stockton. Office hours are 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

What We Provide

- Program/Educational Specialists
- Career-Vocational Specialists
- Psychologists
- Staff Development Opportunities
- Management Information Services
- Curriculum Resources
- Liaison Activities with Associated Agencies

Lending Library Services

- Curriculum Materials
- Assessment Materials
- Special Education Catalogs
- Career-Vocational Materials

Information Resources

- Local Special Education Programs
- Legislation/Regulations
- Community Agencies
- Quarterly Newsletter
- Staff Development Bulletin
- Career-Vocational Resources

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San Joaquin S.E.L.P.A. is one of three S.E.L.P.A.s within San Joaquin County:

San Joaquin County



1) San Joaquin S.E.L.P.A.

Serving ten districts throughout San Joaquin County
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2) Stockton S.E.L.P.A.

Serving Stockton Unified School District
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3) Lodi S.E.L.P.A.

Serving Lodi Unified, New Hope and Oak View School Districts
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