



4.3. When students are identified to transfer from a special education program operated by a school district or county office for children of elementary age, to a program operated by a school district or county office for students of the secondary age level, the school district or county office providing the elementary special education program shall invite the appropriate representative of the school district responsible for the secondary special education program to the individual education program meeting of each student.

If authorized high school personnel participate in the IEP meeting, the IEP shall determine the appropriate secondary school special education services for the student.

If authorized personnel of high school districts have not participated in the development of the IEP for students prior to the transfer from the elementary program, the school district or county office shall provide the high school with a list of students with disabilities who require special education services. For each pupil listed who enrolls in the high school, the school administrator shall make an interim placement in accordance with Education Code §56325 or shall immediately convene an IEP team meeting.

- Child is eligible to enroll at 3 years.
- A student turning 22 from January to June of any given year, eligibility to receive special education and related services shall continue through the remainder of the school year including ESY.
- A student turning 22 in July, August, or September of any given year may not begin the new school year.
- A student who becomes 22 during the months of October, November or December of any given year eligibility to receive special education and related services shall continue to December 31.

**References:**

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