

SPECIAL EDUCATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE

GRADUATION RATES FOR EXCEPTIONAL AND NON-EXCEPTIONAL IEP STUDENTS

Truly I tell you, just as you did it to one of the least of these who are members of my family, you did it to me (Mt 25:40)'

October 13, 2018 October 17,	2018 Click here	to enter a date.

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INFORMATION REPORT

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We educate students to grow in grace and knowledge to lead lives of faith, hope and charity.



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A. EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

This report provides information about the graduation rates for Exceptional and Non-Exceptional IEP students over the last five years (2013-2018). Information about the rates of acceptance to post-secondary education of Exceptional and Non-Exceptional IEP students is not provided in this report as this aggregate data is not collected by the TCDSB.

The cumulative staff time required to prepare this report was 8 hours

B. PURPOSE

1. During the SEAC meeting of 13 June, 2018, an inquiry had been made about the following: the graduation and post-secondary education acceptance rates for Exceptional and non-Exceptional IEP students.

2. The motion reads as follows:

"SEAC recommends to the Board of Trustees that staff investigate whether the graduation and post-secondary acceptance rates are available for students with Exceptionalities and Individual Education Plan (IEP) Non-Identified."

C. BACKGROUND

- 1. This information report is on the Order Paper of the SEAC as a result of a motion arising out of the June 2018 SEAC meeting and approved at the September 2018 Board meeting.
- 2. For the consideration of SEAC is the following information: Graduation rates for the last five years (2013-2018) for Exceptional and Non-Exceptional IEP students. Graduation information pertains to the obtainment of either the OSSC or OSSD.
- 3. Post-secondary placements are not collected by the TCDSB for graduating students. Information regarding acceptance or rejection by a post-secondary institution is considered confidential information.

D. EVIDENCE/RESEARCH/ANALYSIS

- 1. In 2013-14, the total number of students who graduated were:
 - ✓ OSSC = 35:
 - ✓ OSSD = 6,926: No IEP = 5,493 IEP = 1,433; Total Graduates with IEPs: 1,468.
- 2. In 2014-15, the total number of students who graduated were:
 - \checkmark OSSC = 30:
 - ✓ OSSD = 7,116 No IEP = 5,696 IEP = 1,420; Total Graduates with IEPs: 1,450.
- 3. In 2015-16, the total number of students who graduated were:
 - \checkmark OSSC = 28;
 - ✓ OSSD = 6.894 No IEP = 5.424 IEP = 1.470.
 - ✓ Total Graduates with IEPs: 1,498.
- 4. In 2016-17, the total number of students who graduated were:
 - \checkmark OSSC = 35;
 - ✓ OSSD = 7,113 No IEP = 5,663 IEP = 1,450;
 - ✓ Total Graduates with IEPs: 1,485.
- 5. In 2017-18, the total number of students who graduated were:
 - \checkmark OSSC = 40;
 - ✓ OSSD = 6,758 No IEP = 5,462 IEP = 1,296;
 - ✓ Total Graduates with IEPs: 1,336.

E. CONCLUDING STATEMENT

This report is for the consideration of the SEAC Committee.