

September 4, 2019

Dear Parents/Guardians,

I am writing to inform you that on August 23, 2019, Governor Pritzker signed House Bill 3586. House Bill 3586 is legislation that states all Illinois public school districts will have to adhere to additional requirements related to the provisions of special education. Based on these changes, Community High School District 230 will:

- Provide parents/guardians with "copies of all written material" that will be considered at the IEP meeting at least three (3) days in advance of IEP meetings. This includes all evaluations and collected data that will be considered at the meeting. This also includes "copies of all written material that will be considered by the individualized education program team at the meeting other than the components related service minutes proposed for the child and the child's educational placement."
- Ensure that related service logs are available at the student's annual review or upon the request of the parent/guardian.

If you have any questions about this new legislation, please contact your building Special Services Director:

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Sincerely,

Dr. Kim Dryier

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