

# HOUSTON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

## 2023-2024 PRIVATE SCHOOL SERVICES

### Office of Special Education Services

#### THE FOLLOWING WILL APPLY TO ALL PRIVATE SCHOOL SERVICES IN 2023 – 2024

- Services will be provided based on the determination made by the Individualized Services Plan Meeting.
- Services will be provided on a schedule based on the 2023 - 2024 HISD school year calendar.
- Services provided will be based on the child's current public-school evaluation and ARD/IEP meeting record. The district will review the evaluation submitted for a child evaluated by a school district other than HISD and services will be based on eligibility as determined by HISD guidelines.

#### SPEECH THERAPY

- Type of speech therapy and frequency, location, and duration of speech therapy sessions will be determined at the individual services plan meeting based on the needs of each private school child as recommended by the private school speech therapist. Services will be provided at the private school.

#### SPECIFIC LEARNING DISABILITY, OTHER HEALTH IMPAIRMENT, EMOTIONAL DISTURBANCE, ORTHOPEDIC IMPAIRMENT, INTELLECTUAL DISABILITY, AUTISM, VISUAL IMPAIRMENT, AUDITORY IMPAIRMENT, TRAUMATIC BRAIN INJURY, NONCATEGORICAL

- Staff Development- Upon written request, private school personnel providing direct instruction to the child in areas related to the identified disability may attend staff development. A child's parents may attend with school personnel if requested by the private school. The private school/parent shall complete and submit the Region 4 or Harris County Department of Education staff development registration form to Suzanne Chamberlain at [schambe4@houstonisd.org](mailto:schambe4@houstonisd.org).

- Staff Consult with HISD Special Education Teacher – Upon written request, private school staff providing direct instruction to the student in areas related to the identified disability may request a consultation with an HISD special education teacher. The request must be made in writing and submitted to Suzanne Chamberlain at [schambe4@houstonisd.org](mailto:schambe4@houstonisd.org).

#### OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY/PHYSICAL THERAPY SERVICES

- Staff Consult with HISD Occupational or Physical Therapist will be provided for students with a current public-school OT or PT evaluation as recommended by the ARD/IEP committee documenting that the child will receive OT/PT services in the public school.

#### ASSISTIVE TECHNOLOGY

- Assistive Technology Devices/Equipment – Assistive technology equipment or devices will be provided for students with a current public-school AT evaluation as recommended by the ARD/IEP committee documenting that the child will receive AT devices/equipment in the public school.