Accessible Instructional Materials Library

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AIM Library Reporting Codes

Please note: Only the codes below are acceptable when reporting student information.

Assurance Forms MUST accurately reflect the student records on file at the district.

GRADE CODES:

<u>AD</u> - Includes all eligible school-aged students aged twenty-two or above on the first Monday in January in instructional programs of less than college level.

<u>Grades 01 to 11</u> - School Aged Students: Determined by state law, in regular academic grades 1 through 11. Please indicate grade placement by using numerals 01 through 11.

- **<u>IP</u>** Infants: Children of preschool age served by infant programs
- **PS** Preschool Students: Children of preschool age served by preschool programs.
- **<u>KG</u>** Kindergarten Students: Children enrolled in kindergarten classes.
- <u>12+</u> Students who are in grade 12 or are continuing to receive special education services under IDEA until the student turns age twenty-two (22)

ACUITY CODES:

MDB~ Meet the Definition of Blindness - central visual acuity of 20/200 or less in the better eye with correcting glasses or a peripheral field so contracted that the widest diameter of such field subtends an angular distance no greater than 20 degrees

FDB~ Function at the Definition of Blindness - which is visual performance reduced by brain injury or dysfunction when visual function meets the definition of blindness as determined by an eye care specialist (ophthalmologist or optometrist) or other medical doctor such as a neurologist.

IDEA~Qualify under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act definition of blindness: an impairment in vision, that, even with correction, adversely affects a child's educational performance. IF the student is NEITHER MDB or FDB, they may be eligible if they qualify under the IDEA definition as it includes partial sight (visually impaired) and blindness. (34 CFR §300.8(c)(13). Student must be on an IEP, 504 does not qualify.

READING MEDIA CODES:

- <u>V</u> Visual Readers: Primarily using print including large print
- **B** Braille Readers: Primarily using braille.
- **<u>A</u>** Auditory Readers: Primarily using a reader or auditory materials.

PRE - Pre-readers: Working toward a readiness level.

<u>S</u> – Symbolic Reader: A reader that accesses printed materials with tangible two- or three-dimensional symbols. Examples are photographs, line pictures, real objects, miniature objects, partial objects, etc. These symbols may or may not have braille or print attached, but the student needs the additional symbol to access the learning material.

SECONDARY READING MEDIA CODES:

V – Visual Readers

B – Braille Readers

A - Auditory Readers

NA – Not Applicable

The following eliminated grade and reading media codes are no longer accepted:

Grades

Reading Media

AC - Academic Non-graded

FC - Functional Curriculum

TR – Transition Student

OR – Other Registration

SN – Symbolic Non-reader

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