

Educational Services under Section 504

1991 USDOE Joint Memorandum [34 C.F.R. 104.33 (b)(1)] which has been quoted as the law in several judicial decisions, outlines 22 services that must be available in regular education classrooms for Section 504 eligible students. Those services include the following:

1. Providing a structured learning environment.
2. Repeating and simplifying instructions about in-class assignments.
3. Repeating and simplifying instructions about homework assignments.
4. Supplementing verbal instructions with visual instructions.
5. Using behavioral management techniques.
6. Adjusting class schedules.
7. Changing test delivery.
8. Using tape recorders.
9. Using computer-assisted instruction.
10. Using other audio-visual equipment.
11. Selecting alternate textbooks.
12. Selecting supportive workbooks.
13. Tailoring homework assignments.
14. Consulting with special education teachers for teaching strategies.
15. Reducing class size.
16. Using one-on-one tutorials.
17. Using classroom aides.
18. Using classroom note-takers.
19. Involving services coordinator to oversee implementation of program/services.
20. Modifying non-academic time such as lunchroom.
21. Modifying non-academic time such as recess.
22. Modifying non-academic times such as physical education.



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