

The Loudoun County Public Schools Special Education Advisory Committee (SEAC) works with the school board, administrators, parents and teachers who are responsible for students receiving special education services.

All children can learn if appropriate support is available, there are no acceptable losses.

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What are the functions of SEAC?

- Advise LCPS of the needs in the education of students with disabilities.
- Participate in the development of priorities and strategies for meeting the identified needs of students with disabilities.
- Submit periodic reports and recommendations to the superintendent for communication to the school board.
- Assist LCPS in interpreting plans to the community for meeting the special needs of students with disabilities for educational services.
- Review the policies and procedures for the provision of special education and related services prior to submission to the school board and the Virginia Department of Education.
- Participate in the review of the school division's annual plan.

How can SEAC help you?

SEAC helps you understand how to work with the school division and how special education can meet the needs of your child. SEAC monthly meetings include presentations about special education topics for parents and educators. By attending meetings, you:

- Receive information to assist you to become an educational partner in your student's educational process;
- Can network with other parents of students with disabilities and educational professionals to gain information and support; and
- Offer input to help inform the policy and program decisions in the continuous improvement of exceptional education services in Loudoun County.

Who serves on the SEAC, and may I join?

The position is a voluntary, two-year term, and the SEAC is limited to 21 members. The majority of the committee is comprised of parents of students with disabilities and of community members. Membership must also include one teacher. SEAC also encourages students with disabilities to join. Membership inquiries may be directed to the SEAC Vice Chair of Membership – go to www.lcps.org/seac to link to the

The SEAC usually meets the first Wednesday of the month during the school year from 7:00-9:00 p.m. at the LCPS Administration Building (Ashburn, VA). Check the meetings and presentation schedule at www.lcps.org/seac.

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