

**PARENT ADVISORY  
COMMITTEE**

The Parent Advisory Committee (PAC) is composed of parents of disabled children from each of the school districts in Berrien County.

The PAC participate in the development, review, and amendment of the Berrien RESA Plan for the Delivery of Special Education Programs and Services.

The PAC also strives to represent the interests and concerns of disabled students and their parents in each of the constituent districts. It will also provide, upon request, information to parents, facilitate communication, and promote cooperation between parents, their local boards of education and the Berrien RESA Board of Education.

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## **Special Education Programs and Services**

The following is a list of the kinds of special education classroom programs, ancillary and other related services, and instructional services provided in Berrien County.

### **Special Education Classroom Programs**

- Autism Spectrum Disorder
- Mild Cognitive Impairment
- Emotional Impairment
- Hearing Impairment
- Learning Disabled
- Physical Impairment
- Early Childhood Special Education Program
- Severe Multiple Impairment
- Other Health Impairment
- Severe Language Impairment
- Moderate Cognitive Impairment
- Severe Cognitive Impairment

### **Ancillary and Other Related Services**

- Assistive Technology
- Music Therapy
- Occupational Therapy
- Orientation and Mobility Services
- Physical Therapy
- Early Childhood Special Education Services
- School Psychological Services
- Recreation Therapy
- School Social Work Services
- Transportation
- Speech and Language Therapy
- Visual Impairment Services
- Transition

### **Instructional Services**

- Homebound/Hospitalized Teachers
- Juvenile Detention Facility Teachers
- Early Childhood Development Delay Teachers
- Teacher Consultants
- Teachers of the Speech and Language Impaired