

CHARTER OPERATED PROGRAMS

LAUSD | SELPA

INDEPENDENT CHARTER SCHOOL SUPPORTS

			CHARTER CHOICE		APPLICATION
	SUPPORTS	DESCRIPTION	OPTION 1	OPTION 2	OPTION 3
SCHOOL SUPPORTS	Program Support Team	Assigned staff provides support and guidance on program implementation, classroom management strategies, Welligent, service tracking, compliance, IEP development, and more	✓	✓	✓
	Consult Support Team (Behavior)	Access to behavior support staff for interim placements, manifestation determinations, FBA/BSP/BIPs, suspensions/expulsions, technical guidance/consultation, and trainings	✓	✓	✓
	Consult Support Team (Mental Health)	Access to mental health support staff for crisis situations, bereavement support, professional development, and technical guidance	✓	✓	✓
	Division of Special Education Supports	Access to support staff for consultation on informal dispute resolution, due process, non-public schools, private schools, and residential treatment centers	✓	✓	✓
	Technical Assistance	Timely response to special education questions and concerns	✓	✓	✓
	Compliance Supports	Access to staff support for DVR assistance, state-level action plans for special education, resources, training, and technical guidance on building a compliant special education program	✓	✓	✓
	Low Incidence Materials	Access to funds to provide specialized books, materials and equipment as required under the IEP for a student with a low incidence disability	✓	✓	✓
	Fee-for-Service	Access to services, as available: Extended School Year, related service providers, and placements	-	✓	✓
	Speciality Consultant Supports	Access to speciality consultant support focused on: Informal dispute resolution, moderate/severe needs, and psychological supports	-	-	✓
	Newsletters	Subscription to special education newsletters that focus on legal topics, IEP team development, and special educators	-	-	✓
	Assessment Library	Access to special education assessments	-	-	✓
	Executive, Fiscal, and Coordinating Councils and Committees	Active participation in decisions impacting governance, programming, staffing, fiscal policy, and grant disseminations	-	-	✓
	Grant: Impact	Access to apply for funding to develop special education supports that have a citywide impact to the Option 3 community of schools	-	-	✓
GRANTS & FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE	Grant: Program Development	Access to apply for funding to support the development or expansion of high-quality and impactful mild/moderate or moderate/severe special education programs	-	-	✓
	Grant: Innovation	Access to apply for funding to offset costs of innovative student experiences, professional development and/or research, and development activities in special education	-	-	✓
	Financial Assistance: Tiered Eligibility Allocation	Access to financial assistance, based on a tiered eligibility formula, to build and maintain special education programs, supports, and services	-	-	✓
	Financial Assistance: Extraordinary Cost Assistance Pool	Access to apply for financial assistance for up to a one-time unexpected nonpublic school placement, legal action against a charter school, and/or new nonpublic agency contracts for up to \$25,000.	-	-	✓
	Career and Transition Centers*	Access to Career and Transition Centers, which provide employment preparation, independent living skills, and social skills instruction to students ages 18-22 who are on an alternate curriculum	✓	✓	✓
PROGRAM OPTIONS	Carlson Home Hospital School*	Access to instruction in the home or hospital, which is provided as a temporary service for eligible students whose temporary medical or psychiatric illness prevents them from attending their school of attendance	✓	✓	✓
	District Placement*	Access to an LAUSD option for placement	✓	✓	Fee-for-Service, As Available
	Interim Placement*	LAUSD provides an interim placement during the expulsion process, if an MOU has been signed	✓	✓	✓
	Nonpublic School*	If a nonpublic school is recommended by an IEP team, the placement is supported by LAUSD	✓	✓	-
	Residential Treatment Center*	If a residential treatment center is recommended by an IEP team, the placement is supported by LAUSD. LAUSD provides a residential treatment center, if an MOU has been signed.	✓	✓	✓
	School-Based Special Education Staff	School site special education staffing	LAUSD Provides	-	-
	Option 3 Trainings	Specialized workshops and trainings throughout the school year	Space Dependent	Space Dependent	✓
TRAININGS	Leadership Program Access	Financial assistance to access special education leadership programs	-	-	✓
	Crisis Intervention	Access to financial assistance for nonviolent crisis intervention training, which provides school site staff with the skills for prevention, minimization and management of challenging behavior.	-	-	✓
	LAUSD Trainings	Access to LAUSD trainings through MyPLN	✓	✓	✓

*Student must live within the LAUSD SELPA boundaries. For more information, reach out to the Consult Support Team at CharterOperatedPrograms@lausd.net.

FUNDING OVERVIEW

- LAUSD withholds all special education revenue
- School pays LAUSD fair share contribution (25-35%) based on general fund contribution rate for special education
- School receives 100% of special education revenue
- School pays LAUSD fair share contribution (20-35%) based on general fund contribution rate for special education
- School receives 80% of special education revenue
- Remaining 20% of special education revenue is allocated for Charter Operated Programs' budget and LAUSD fair share contribution

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