



Education-Related Acronyms

504-Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act

ABA-Applied Behavior Analysis

ADA -Americans with Disabilities Act

ADHD -Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder

APA -Alternate Proficiency Assessments

AT -Assistive Technology

BIP - Behavior Intervention Plan

CBI - Community Based Instruction

CCCS - Core Curriculum Content Standards

CCSS-Common Core State Standards

CPRC-Community Parent Resource Center

CSPD - Comprehensive System of Personnel
Development

CST - Child Study Team

DCF - Department of Child and Families

DDD - Division of Developmental Disabilities

DEC - Division for Early Childhood

DLM-Dynamic Learning Maps

DRNJ -Disability Rights New Jersey

DVRS -Division of Vocational Rehabilitation
Services

EIS-Early Intervening Services

ELL-English Language Learner

ESEA -Elementary and Secondary Education Act

ESL -English as a Second Language

ESY -Extended School Year

FAPE -Free Appropriate Public Education

FBA -Functional Behavior Assessment

FERPA -Family Educational Rights and Privacy
Act

HSPA -High School Proficiency Assessment

IDEA -Individuals with Disabilities Education
Act

IEP -Individualized Education Program

IFSP -Individual Family Service Plan

IHP -Individual Healthcare Plan

LD -Learning Disability

LEA -Local Education Agency

LEP -Limited English Proficient

LRE -Least Restrictive Environment

N.J.A.C. -New Jersey Administrative Code

N.J.S.A. -New Jersey Statutes Annotated

NCLB -No Child Left Behind (a.k.a. ESEA)

NJASK -New Jersey Assessment of Skills and
Knowledge

NJDOE -New Jersey Department of Education

NJOSEP -New Jersey Office of Special Education
Programs

OCR -Office of Civil Rights

OCTE-Office of Career and Technical Education

OHI -Other Health Impairment

OSEP -Office of Special Education Programs

OSERS-Office of Special Education and
Rehabilitative Services

OT - Occupational Therapy

OVAE-Office of Vocational and Adult Education

PARCC-Partnership for Assessment of Readiness
for College and Careers

PBS -Positive Behavioral Supports

PBSIS -Positive Behavior Supports In Schools

PLAAFP -Present Level of Academic and
Functional Performance

PLP-Personalized Learning Plan

PT -Physical Therapy

PTI-Parent Training and Information Center

RTI -Response to Intervention

SE -Supported Employment

SEA -State Education Agency

SEPAG -Special Education Parent Advisory
Group

SLE -Structured Learning Experiences

SPED

SPEC ED -Special Education

STC -School-to-Career

UAP -University Affiliated Program

UDL -Universal Design for Learning

USDOE -United States Department of Education