### HOW TO REFER A CHILD:

A referral may be made by any person concerned about a child. Parent involvement and agreement is obtained prior to any further action.

Information is confidential and the privacy of children and parents is protected.

Call the Tehama County Department of Education Special Schools & Services at: 530-527-8564



### **School District Contacts:**

Antelope	527-1272
Corning Elementary	824-7700
Corning High	824-8000
Elkins	833-5382
Evergreen	347-3411
Flournoy	833-5331
Gerber	385-1041
Kirkwood	824-7773
Lassen View	527-5162
Lincoln Street	528-7301
Los Molinos	384-7826
Red Bluff Union Elementary	527-7200
Red Bluff Union High	529-8710
Reeds Creek	527-6006
Richfield	324-3354
TeLA	527-0188

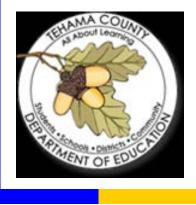
### Tehama County Department of Education Tehama County SELPA

Veronica Coates, Director

900 Palm Street Red Bluff, CA 96080 Phone: 530 527-8581 Fax: 530 529-4134 Tehama County Department of Education Tehama County SELPA



Tehama Special Education Local Plan Area -Special Education and Child Find



## Child Find: Do you know a Child with Special Needs?



# WHAT IS CHILD FIND?

The purpose of Child Find is to identify, locate, and evaluate children and youth ages 3 to 21 years of age who are suspected of having or have a diagnosed disability or developmental delay, in order to provide appropriate special education services under the law.

## When Should a Child Be Referred to Child Find?

A child should be referred when:

- A health or medical disorder interferes with development and/or learning
- A child seems to have difficulty seeing or hearing
- A child appears to have a social, emotional or behavioral difficulty that affects his/her ability to learn or interact with others
- A child has a diagnosed progressive or degenerative condition that will eventually impair or impede the child's ability to learn
- A child seems to have difficulty understanding directions like others that are his/her age
- A child's speech is not understood by family or friends
- A child has difficulty with reading, writing, math, or other school subjects

#### What is Special Education?

Special Education is instruction designed to meet the unique learning strengths and needs of the individual student with disabilities from ages 3 to 22 years of age.



# Who is Eligible for Services?

A student must be evaluated and identified as a student having a disability to be eligible for special education programs and related services. The degree of the student's impairment must require special education.

The disability categories are:

- Autism
- Hearing Impairment including deafness
- Deaf-Blindness
- Emotionally Disturbed
- Language/Speech Disorder
- Intellectual Disability
- Multiple disabilities
- Orthopedic Impairment
- Other Health Impairment
- Specific Learning Disability
- Traumatic Brain Injury
- Visual Impairment

Tehama County Department of Education Tehama County SELPA Veronica Coates, Director

900 Palm Street Red Bluff, CA 96080 Phone: 530 527-8581 Fax: 530 529-4134