

Food for Thought

The IEP is a legal document

- Do you know your role in the IEP process?
- Are you familiar with the IEP document and able to find information pertaining to your work with students?

Importance of accommodations & modifications

- What is the difference between accommodations and modifications?
- How do you determine whether to use accommodations or modifications?

Importance of communication & social development

- What is the most effective way to communicate with the students you serve?
- How are you facilitating the social development of students on your caseload?

References & Recommended Resources

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Master of Education in Special Education at Lipscomb University's College of Education – <https://www.lipscomb.edu/education/graduate-programs/med-programs/special-education>

Igniting the Dream of Education and Access at Lipscomb (IDEAL) Program – <https://www.lipscomb.edu/education/special-programs/ideal-program>

National Center for Learning Disabilities - <https://www.nclld.org/>

National Association of Special Education Teachers - <https://www.naset.org/>

Learning Disabilities Online - <http://www.ldonline.org/educators>

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