

# Intradistrict Communication

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TO: All Secondary Principals

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SUBJECT: Professional Development Opportunities for Back to Basics: The Essentials of EBD, OHI, and Anxiety in Special Education

The Special Education Department will be offering a training session for Secondary Special Education teachers on October 3rd.

This training will address: Does every student with an anxiety diagnosis qualify for IDEA educational classification? How can school teams communicate with parents about the difference between ADA (accommodations) and IDEA (SDI) when discussing eligibility based on an anxiety diagnosis?

Secondary Teachers will use this [registration link](#) to sign up.

## Training Details:

- **Date:** October 3, 2025
- **Time:** 1:00-3:00
- **Location:** Zoom - Link will be included in the Canvas course

Participation is optional.