

Quick Guide for Parents - FAQ's

Palos Verdes Peninsula Unified School District

Who do I contact if I have concerns about my child's IEP?

Your child's special education teacher or the program specialist for your child's school. Contact your district's special education office to learn who your program specialist is. (310) 791-5078.

Who do I contact if I am unable to resolve IEP concerns?

The program specialist for your child's school. Contact your district's special education office to learn who your program specialist is. (310) 791-5078.

Or

you may contact the SELPA Alternative Dispute Resolution Coordinator: Marc Purchin, (310) 944-3217 x229
Sw_adr@lacoed.edu (no cost independent mediation for families)

Who do I contact if I do not understand my child's assessment reports?

The school psychologist who wrote your child's report.

Or

You can attend one of the Southwest SELPA's Navigator Clinics designed to help parents understand their child's reports. For more information and to register for one of our clinics [click here](#), or call (310) 944-3217 x248 or email sw_frc@lacoed.edu for more information

Who do I contact if I have concerns over my child's progress?

Your child's teacher

Who do I contact if I want more information about my child's disability?

The Southwest SELPA Family Resource Center, Parent Support Coordinator, Christy Cole (310) 944-3217 x248 or email sw_frc@lacoed.edu

Who do I contact if I want to meet other families?

The Southwest SELPA Community Advisory Committee meetings are a great place to meet other families and to learn what is happening in special education in your area. [Click here](#) to view the current schedule and for more information about the CAC or call (310) 944-3217 x248.

Who do I contact if I want information about complaints/due process?

The program specialist for your child's school. Contact your district's special education office to learn who that is. (310) 791-5078

What other services does my district offer?

You can visit your district's website at <http://www.pvpusd.k12.ca.us/> or by [clicking here](#) to learn more.

How do I learn more about my district's preschool program?

[Click here](#) for more information about PVPUSD Preschool and Early Learning Program or call Shirley Resich at (310) 791-5078 x200.