

Enrollment of Students with Disabilities

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Peace Valley Charter School is committed to an open enrollment process that includes:

- 1) Giving all students an equal opportunity to attend
- 2) Being open and accessible to all students, including students with disabilities; and
- 3) Admitting students on the basis of a lottery if more students apply for admission than can be accommodated

Peace Valley charter school will not prohibit or discourage a student with a disability from enrolling or attending, or take actions which will have the effect of prohibiting or discouraging a parent of a student with a disability from enrolling his or her child in the charter school by: a. establishing an examination or other academic criteria for admission; b. requiring any activity in which the school is unwilling to accommodate or adapt their curriculum or academic standards to meet the needs of the student with a disability; and c. suggesting implicitly or explicitly that another school district would be a better placement or more capable of providing special education services or delivering education instruction (commonly referred to as "counseling out").

Peace Valley Charter School shall provide every student with a disability a Free and Appropriate Public Education (FAPE), which shall include appropriate special education services starting the first day of school or upon the first day the student enrolls and begins attending school.