



FLORENCE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT FIVE

CHILD FIND/SEARCH

WHAT IS CHILD FIND?

Child Find is a required and continuous process of public awareness activities, screening and evaluation designated to locate, identify, and refer as early as possible all children with disabilities between the ages of 3 to age 5, and a general education intervention process for children from kindergarten through age 21.

WHY IS CHILD FIND IMPORTANT?

It helps the child, the family, and the provider to plan appropriate services and link families to services for students meeting eligibility requirements in the following disability areas:

INTELLECTUAL DISABILITIES
DEAF/HARD OF HEARING
DEAF-BLINDNESS
VISUAL IMPAIRMENT
ORTHOPEDIC IMPAIRMENT
SPEECH-LANGUAGE IMPAIRMENT
SPECIFIC LEARNING DISABILITIES
EMOTIONAL DISABILITY
TRAUMATIC BRAIN INJURY
DEVELOPMENTAL DELAY
OTHER HEALTH IMPAIRMENT
AUTISM
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES

WHEN? A special "CHILD FIND/SEARCH" is being conducted on Wednesday, March 14, 2018, to identify children with a disabling condition. If you have a child that does not attend school who has one of the disabilities listed above, and reside in Florence School District Five, please bring him/her to Johnsonville Elementary School between 8:30 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., on Wednesday, March 14, 2018. During this time kindergarten registration will also be conducted.

WHO DO I CONTACT? Should you be aware of any child in the district who is in need of services, please contact Wanda Moore, Special Services Administrative Assistant, at 843-386-3268 weekdays between the hours of 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m., or in writing to P. O. Drawer 98, Johnsonville, South Carolina, 29555. The names of all persons will be kept confidential.

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