

## IDEA - What do all these letters stand for?

IDEA	Individuals with Disabilities Education Act - Special Education Law
IEP	Individualized Education Program
PPT	Planning and Placement Team
FAPE	Free and Appropriate Education
LRE	Least Restrictive Environment
LEA	Local Education Agency - the school district
OT/PT/SLP/BT	Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy, Speech & Language, Behavior Therapy - services a child can receive
FERPA	Federal Education Rights and Privacy Act - confidentiality
BIRTH TO 3	Early Intervention - for infants & toddlers who may have delays or disabilities
IFSP	Individualized Family Services Plan
OCR	Office of Civil Rights - Federal
Procedural Safeguards	What you can use when you think the LEA is unfair to you or your child

