

BOY Training 2014, Session 2.6 – Preschool Questions and Answers

Q: Will every preschool student this year, that is enrolled in IC need information on the Preschool tab- even those only receiving services?

A: No, do not fill out the preschool tab for students with a service type “N”.

Q: How do we mark those who just got tested but don't end up placing anywhere?

A:

- If they are screened for preschool and they fall within typical parameters, if they are not income eligible, they are not eligible for the state-funded preschool program.
- If the children have the KSI intervention and they improve so that in the post test they fall within typical development, then they are not eligible for the preschool program.
- If the district does not have a tuition program or other funding mechanisms for supporting the preschool program, then the children are end dated using the CO1 code.

Q: Do we create a preschool course for student not in KSI?

A: I believe our advice has been to create a homeroom for the children in the preschool program. That is what the assessment folks from KEDS have asked that we supply so that each child has a homeroom teacher.

Q: There are so many scenarios of what we do with enrollments. Is there a flowchart or a scenarios list that will help explain the process?

A: Currently there is not a flow chart. KDE will look into creating one.

Q: Could you clarify the grade levels 94 through 98 for age requirements? Is there a birthdate cutoff for these levels?

A: Use the August 1st cutoff date for each of the grades. However old the children are on August 1st will determines their grade.

Q: Could you explain KSI and speech?

A: All children who are suspected of having a disability must have intervention (KSI) supplied. However, it is possible to proceed with the evaluation at the same time as the intervention under some circumstances that you know that the child will qualify for speech (or another disability).

Q: Do Head Start students who are eating in the school's cafeteria need to be enrolled in IC?

A: Yes, first enroll them then create a preschool tab and mark them as Head Start. Do not fill out the other information in the preschool tab.