



## **Adena Local School District**

# **GIFTED SERVICES**

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**SERVICES**

The District ensures equal opportunity for all students identified as gifted to receive services offered by the District. Service placement criteria shall be consistently applied as specified in the screening and identification criteria. The same services will be consistently offered at each grade level. The criteria used may not discriminate on the basis of race, gender, ethnicity, disability status, first language or socio-economic status. Placement for District services shall match the criteria used in determining eligibility. The Adena Local School District acknowledges that gifted students have diverse needs and strives to offer a continuum of services as appropriate for student.

Services are provided if a student achieves one or more of the following:

#### Reading

Achievement score of 95% or higher

Qualifying composite score on a superior cognitive instrument

#### Math

Achievement score of 95% or higher

Qualifying composite score on a superior cognitive screening assessment instrument

While the district does not offer specific services in the areas of creative thinking ability and the visual/performing arts, the gifted teacher and coordinator try to assist parents and students who have been identified with educational opportunities or information about special programs in the student's identified area.

### **Kindergarten through second grade students (K-2):**

Setting: Regular classroom (note: grade acceleration, early entrance and/or subject acceleration is determined by acceleration teams as needed).

Service: Direct, on-going services are not provided for K-2 students; however, the gifted teacher does serve as a resource to assist regular classroom teachers with differentiated instruction in the general education setting.

### **Third through fifth grade (3-5):**

Setting: Regular classroom (note: grade acceleration, early entrance and/or subject acceleration is determined by acceleration teams as needed).

Service: Differentiated services provided by the teacher of record in the area of reading and/or math, depending on the students' identification area(s). The gifted coordinator does serve as a resource to assist regular classroom teachers with differentiated instruction in the general education setting.

Curriculum is differentiated in one or more of the following ways:

- A. providing access to appropriately advanced curriculum content, including replacement and extension of the regular curriculum, or
- B. modifying the learning process to provide an appropriate level of challenge, including the use of strategies for curriculum compacting.

**Sixth through twelfth Grade (6-12):**

Setting: AP Calculus, Advanced Math, post-secondary options and internship/mentorship opportunities as specified on the student's WEP.

Direct, on-going services are not provided for 6-12 students; however, the gifted coordinator does serve as a resource to assist regular classroom teachers with differentiated instruction in the general education setting.