



News from the Nest

October, 13, 2022

What's going on at Swallow?

- SEF Book Fair 10/17-10/19
- School Board Meeting 10/17 6-8:30 pm
- Parent/Teacher Conferences 10/18 and 10/20 3:30-8:00 pm
- Early Release at Noon 10/21
- Trunk or Treat 10/26
- No School 10/27 and 10/28

Field Trips

- 6th-8th Consortium Band Dress Rehearsal-Lake Country 10/17
- 7th/8th Walking Trip to AHS: Shrek
- 4th Grade: Lapham Peak 10/24

Contact Us

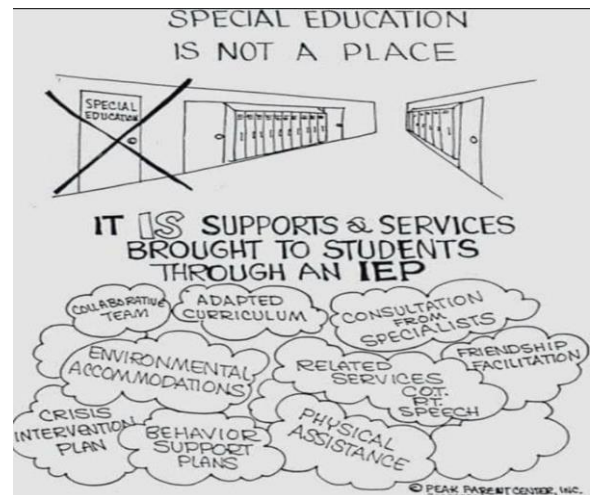
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Resources

Waukesha County offers support for families of children with disabilities. They have an archive of past newsletters which can be located [here](#). The [October 2022](#) newsletter is their final newsletter, but it does cover some great topics.

Did You Know?

Special Education has come a long way from the years of separate schools, rooms and service delivery. At Swallow, we pride ourselves on a service delivery model known as inclusion or 'push in' services. This mode of student support maintains a students' feelings of community in their classroom as well as is a research based best practice for maximum impact to student success. A foundational piece of delivering the most impactful level of service is creating a collaborative team. We place a high level of focus on parent input, student centered support, building self-advocacy skills and communication with all staff members to ensure equal ownership of students with unique learner profiles. Below is a picture that outlines this principle.



Collaboration Corner

There were not any submissions for Collaboration Corner this week.

How can we help?

Do you have a question or would you like more information on a topic related to special education? Our department is here to support you. Please complete [this form](#) and we can respond to you directly or if you would like to have us share your question and answer with the group, I would be happy to do so as well.