

A parent has the right to withdraw a student with a disability from special education programs and related services. A parent must do this in writing. The school district or intermediate unit must issue a Notice of Recommended Educational Placement (NOREP)/Prior Written Notice before services are discontinued. The NOREP must be issued to the parent within 10 calendar days. A school district or intermediate unit may not continue to provide special education and related services or use due process to challenge a parental decision to withdraw a student from special education programs. When a child is withdrawn from special education, the school district or intermediate unit is not required to remove references to special education services from the child's records.