

Regional School Unit #34
Special Education Report
September 21, 2011

Special Education Director: Kimm Kenniston
Assistant Special Education Director: Loretta Robichaud

Special Education Enrollment K-12 as of September 19, 2011: 263

Schools Attending: Old Town Elementary, Viola Rand School, Alton Elementary, Dr. Lewis S. Libby, Leonard Middle School, Old Town High, Orono High School, Orono Middle School and the Southern Penobscot Regional Program

Percent of Total Enrollment*: 17.7 % (263 /1482)

*Regular Enrollment as of September 19, 2011

State Reports Summer 2011 & September:

ARRA Reporting with the Business Manager to complete the Cash Out Report
2010-2011 Special Education Exit Certification
Local Entitlement Year End Report
Local Entitlement Application
Special Education Tuition Report
Request for Special Education Contract Approval- Due 10/15
State Agency Client Billing - Due 12/4

New Personnel:

OTES Special Education Teacher- Matthew Gonnella
Special Education Educational Technician's
OTES: Deanna McKinley, Leslie Rozelle and Tami Nadeau
LMS: Brian McDormand and Laurence Klein
Occupational Therapist: Joan Reichert

Professional Development/Updates:

Nonviolent Crisis Intervention Training was held for staff on August 23th. Barbara Gunn and staff from SPRP were the instructors for this training. Ten staff from RSU #34 attended, which included special education teachers, general education teachers, educational technicians and administrators. This training is required annually in order to maintain certification in the proper use of de-escalation techniques as well as proper restraint holds should a student require that level of intervention in order to provide safety for staff and students. A big thanks to Barbara and her certified instructors!