

**Report of Children with Disabilities (IDEA) Ages 6 through 21
by Age and Disability (OSEP006)**

This report provides the U.S. Department of Education, Office of Special Education Programs (OSEP), and state education agencies (SEAs) with student counts for children with disabilities (IDEA) receiving special education by age and disability. This information is provided for children ages 6 through 21.

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Disability Category	Age								
	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
Intellectual disability	135	318	1,003	1,187	1,378	1,531	1,631	1,643	1,624
Hearing impairment	108	145	128	166	139	164	172	171	162
Speech or language impairment	5,067	4,854	4,111	3,142	2,114	1,139	627	395	189
Visual impairment	39	43	63	54	50	61	63	45	52
Emotional disturbance	38	142	307	366	465	534	583	650	706
Orthopedic impairment	48	49	65	64	72	76	70	69	82
Other health impairment	310	777	1,889	2,303	2,846	3,164	3,223	3,381	3,238
Specific learning disability	366	1,607	4,079	5,766	6,803	7,514	7,206	6,865	6,381
Deaf-blindness	1	1	2	2	2	0	3	2	3
Multiple disabilities	101	107	194	169	207	176	186	177	163
Autism	739	892	1,218	1,188	1,083	1,088	998	883	842
Traumatic brain injury	12	9	16	26	27	30	28	43	41
Developmental delay ⁽¹⁾	3,333	2,557	0						
Total	10,297	11,501	13,075	14,433	15,186	15,477	14,790	14,324	13,483

Source: U.S. Department of Education, EDFacts (SY2011-2012)

⁽¹⁾The definition of developmental delay is state-determined and applies to children with disabilities (IDEA) aged three through nine, or a subset of that age range. See 34 C.F.R. Part 300.111(b).

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Disability Category	Age							Total	Total (Percent)
	15	16	17	18	19	20	21		
Intellectual disability	1,683	1,688	1,815	1,515	669	314	183	18,317	10.84
Hearing impairment	137	150	151	91	36	10	4	1,934	1.14
Speech or language impairment	99	80	44	25	4	1	2	21,893	12.96
Visual impairment	44	36	43	20	12	7	4	636	0.38
Emotional disturbance	701	673	616	372	108	30	12	6,303	3.73
Orthopedic impairment	71	78	63	40	11	5	1	864	0.51
Other health impairment	3,129	2,827	2,486	1,436	368	52	16	31,445	18.61
Specific learning disability	6,091	5,568	4,976	3,024	765	137	29	67,177	39.75
Deaf-blindness	2	5	3	2	2	2	2	34	0.02
Multiple disabilities	155	131	120	130	101	98	72	2,287	1.35
Autism	746	696	586	373	214	120	108	11,774	6.97
Traumatic brain injury	37	54	46	34	12	8	3	426	0.25
Developmental delay ⁽¹⁾								5,890	3.49
Total	12,895	11,986	10,949	7,062	2,302	784	436	168,980	100.00

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